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Mr. David Danner, Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
P.O. Box 47250
Olympia, Washington 98504-7250

Re: Docket No. UE-110399
Advice No. 2011-04 – Electric Tariff Filing

Dear Mr. Danner:

On March 1, 2011 Puget Sound Energy (the “Company”) filed with the Commission proposed changes to Schedule 120, Electricity Conservation Service Rider, affecting all of the Company’s customers. Of the Company’s 1,082,401 electric customers only 4,036 customers will see an increase in rates while the remaining 1,078,365 customers will see a decrease or no change. Pursuant to WAC 480-100-198, Notice Verification and Assistance, the Company is providing this statement that it has posted the above-referenced filing in accordance with WAC 480-100-193(1), Posting of Tariffs for Public Inspection and Review; Web, Telephone, and Mail Access.

The Company also states that notice to the public of the filing referenced above was completed in accordance with WAC 480-90-194(2), Publication of Proposed Tariff Changes to Increase Charges or Restrict Access to Services; Published Notice. The attached notice was published in area newspapers on or March 31, 2011. In addition, the Company distributed copies of the paid advertisement to community agencies and organizations in the area and provided the news editors of newspapers and television and radio stations with information regarding the filing. The Company also posted the notice on its web site.

Please contact Lynn Logen at (425) 462-3872 for additional information. If you have any other questions please contact me at (425) 462-3495.

Very truly yours,

for Lynn F. Logen, Tariff Consultant
Tom DeBoer
Director, Federal & State Regulatory Affairs

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NOTICE OF REQUEST TO CHANGE CONSERVATION RATES FOR PUGET SOUND ENERGY CUSTOMERS

Puget Sound Energy on March 1, 2011 filed a request with the state Utilities and Transportation Commission to adjust electric and natural gas rates to recover the costs of investments made in energy efficiency programs that are made available to customers. The requested adjustment to the Natural Gas Conservation Program Charge, listed on PSE bills and originally proposed to become effective on April 1, 2011, would increase natural gas rates by an overall average of 0.5 percent (one-half of 1 percent). The UTC has requested adjustments for both the Natural Gas Conservation Program Charge and the Electric Conservation Program Charge be reviewed concurrently so that both adjustments can be expected to go in effect May 1, 2011.

The requested adjustment to the Electric Conservation Program Charge will decrease the cost for electric service an overall average of 0.088 percent (88 one-thousandths of 1 percent). An electric residential customer who uses an average of 1,000 kWh per month will see a reduction of 29 cents per month, bringing the total monthly Electric Conservation Program Charge to \$4.34. The overall average change for electric customers is as follows:

Schedules/Type of Service	Percent Increase (Decrease)
Schedule 7, Residential	(0.266)
Schedule 24, Business General Service, 50 kW or less.....	(0.114)
Schedule 25, Business General Service, 50 kW to 350 kW.....	(0.166)
Schedule 26, Business General Service, more than 350 kW	(0.155)
Schedule 29, Seasonal Irrigation & Drainage Pumping Service.....	0.097
Schedule 31, Business, General Service	(0.488)
Schedule 35, Primary Voltage Irrigation	(0.234)
Schedule 40, Large General Service Greater than 3 aMW	4.660
Schedule 43, Schools, Interruptible	(0.034)
Schedule 46, High Voltage Interruptible Service	2.962
Schedule 49, High Voltage General Service	3.565
Schedules 50-59, Outdoor Lighting Service	0.050
Schedules 449, 459, Wheeling Service	0.000

PSE requested this change through the existing Electric Conservation Service Rider mechanism previously approved by the UTC and as a result of changes agreed to in Docket No. UE-100177. The mechanism allows PSE to periodically adjust its electric rates to reflect changes in investments in energy efficiency for customers made by the company.

The UTC has the authority to set final rates that may vary from PSE's request, either higher or lower or structured differently depending on the results of its review.

Comments or questions on proposal: PSE customers may submit comments to the UTC about this proposal by using the online comment form at www.utc.wa.gov/comment; emailing to comments@utc.wa.gov; faxing to 360-664-4291; or mailing your comments to the UTC at: P.O. Box 47250, Olympia, WA, 98504. If you write, include your name and mailing address, the name of the company (PSE), and Docket No. UE-110399. You may also ask questions of the UTC and request that the UTC notify you of the open meeting at which these proposals will be considered by the three-member Commission. The public, including residential and small business customers, is represented by the Public Counsel Section of the Washington State Attorney General's office. You can reach the Public Counsel Section by writing to Public Counsel, Assistant Attorney General, 800 5th Avenue, Suite 2000, Seattle, WA 98104-3188, or by e-mail at utility@atg.wa.gov.

If you have questions or comments for PSE about this proposal, you may submit those questions or comments by mailing, e-mailing or calling PSE at: Puget Sound Energy, ATTN: Customer Service, P.O. Box 90868, Bellevue, WA 98009-0868, by e-mail at customer@pse.com or by telephone at 1-888-225-5773. Additional information about the filing is available at www.pse.com.

