

**PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON
STAFF REPORT
PUBLIC MEETING DATE: May 7, 2003**

REGULAR _____ CONSENT X EFFECTIVE DATE May 29, 2003

DATE: April 23, 2003

TO: John Savage through Lee Sparling and Jack Breen III

FROM: Bill McNamee

SUBJECT: PORTLAND GENERAL ELECTRIC: (Advice No. 03-3) Expands options available to area lighting customers and makes minor housekeeping changes.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

I recommend that the Commission allow Portland General Electric Company's Advice No. 03-3 to go into effect on May 29, 2003.

DISCUSSION:

Portland General Electric Company (PGE) filed Advice No. 03-3 with the OPUC on March 10, 2003, under ORS 757.205. On March 21, 2003, PGE amended its filing to correct an administrative error in Sheet No. 15-3.

On April 18, 2003, in response to the rescheduling of the May 6, 2003, public meeting, PGE requested that the effective date of Advice No. 03-3 be changed from May 7, 2003, to May 29, 2003. The Company stated that the new effective date will better accommodate its streetlighting billing cycles.

This filing proposes to offer additional lamp and pole type options to Outdoor Area Lighting Consumers (*Schedules 15 and 515*). The filing also makes some housekeeping changes to PGE's Area Lighting and Street and Highway Lighting tariffs (*Schedules 15, 91, 515, and 591*).

The housekeeping changes include modifying pole descriptions to list pole length rather than mounting height, which can vary depending on site characteristics. In addition, some prices are reduced due to small adjustments in the expected kWh usage amounts.

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PROPOSED COMMISSION MOTION:

Portland General Electric Advice No. 03-3 be allowed to go into effect on May 29, 2003.

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