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PGE 2016 Summer Heat Pump Campaign
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Portland General Electric
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June 30, 2016

Public Utility Commission of Orégon Attn: Filing Center 201 High Street S.E. P.O. Box 1088 Salem, OR 97308-1088

Re: PGE 2016 Summer Heat Pump Campaign

This letter serves to advise you of Portland General Electric's (PGE) Summer Heat Pump Campaign that will run between August 1, 2016 and September 30, 2016 to support energy efficient ductless and ducted heat pumps. PGE believes this concession falls under the exclusion found in OAR 860-026-0015(3)(f), as well as that PGE is not providing any consideration to a person to induce that person to use electricity or to install a heat pump, as specified under the rule.

PGE provides the following description of the campaign surrounding this activity in case there are questions about the applicability of the exclusion.

## Description of Summer Heat Pump Campaign

On August 1, 2016, PGE will launch a Summer Heat Pump Campaign with outreach to homeowners of electrically heated homes within PGE's service territory about high efficiency ductless and ducted heat pumps for heating and cooling solutions.

## **Ductless**

Campaign incentives, discounts and tax credit offers include a \$200 instant discount, courtesy of a PGE-approved Mitsubishi contractor, up to \$800 Energy Trust of Oregon (ETO) cash incentives<sup>1</sup>, and some installations qualifying for Oregon energy tax credits<sup>11</sup>. In addition, Mitsubishi and a PGE-approved Mitsubishi contractor is offering a free indoor unit on qualifying systems purchased between August 1, 2016 and September 30, 2016.

## <u>Ducted</u>

Campaign incentives, discounts and tax credit offers include a \$200 instant discount, courtesy of a PGE-approved Trane contractor, up to \$700 ETO cash incentives<sup>i</sup>, and some installations qualifying for Oregon energy tax credits<sup>ii</sup>. This heat pump offer is available on systems purchased by September 30, 2016. In addition, Trane/Distributor and PGE-approved Trane contractors are offering an instant \$600 (Trane XV18i) up to \$1,000 (XV20i) on systems purchased between August 1, 2016 and September 30, 2016.

PGE estimates the cost in conducting this Summer Heat Pump Campaign is \$14,314, paid for by SB838 funds.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (503) 464-8718 or Mary Widman at (503) 464-8223.

Please direct all formal correspondence and requests regarding this notice to the following email address: pge.opuc.filings@pgn.com.

Sincerely,

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PGE Rates & Regulatory Affairs

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i System must replace electric resistance heat (baseboards, ceiling and wall heat or electric forced-air furnaces) as the primary heat source. Ask Energy Trust about other requirements. Get details at **EnergyTrust.org** or call **866-368-7878**.

ii Consult your PGE-approved contractor for details as well as a tax advisor. Federal tax credit may be less if you made energy-efficiency improvements in past years.