

**PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON
INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE**

DATE: September 25, 2014
TO: File through Aster Adams
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SUBJECT: PGE Advice 14-16

Background

PGE filed Advice 14-16 on August 15, 2014. The advice filing is a compliance filing for Order 14-025 in Docket UM 1452 (Volumetric Incentive Program (VIR)). The advice filing updates PGE Schedules 215, 216 and 217 in accordance to the Order. Order 14-025 was issued on January 22, 2013, and set the VIR rates for projects accepted in the April 2014 reservation window. The order also implements changes in the program due to HB 2893 – an addition of 2.5 MW in capacity and the addition of a May 1, 2015, reservation window to reallocate all remaining capacity.

Staff Analysis

Staff has verified that Schedules 215, 216 and 217 properly reflect the rates ordered in compliance with Order 14-025. The new Schedules also reflect the correct allocation windows and include the additional 2.5 MW of capacity.

Conclusion

The Schedule Updates should be allowed to go into effect on October 1, 2014, as requested in the advice filing.