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REPORT NAME: PGE Annual Power Cost Variance Deferral RE-4 (16)

COMPANY NAME: Portland General Electric

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Re: UM 1294 PGE - Annual Power Cost Variance Deferral

Ms. Williams:

Staff requested that PGE continue to provide a monthly power cost report containing PGE's net variable power costs by specific accounts as well as PGE's power supply summary reports. This report is confidential and subject to Protective Order No. 07-088. Please note there is a new account, *REC Retirement Expense (5550021)*, in the power cost report that captures the annual Renewable Energy Credits (REC) retirement expense required to meet Renewable Portfolio Standard (RPS) compliance.

Attachment 1 contains two hard copies. One is actual power cost by account and the other is actual MWhs by resource. Both provide monthly data for January through December, 2012.

Attachment 2 is an Excel spreadsheet that contains the same requested information as in Attachment 1, but in electronic format. Both attachments are confidential and subject to the Modified Protective Order No. 07-088 in Docket UM 1294. They are provided under separate cover.

Should you have any questions or require further information, please call me at 503-464-7580.

Sincerely,

Patrick G. Hager / Manager, Regulatory Affairs

PGH/jlt encl. cc: John Crider, OPUC

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Attachment 1

Confidential and Subject to Protective Order No. 07-088

Monthly Power Cost Report January - December 2012

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Attachment 2

Confidential and Subject to Protective Order No. 07-088

Provided Electronically (CD)

Monthly Power Cost Report January - December 2012