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October 31, 2016

Oregon Public Utility Commission
Residential Service Protection Fund
P.O. Box 2153
Salem, OR 97308-2153

RE: Oregon Lightnet, LLC Company ID#OR8718 – Request for Waiver of Proposed Assessment OAR 860-033-0006

Docket No. UM 1517

Dear Commissioners:

Please accept this letter requesting waiver of penalty imposed for the September 2016 period, due October 21, 2016. Oregon Lightnet uses a third party vendor to file this report, and believed that it had been filed correctly on October 12, 2016. Unfortunately, the October 12, 2016 filing reflected the wrong period. When the Staff courtesy reminder email was sent on October 20, 2016, our third party contact was out of the office, and unable to respond until October 24, 2016.

Our company has consistently filed the OR RSPF with zero remittance due, and always on time. The late filing of the form due October 21, 2016 was an error on the part of our third party vendor, when we believed that it had been filed correctly, and on time. These circumstances, combined with the fact that our contact was unavailable for follow-up before the due, were beyond our control.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely

Willard Burge

President

