August 11, 2021

James A. Ajello Chief Financial Officer Portland General Electric Company 121 SW Salmon Street Portland, Oregon 97204

Re: Portland General

Electric Company

Form 10-K for

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2020

File No.

001-05532-99

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Dear Mr. Ajello:

 $\label{eq:weak-decomposition} \mbox{We have reviewed your filing and have the following comments. In some of our }$ 

comments, we may ask you to provide us with information so we may better understand your  $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) \left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right) \left( 1\right) \left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right) \left( 1$ 

disclosure.

 $\hbox{ Please respond to these comments within ten business days by providing the requested } \\$ 

information or advise us as soon as possible when you will respond. If you do not believe our

comments apply to your facts and circumstances, please tell us why in your response.

After reviewing your response to these comments, we may have additional comments.

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Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

Results of Operations, page 46

1. We note you present a non-GAAP measure titled Gross margin that is calculated as Total revenues less Purchased power and fuel. It appears that the title of this measure should be revised to differentiate it from the similarly titled GAAP measure. Refer to Item 10(e)(1)(ii)(E) of Regulation S-K.

Additionally, note that the reconciliation of this non-GAAP measure should be to GAAP gross margin as Item 10(e)(i)(B) of Regulation S-K requires reconciliation to the most directly comparable GAAP measure (i.e., a fully burdened gross margin that includes depreciation and amortization and any other relevant cost of revenue items).

James A. Ajello Portland General Electric Company August 11, 2021

We remind you that the company and its management are responsible for the accuracy and adequacy of their disclosures, notwithstanding any review, comments, action or absence of action by the staff.

You may contact Jennifer O'Brien, Staff Accountant, at 202-551-3721 or Ethan Horowitz, Accounting Branch Chief, at 202-551-3311 if you have any questions.

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