

PORTLAND GENERAL ELECTRIC CO /OR/

Form 4

July 17, 2007

**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
NICHOLS DOUGLAS RUSSELL

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
PORTLAND GENERAL  
ELECTRIC CO /OR/ [POR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
121 SW SALMON STREET  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
07/13/2007

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title \_\_\_\_ Other (specify  
below) below)  
VP, General Counsel

PORTLAND, OR 97204

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired<br>(A) or Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| Common<br>Stock                       | 07/13/2007                              |                                                             | M                                    | 23 A (2)                                                                | 2,787                                                                                                              | D                                                                    |                                         |
| Common<br>Stock                       | 07/13/2007                              |                                                             | F                                    | 334 (4) D \$ 28.1                                                       | 2,453                                                                                                              | D                                                                    |                                         |
| Common<br>Stock                       | 07/16/2007                              |                                                             | M                                    | 8 A (2)                                                                 | 2,461                                                                                                              | D                                                                    |                                         |
| Common<br>Stock                       | 07/16/2007                              |                                                             | F                                    | 2 (5) D \$ 27.84                                                        | 2,459                                                                                                              | D                                                                    |                                         |

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) |            | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |                 | 8. Price or Value of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) |                            |            |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|------------|
|                                            |                                                        |                                      |                                                    | Code                           | V                                                                                       | (A)                                                      | (D)        | Date Exercisable                                              | Expiration Date | Title                                               | Amount or Number of Shares |            |
| Dividend Equivalent Right                  | <u>(1)</u>                                             | 07/13/2007                           |                                                    | M                              |                                                                                         | <u>23</u>                                                | <u>(2)</u> | <u>(1)</u>                                                    | <u>(1)</u>      | Common Stock                                        | 23                         | <u>(1)</u> |
| Dividend Equivalent Right                  | <u>(1)</u>                                             | 07/16/2007                           |                                                    | A                              |                                                                                         | <u>23</u>                                                | <u>(3)</u> | <u>(1)</u>                                                    | <u>(1)</u>      | Common Stock                                        | 23                         | \$ 0       |
| Dividend Equivalent Right                  | <u>(1)</u>                                             | 07/16/2007                           |                                                    | M                              |                                                                                         | <u>8</u>                                                 | <u>(2)</u> | <u>(1)</u>                                                    | <u>(1)</u>      | Common Stock                                        | 8                          | <u>(1)</u> |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                        | Relationships                    |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
|                                                                       | Director 10% Owner Officer Other |
| NICHOLS DOUGLAS RUSSELL<br>121 SW SALMON STREET<br>PORTLAND, OR 97204 | VP, General Counsel              |

## Signatures

Karen J. Lewis Power of Attorney on behalf of Reporting Person

07/17/2007

                    \*\*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 (DERs) accrue on Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) and vest proportionately in conjunction with the vesting of the underlying RSUs.
- (2) Reflects the settlement of DERs for common stock.
- (3) Reflects the acquisition of DERs with respect to unvested RSUs in connection with a dividend paid on July 16, 2007.
- (4) Represents shares withheld for payment of tax liability in connection with vesting of RSUs and settlement of DERs.
- (5) Represents shares withheld for payment of tax liability in connection with vesting of DERS.

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