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Public Utility Commission of Oregon
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RE: UE 250 CUB's OPENING COMMENTS

Dear Filing Center:

The Citizens' Utility Board of Oregon ("CUB") appreciates the opportunity to provide Opening Comments regarding Portland General Electric Company's ("PGE's") 2013 Annual Power Cost Update Tariff – Docket UE 250.

CUB reviewed PGE's initial filing as well as PGE's confidential exhibits and work papers. CUB also participated in the prehearing conference on April 30, 2012.

At this time, CUB has no specific comments to file with the Commission. CUB will, however, continue to participate in this UE 250 docket, will review the Opening Comments filed by other parties and may avail itself of the right to file Closing Comments at a later date.

Sincerely,

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UE 250 – CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that, on this 6th day of July, 2012, I served the foregoing CUB's **OPENING COMMENTS** in docket UE 250 upon each party listed in the UE 250 PUC Service List by email and, where paper service is not waived, by U.S. mail, postage prepaid, and upon the Commission by email and by sending one original and five copies by U.S. mail, postage prepaid, to the Commission's Salem offices.

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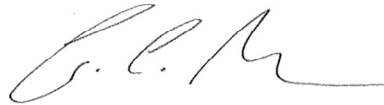
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