ISSUED: September 10, 2012

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

OF OREGON

UM 1623

In the Matter of

RULING

PORTLAND GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY,

Application for Deferral Accounting of Excess Pension Costs and Carrying Costs on Cash Contributions.

DISPOSITION: PETITION TO INTERVENE GRANTED

On August 28, 2012, the Industrial Customers of Northwest Utilities filed a petition to intervene in this docket. Upon review of the petition, I find that ICNU has sufficient interest in the proceeding to participate and their appearance and participation will not unreasonably broaden the issues, burden the record, or unreasonably delay the proceeding. See OAR 860-001-0300. The petition to intervene is granted.¹

Dated this 10th day of September, 2012, at Salem, Oregon.

Michael Grant

Chief Administrative Law Judge

¹ OAR 860-001-0300(6).