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PGE's Division 39 Net Metering Report

COMPANY NAME:

Portland General Electric

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OAR 860-039-0070(2)

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RE: Division 39 Net Metering Report

Pursuant to OAR 860-039-0070(2), PGE hereby submits the Company's annual report on: a) the total number of net metering facilities by resource type and b) the total estimated rated generating capacity of net metering facilities by resource type. This report is based on end of year 2014 information available to the Company.

PGE's installed net metering capacity at the end of 2014 surpassed the 'soft cap' level described in ORS 757.300(6). One-half of one percent of PGE's historic system peak of 4,073 MW equates to 20.4 MW of net metering capacity. PGE currently exceeds the cap at over 37 MW of net metered capacity.

PGE reiterates our concern that as the MW total of net metered generation continues to grow, these customers may avoid fair contributions to the fixed costs of PGE's distribution, transmission and generation facilities that, despite the production of the customer-generator, still provide benefits to the net metered customer. As a result, non-participating customers subsidize net metering customers. In Docket No. UM 1673, PGE estimated the size of this subsidy at the then 28 MW of interconnected generation to be over \$1.7 million per year. As the net metering program continues to grow substantially, the problem could become more significant and require resolution by the OPUC.

Should you have any questions or comments regarding this filing, please contact Bruce Werner at (503) 464-7481.

Please direct all formal correspondence and requests to the following email address pge.opuc.filings@pge.com

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Karla Wenzel", is written over a light blue horizontal line.

Karla Wenzel
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Enclosure
cc: Bruce Barney
Shaun Foster

Portland General Electric
 Net Metering Annual Report
 2014 Reporting Year

OAR 860-039-072(2) Information:

A) Total number of Net Metering facilities

	<u>Connected</u>	<u>Cumulative</u>
Solar	849	4,889
Wind	0	41
Hydro	1	4
Fuel Cell	0	3
Biogas	1	2

B) Estimated Net Metered generation capacity in kW

	<u>Connected</u>	<u>Cumulative</u>
Solar	4,814	33,815
Wind	0	670
Hydro	93	153
Fuel Cell	0	21
Biogas	1,700	2,500

C) Other parallel generation (offsets load, not net metered)

	<u>Connected</u>	<u>Cumulative to 12/14</u>
		kW
Solar	5	126
Wind	1	0.9
Hydro	1	175
Biogas	1	2,320