## BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON

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In the Matter of

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON

PETITION TO INTERVENE

Recommendation for Portfolio Options pursuant to ORS 757.603(2) and OAR 860-038-0220.

Renewable Northwest petitions to intervene in this proceeding. In support of this petition, the following is provided:

1. The contact information (name, address, email address) of the petitioner is:

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 $\square$  Please include this contact on the service list.

2a. The petitioner  $\boxtimes$  will  $\square$  will not be represented by counsel in this proceeding. The contact information for petitioner's counsel to be included on the service list is listed under #1, above.

2b. Additional contacts to be included on the service list (a petitioner is limited to three contacts on the service list):

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3. If the petitioner is an organization, the number of members in and the purposes of the organization:

Renewable NW is a non-profit advocacy organization with more than 50 members, including public interest groups and businesses. A list of Renewable NW's current members is attached as Exhibit A. Renewable NW seeks to promote the expansion of environmentally responsible, new renewable resources across the Northwest region.

 $\boxtimes$  List of Members attached

4. The nature and extent of the Petitioner's interest in the proceeding is:

Renewable NW has been a regular participant in the Portfolio Options Committee since its inception, and has examined issues relating to voluntary renewable energy markets and policies.

5. The issues the Petitioner intends to raise at the proceeding are:

Renewable NW intends to participate fully in the Portfolio Options Committee and the related voluntary renewable energy market policies pursuant to ORS 757.603(2) and OAR 860-038-0220.

6. The special knowledge or expertise of the Petitioner that would assist the Commission in resolving the issues in the proceeding is:

Renewable NW is a regular public interest participant in Portfolio Options Committee proceedings and has commented frequently on best practices for the voluntary renewable energy rate options.

7. Based on the information provided above in accordance with the Commission's rules of procedure, I request to participate in this proceeding as an intervenor. I or the organization that I represent will not unreasonably broaden the issues, burden the record, or unreasonably delay the proceeding. OAR 860-001-0300.

<u>/s/ Megan Decker</u> Chief Counsel, Renewable Northwest megan@renewablenw.org 503-223-4544

5/28/2015 Date Signed **Exhibit A** Renewable Northwest Members (May 2015)

**3Degrees** American Wind Energy Assoc. Atkins Blattner Energy Bonneville Environmental Foundation Center for Energy Efficiency & Renewable Technologies **Christenson Electric** Citizens' Utility Board **Climate Solutions** Columbia Gorge Community College Community Renewable Energy Association DNV GL **EDF** Renewable Energy **EDP** Renewables North America LLC Environment Oregon **Environment Washington** Eurus Energy America EverPower First Wind **GE Energy** Geothermal Resources Council Green Mountain Energy Company HDR Engineering Iberdrola Renewables Idaho Conservation League K&L Gates Kapla Law PLLC MAP Montana Environmental Information Center MontPIRG Natural Capital Partners Natural Resources Defense Council NextEra Energy Resources Northwest Environmental Business Council Northwest SEED

NW Energy Coalition **OneEnergy Renewables** Oregon Solar Energy Industries Association Oregon Tech Orion Renewable Energy Group LLC **OSPIRG** PECI Principle Power **REC Silicon** RES America Developments, Inc. Solar Oregon Stoel Rives, LLP SunPower Corporation SWCA Environmental Consultants Tonkon Torp LLP Vestas Americas Warm Springs Power & Water Enterprises Washington Environmental Council WashPIRG Western Resource Advocates