

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON
UE 286

In the Matter of PORTLAND GENERAL)	
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ELECTRIC COMPANY's Net Variable)	RESPONSE TESTIMONY OF
)	THE CITIZENS' UTILITY BOARD
Power Costs (NVPC) and Annual Power)	OF OREGON
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Cost Update (APCU))	
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1 My name is Bob Jenks, and my qualifications are listed in CUB Exhibit 101.

2 **I. Issues to be covered in UE 283**

3 PGE's 2014 AUT filing was made in conjunction with PGE's General Rate Case,
4 UE 283. With the additions of Port Westward 2 and Tucannon, several issues overlap
5 between the two dockets. CUB will address the following issues in our UE 283
6 testimony, rather than this docket:

- 7 • the timing of the resource additions
- 8 • setting the capacity factor for a wind resource
- 9 • the impact of PGE's proposal to carve out renewables from the PCAM
- 10 • the role of the RFP in prudence and ratemaking.

1 **II. UE 286.**

2 CUB has participated in a workshop/settlement conference related to this docket
3 and has reviewed a significant number of data responses that PGE has provided to parties
4 in this docket. CUB is aware that parties have concerns with PGE's modeling of power
5 costs. CUB will review Staff's and ICNU's Opening Testimony in UE 286, as well as
6 PGE's Reply Testimony and reserves the right to respond to the issues that will be raised
7 in our UE 286 Rebuttal Testimony in July.

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EXPERIENCE: Provided testimony or comments in a variety of OPUC dockets, including UE 88, UE 92, UM 903, UM 918, UE 102, UP 168, UT 125, UT 141, UE 115, UE 116, UE 137, UE 139, UE 161, UE 165, UE 167, UE 170, UE 172, UE 173, UE 207, UE 208, UE 210, UG 152, UM 995, UM 1050, UM 1071, UM 1147, UM 1121, UM 1206, UM 1209, UM 1355, UM 1635, UE 233, UE 246, and UM 1633. Participated in the development of a variety of Least Cost Plans and PUC Settlement Conferences. Provided testimony to Oregon Legislative Committees on consumer issues relating to energy and telecommunications. Lobbied the Oregon Congressional delegation on behalf of CUB and the National Association of State Utility Consumer Advocates.

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UE 286 – CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that, on this 27th day of May, 2014, I served the foregoing **OPENING TESTIMONY OF THE CITIZENS' UTILITY BOARD OF OREGON** in docket UE 286 upon each party listed in the UE 286 PUC Service List by email and, where paper service is not waived, by U.S. mail, postage prepaid, and upon the Commission by email and by sending one original and five copies by U.S. mail, postage prepaid, to the Commission's Salem offices.

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