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2409 N Kerby Ave.
Portland, OR 97227

To: Public Utility Commission
From: Imagine Energy on behalf of Scenic Valley Farms
Re: Request for Waiver in the Solar Pilot Program

We are requesting a waiver of the rules regarding the 12 month deadline to complete 3 Solar Pilot Program projects for Scenic Valley Farms. The PGE reservation identifications are:
M345V2- located at 12423 River Road. NE, Gervais, OR 97026
L9F510- located at 5011 Concomly Rd. NE, Gervais, OR 97026
57V547- located at 13501 River Rd. NE, Gervais, OR 97026

The deadline for each of these projects is October 15th, 2014. We are requesting a 1 month extension until November 15th, 2014.

Our client properly submitted their deposits and the appropriate PGE Interconnection Applications and Agreements. In the middle of the process they found it necessary to change the contractor they wished to contract with for the construction of these three solar PV projects. Scenic Valley Farms has since secured financing for the projects and made initial payments to Imagine Energy for progress made.

Unfortunately, the permitting process caused serious delay in the start of construction. The projects needed to go through determination to approve "ag exempt" status for the structural permits. This process ended up taking several months and much more time than anticipated. The delay in permitting review gave us very little time to construct the projects before the deadline. All permits have now been granted and work has commenced. We have broken ground on all 3 projects. As of this date racking, module mounting and conduit work have been completed for M345V2 and L9F510. 57V547 is scheduled for all racking, module mounting and conduit work to be complete by next week. The customer is fully committed and all work to complete each of the 3 projects is scheduled.

An extension until November 15th, 2014 will give us ample time to complete each of the 3 projects and have them inspected and approved by the local jurisdiction (in this case Marion County).

Thank you for your consideration of this request,

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