WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION STAFF RESPONSE TO BENCH REQUEST

DATE PREPARED: November 21, 2006 WITNESS: James M. Russell

DOCKET: UE-060266 & UG-060267 RESPONDER: Staff

REQUESTER: Bench

BENCH REQUEST NO 12:

Please provide a copy of Exhibit No. 247 highlighting and identifying in a manner consistent with your briefs (PSE Reply Brief at Appendix A; Staff Initial Brief at ¶45) the line items that show each of the infrastructure investments you list for inclusion in rate base as an out-of-test-period adjustment.

RESPONSE:

Please see the attachment, which reproduces Exhibit No. 247 and separately color-codes all projects referenced in Staff's Initial Brief at ¶45 and PSE's Reply Brief at Appendix A. A summary sheet not originally included in Exhibit No. 247 is also provided.

Please note that this response is not filed jointly with the Company, although the Company has reviewed the response and agrees that it is complete and accurate.