HOUSING COST IMPACT STATEMENT

FOR ESTIMATING THE EFFECT OF A PROPOSED RULE OR ORDINANCE ON THE COST OF DEVELOPING A *TYPICAL 1,200 SQ FT DETACHED SINGLE FAMILY DWELLING ON A 6,000 SQ FT PARCEL OF LAND. (ORS 183.534)

FOR ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

AGENCY NAME: Oregon Department of Energy
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PERMANENT: ☒ HEARING DATE: 11/2/16
TEMPORARY: ☐ EFFECTIVE DATE: Upon filing

BELOW PLEASE PROVIDE A DESCRIPTION OF THE ESTIMATED SAVINGS OR ADDITIONAL COSTS THAT WILL RESULT FROM THIS PROPOSED CHANGE.
PROVIDE A BRIEF EXPLANATION OF HOW THE COST OR SAVINGS ESTIMATE WAS DETERMINED.
IDENTIFY HOW CHANGE IMPACTS COSTS IN CATEGORIES SPECIFIED

Description of proposed change: (Please attach any draft or permanent rule or ordinance) Establishes process to issue renewable energy certificates for thermal energy from biomass-based electricity generation

Description of the need for, and objectives of the rule: The primary purpose of these proposed rules is to implement Senate Bill 1547 (2016), Oregon Laws 2016 chapter 28, which requires the Oregon Department of Energy to establish a system for issuing renewable energy certificates for facilities generating electricity using biomass that also generate thermal energy for a secondary purpose. The proposed rules add definitions related to thermal renewable energy certificates; specify eligible facilities and qualifying thermal energy; and provide requirements for metering, monitoring and reporting of qualifying thermal energy.


Materials and labor costs increase or savings: The department believes that there will be no impact based on these rules.

Estimated administrative construction or other costs increase or savings: The department believes that there will be no impact based on these rules.

Land costs increase or savings: The department believes that there will be no impact based on these rules.

Other costs increase or savings: The department believes that there will be no impact based on these rules.

*Typical-Single story 3 bedrooms, 1 ½ bathrooms, attached garage (calculated separately) on land with good soil conditions with no unusual geological hazards.

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