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David W. Danner, Executive Director and Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission 1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. SW P. O. Box 47250 Olympia, Washington 98504-7250

RE: *Puget Sound Energy 2011 General Rate Case* Dockets UE-111048 and UG-111049 (Consolidated)

Dear Mr. Danner:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket are the original and eighteen (18) copies of Commission Staff's Response to PSE's Objection to Bench Request, and Attachment, and Certificate of Service.

Sincerely,

ROBERT D. CEDARBAUM Assistant Attorney General

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