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Attention: Filing Center  
Public Utility Commission of Oregon  
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**Re: Docket UM 1829 – In the Matter of Blue Marmot V LLC vs Portland General Electric Company**

Attention Filing Center:

Attached for filing in the above-captioned docket is Portland General Electric Company's Response to the ALJ's Ruling on Blue Marmots' Motion for Prehearing Conference.

Please contact this office with any questions.

Sincerely,

Alisha Till  
Paralegal

Attachment

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION  
OF OREGON

UM 1829

Blue Marmot V LLC  
Blue Marmot VI LLC  
Blue Marmot VII LLC  
Blue Marmot VIII LLC  
Blue Marmot IX LLC,  
Complainants,

v.

Portland General Electric Company,  
Defendant.

PORTLAND GENERAL ELECTRIC  
COMPANY'S RESPONSE TO ALJ's  
RULING ON BLUE MARMOTS'  
MOTION FOR PREHEARING  
CONFERENCE

1           In the Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) Ruling issued December 5, 2019, the ALJ granted  
2 the Blue Marmots' Motion for Prehearing Conference,<sup>1</sup> stating that the prehearing conference  
3 would be "for Phase II of this proceeding."<sup>2</sup> The Ruling correctly stated that the Blue Marmots  
4 had conferred with Portland General Electric Company (PGE) and that PGE did not oppose the  
5 motion.<sup>3</sup> However, PGE makes this filing to clarify that, although PGE did not oppose the Blue  
6 Marmots' request to schedule a prehearing conference to discuss additional proceedings regarding  
7 the Blue Marmots' commercial operation dates,<sup>4</sup> PGE does not agree that such additional  
8 proceedings should occur as Phase II of Docket UM 1829. Instead, PGE believes a new docket  
9 should be opened, and PGE intends to raise this issue for discussion during the prehearing  
10 conference currently scheduled for December 16, 2019. PGE understands that the Blue Marmots'  
11 position is that such additional proceedings should occur as Phase II of Docket UM 1829.

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<sup>1</sup> ALJ Ruling (Dec. 5, 2019).

<sup>2</sup> *Id.* at 2.

<sup>3</sup> *Id.* at 1.

<sup>4</sup> Blue Marmots' Motion for Prehearing Conference at 1 ("The Blue Marmots have conferred with Portland General Electric Company who *does not oppose scheduling a pre-hearing conference.*") (emphasis added) (Nov. 26, 2019).

Dated December 12, 2019

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