#### BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

### **OF OREGON**

#### UM 1683

In the Matter of	)	
	)	
PORTLAND GENERAL ELECTRIC	)	PETITION TO INTERVENE OF THE
COMPANY	)	INDUSTRIAL CUSTOMERS OF
	)	NORTHWEST UTILITIES
2015-2019 Renewable Portfolio Standard	)	
Implementation Plan	)	
-	)	

Pursuant to ORS § 756.525 and OAR § 860-001-0300(2), the Industrial Customers of Northwest Utilities ("ICNU") petitions the Public Utility Commission of Oregon ("OPUC" or the "Commission") to intervene in this proceeding with full party status as described in OAR § 860-001-0010(7). In support of this petition, ICNU represents as follows:

1. The business address of ICNU is:

Industrial Customers of Northwest Utilities 818 SW 3rd Avenue, #266 Portland, OR 97204

2. ICNU will be represented in this proceeding by Davison Van Cleve P.C.

All documents relating to this proceeding should be served on ICNU's attorney and consultant at the following addresses:

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13. ICNU is an incorporated, non-profit association of large industrial electric customers in the Pacific Northwest, with offices in Portland, Oregon. A list of ICNU members is included as Attachment A. Many of ICNU's members are customers of Portland General Electric Company ("PGE" or the "Company"), as shown in Attachment A.

4. ICNU has a substantial interest in PGE's 2015-2019 Renewable Portfolio Standard Implementation Plan ("RPS"), filed on December 31, 2013. The RPS provides information about how PGE will meet its RPS requirements in the years 2015 through 2019. ORS 469A requires electric utility companies to develop an implementation plan for meeting the requirements of the standard (at least 15 percent of electricity sold must come from qualifying resources in each of the calendar years 2015 through 2019). PGE intends to meet its RPS requirements with a combination of bundled renewable energy certificates from existing resources and the addition of new renewable resources. ICNU has a significant interest in PGE's RPS, since the incremental costs of compliance are expected to rise significantly, and may be included in PGE's rates paid by ICNU's members.

5. ICNU represents the interests of a number of large electric customers served by PGE in Oregon. ICNU's intervention in these proceedings will assist the Commission in resolving the issues and will not unreasonably broaden the issues, burden the record, or delay this proceeding.

6. As described above, ICNU has a direct and substantial interest in this proceeding that will not be adequately represented by any other party, and may be affected by any Commission determination made in connection with this proceeding. It is in the public interest to allow ICNU to intervene in this proceeding.

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WHEREFORE, ICNU respectfully requests that the Commission grant its petition to intervene with full party status in this proceeding.

Dated this 15th day of January, 2014.

Respectfully submitted,

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/s/ Irion A. Sanger

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### **ATTACHMENT A**

## INDUSTRIAL CUSTOMERS OF NORTHWEST UTILITIES

Air Liquide

Air Products

**Amcor Rigid Plastics** 

\*Boeing

\*Boise Cascade, Inc.

\*Boise Paper

Certain Teed Gypsum & Ceiling Manufacturing (BPB)

ConAgra Foods

Dyno Nobel, Inc.

Eka Chemicals, Inc.

**Emerald Performance Materials** 

\*Evraz, Inc.

Freres Lumber Co.

\*Georgia-Pacific

**Grant PUD Industries** 

Inland Empire Paper Co.

\*Intel

\*International Paper

JR Simplot

Kapstone Kraft Paper

\*Linde, Inc.

Microsoft Corporation

\*Norpac Foods

North Pacific Paper Corp

Northwest Hardwoods

\*PCC Structurals, Inc.

Ponderay Newsprint

PPG Industries Inc.

REC Solar Grade Silicon LLC

\*Schnitzer Steel

Shell Oil Products US

Simpson Paper & Timber

\*SP Fiber Technologies

Tesoro Refining and Marketing Co.

**Timber Products** 

Wah Chang

\*West Linn Paper Company

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# Via Electronic Mail and Federal Express

Public Utility Commission of Oregon Attn: Filing Center 3930 Fairview Industrial Dr SE P.O. Box 1088 Salem OR 97302

Re: PORTLAND GENERAL ELECTRIC

2015-2019 Renewable Portfolio Standard Implementation Plan

Docket No. UM 1683

Dear Filing Center:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket, please find the original and one (1) copy of the Petition to Intervene of the Industrial Customers of Northwest Utilities.

Thank you for your assistance, and please do not hesitate to call our office with any questions.

Sincerely,

/s/ Jesse Gorsuch
Jesse Gorsuch

Enclosures

cc: Service List

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have this day served the attached PETITION TO INTERVENE OF THE INDUSTRIAL CUSTOMERS OF NORTHWEST UTILITIES upon all parties in this proceeding, as shown below, by causing the same to be sent via electronic mail only, as all parties have waived paper service.

Dated at Portland, Oregon, this 15th day of January, 2014.

/s/ Jesse Gorsuch
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