BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

OF OREGON

UE 250

| In the Matter of |)) REQUEST FOR PAYMENT OF) THE CITIZENS' UTILITY BOARD |
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| PORTLAND GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY |) OF OREGON |
| Annual Power Cost Update Tariff for 2013 |)))) |

Pursuant to Section 7.3 of the Intervenor Funding Agreement (Agreement), which was adopted in Order No. 07-564, the Citizens' Utility Board submits this final request for payment of \$2,589 of eligible expenses in docket UE 250 from the Portland General Electric (PGE) Issues Fund. CUB is automatically precertified under Section 5.2 of the Agreement.

On May 29, 2012, CUB submitted a proposed budget of \$14,009. On June 6, 2012, in Order No. 12-211, the Commission approved CUB's budget.

Under Section 7.3 of the Agreement, each Issue Fund Grant Request for Payment must:

- (a) Itemize the expenses, payees and hourly rates for amounts to be reimbursed;
- (b) Demonstrate that the expenses are reasonable and are directly attributable to issues and positions pursued on behalf of a particular customer class and consistent with the intervenor's proposed budget;
- (c) Provide information sufficient to show that the intervenor has complied with any condition or requirement of the Issue Fund Grant, including, but not limited to, documentation sufficient to show that the intervenor has satisfied the matching fund requirement (i) set forth in Section 6.5 above or (ii) as the Commission may establish as a reasonable condition on Issue Fund Grants, whichever applies; and
- (d) Specify whether the request for payment is for a progress payment or final payment in full and indicate whether any approved budget amount may be released back to the applicable Issue Fund because the intervenor does not intend to request payment for the full approved budget amount.

- (a) Confidential Attachment A contains a summary of CUB's expenses in this case. Confidential Attachment B provides a list of CUB activities by date and Intervenor Funding Task Category, as well as CUB's mailing and travel expenses. Confidential Attachment C breaks out each CUB staff member's time by Intervenor Funding Task Category.
- (b) The expenses incurred are reasonable and directly attributable to the issues and positions CUB addressed in UE 250 on behalf of residential customers. In support of this assertion, we supply Confidential Attachments A, B, and C, which can be compared to CUB's Issue Fund Budget in this case.
- (c) That CUB has satisfied the matching fund requirement is demonstrated in Confidential Attachment A, the summary of CUB's expenses. CUB expenses after the match are \$2,589.
- (d) This is a final payment request. CUB requests that the balance of the funds be released and made available for other PGE dockets.

In this filing, CUB requests the final payment of our costs in UE 250 amounting to \$2,589. See Confidential Attachment A, CUB Expense Summary. The attached documents should allow the Commission to track the time spent on the elements of the case, and we believe that this filing meets the requirements of the Commission.

Respectfully submitted, December 11, 2012

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Bob Jenks

Executive Director

Citizens' Utility Board of Oregon

Enc. Confidential Attachments A, B, and C

cc. Randy Dahlgren, PGE

UE 250 – CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that, on this 11th day of December, 2012, I served the foregoing **REQUEST FOR PAYMENT OF THE CITIZENS' UTILITY BOARD OF OREGON** in docket UE 250 upon each party listed below, and upon the Commission by email and by sending one original and one copy by U.S. mail, postage prepaid, to the Commission's Salem offices.

(W denotes waiver of paper service)

(C denotes service of Confidential material authorized)

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