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Via Electronic Filing

Oregon Public Utility Commission Attention: Filing Center PO Box 1088 Salem, OR 97308-1088

## Re: UM 1720 - Investigation into Long-Term Hedging Policy

Attention Filing Center:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket is Portland General Electric Company's **PETITION TO INTERVENE**.

Thank you in advance for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Douglas C. Tingey Associate General Counsel

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# BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON

#### **UM 1720**

In the Matter of

# PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON,

# PETITION TO INTERVENE OF PORTLAND GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY

Investigation into Long-Term Hedging Policy.

Portland General Electric Company ("PGE" or the "Company") petitions to intervene in

this proceeding pursuant to ORS 756.525 and OAR 860-001-0300. In support of this petition,

PGE provides the following.

a) The name and address of the Company is:

Portland General Electric Company 121 SW Salmon Street Portland, Oregon 97204

b) The names and addresses of the persons to be included on the official service list

in this proceeding are:

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c) PGE is a public utility subject to the jurisdiction of the Oregon Public Utility Commission ("Commission"). PGE purchases a significant amount of natural gas to fuel some of its generating plants. Actions taken and decisions made in this docket regarding potential strategies, costs, and risks of acquiring and managing long-term natural gas supplies may directly affect PGE.

d) PGE intends to monitor the proceeding and, if necessary, raise issues that are appropriate to the proceeding. No other party could adequately represent the interests of PGE.

e) PGE's participation in this docket will not unreasonably broaden the issues, burden the record, or unreasonably delay this proceeding.

Accordingly, PGE's petition to intervene should be granted.

DATED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of April, 2015.

Respectfully submitted,

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