

3. On August 2, 2019, the Commission issued an Order Scheduling Hearings and Requiring Customer Notice.

4. An evidentiary hearing was held as scheduled by Commission Order on December 2, 2019. At the close of the evidentiary hearing, Chair Tonola Brown-Bland requested that all parties file proposed orders within 30 days of the filing of the last hearing transcript or January 6, whichever is later. The last transcript of the evidentiary hearing was filed on December 9, 2019, and, therefore, proposed orders are to be filed by January 8, 2020.

5. The Public Staff and the Company are still in the process of determining an agreed upon amount of regulatory commission expense, related to settled issues, that was to be reflected in the Partial Joint Settlement Agreement and Stipulation filed on November 27, 2019. The Public Staff will need this information to prepare late-filed exhibits that reflect its updated revenue requirement, which incorporates all settled and unsettled issues in this docket. The Public Staff also intends to file a schedule of rates, based on the updated revenue requirement.

6. Because the Company and the Public Staff are still in the process of determining an agreed upon level of regulatory commission expense, the Public Staff needs an extension until Friday, January 10, 2020, to file a proposed order and accompanying schedules.

7. There is no opposition to this request for an extension of time.

WHEREFORE, the Public Staff respectfully requests:

1. That the Commission approve an extension of time to January 10, 2020, for the Public Staff and all other parties to file Proposed Orders;
2. For such other and further relief as the Commission may deem just and proper.

Respectfully submitted, this the 6th day of January, 2020.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of this Motion for Extension of Time has been served on all parties of record or their attorneys, or both, by electronic delivery upon agreement of the receiving party.

This the 6th day of January, 2020.

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