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(City)

Common

Stock

(State)

07/15/2009

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * PIRO JAMES J			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PORTLAND GENERAL	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			ELECTRIC CO /OR/ [POR]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	_X_ Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)		
121 SW SALMON STREET			07/15/2009	CEO, President		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)		
PORTLAND,	OR 97204			_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	Table Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficiall	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	07/15/2009		M	14	A	<u>(3)</u>	8,269	D	

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day	ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8. Price Derivat Security (Instr. 5
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Dividend Equivalent Right	<u>(1)</u>	07/15/2009		A	14 (2)	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	14	<u>(T)</u>
Dividend Equivalent Right	(1)	07/15/2009		M	14 (3)	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	14	(1)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
.r. g	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
PIRO JAMES J 121 SW SALMON STREET PORTLAND, OR 97204	X		CEO, President					

Signatures

Karen J. Lewis Power of Attorney on behalf of Reporting
Person 07/17/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Dividend equivalent rights (DER) accrue on restricted stock units (RSU) and become exercisable proportionately with the vesting of the RSU. Each DER is equivalent to one share of common stock of the issuer.
- (2) Reflects the acquisition of DERs with respect to unvested RSUs in connection with a dividend paid on July 15, 2009.
- (3) Reflects the settlement of DERs for common stock.
- (4) Represents shares withheld for payment of tax liability in connection with vesting of DERS.

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