FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Nicholson William O | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PORTLAND GENERAL ELECTRIC CO /OR/ [POR] | | | | | | | | | Check | all app | olicable) ctor | | o Issuer 6 Owner er (specify |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 121 SW SALMON STREET | | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/03/2015 | | | | | | | | | X Officer (give title below) Other below Sr. Vice President | | | | |
| (Street) PORTLAND OR 97204 (City) (State) (Zip) | | | | 4. If | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | Indiv ne) X | vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | |
| Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da | | | | | | Execution Date | | | Transaction Code (Instr. 5 | | Disposed | 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5) | | | and Secur Benef | | icially d Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | of Indirect Beneficial Ownership |
| | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | () | A) or D) | Price | Trans | | action(s) 3 and 4) | | (Instr. 4) | |
| Common Stock 11/03/2 | | | | | | 2015 | | | S | | 5,700 | | D | \$36 | 36.69 | | 2,398 | D | |
| Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| erivative Conversion Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da | Date, Transactio | | Instr. | of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) o Disp of (D | r osed) r. 3, 4 | Expiration (Month/I | Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Exercisable Date | | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares | | | ice of vative rity r. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | Ownersh Form: Direct (D or Indirec (I) (Instr. | Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4) | |

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

Karen J. Lewis

11/03/2015

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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