

April 18, 2014

Allan Arlow Administrative Law Judge Public Utility Commission of Oregon P.O. Box 1088 Salem, Oregon 97308-1088

Re:

In the Matter of Portland General Electric Company's Net Variable Power Costs

(NVPC) and Annual Power Cost Update (APCU);

Docket No. UE 286

Dear Judge Arlow,

This letter responds to your March 11, 2014 Prehearing Memorandum and Ruling directing parties to designate exhibits for Docket No. UE 286, which was opened to address Portland General Electric (PGE) updates to its Power Cost Adjustment Mechanism (PCAM) separately from the other portions of PGE's general rate request, docketed as Docket No. UE 283. The tariffs for PGE's PCAM are Schedules 125 and 126. PGE addresses these tariffs in its Exhibit 500.

Rather than attempting to limit the record in UE 286 at this point in the proceedings, parties to Docket No. UE 286 ask that the Administrative Law Judge designate PGE's February 13, 2014 UE 283 filing as available in the UE 286 docket. Designating the entire February 13, 2014 filing as available in Docket No. UE 286 will simplify discovery in the UE 286 docket and the parties' references to PGE testimony will be simplified.

Sincerely

Senior Assistant Attorney General **Business Activities Section**

(Electronic copies only) c: UE 286 service list

¹ Staff consulted the Citizens' Utility Board of Oregon, PGE, the Industrial Customers of Northwest Utilities and Noble America Energy Solutions regarding this designation proposal. Staff did not consult the other two parties to this docket, NW Natural and PacifiCorp, who note in their petitions to intervene that they intend to monitor the proceedings and only raise issues if necessary.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hearby certify that on April 18, 2014, I served the foregoing document upon all parties of record in this proceeding by electronic mail only as all parties have waived paper service.

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DATED this 18th day of April, 2014.

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