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Steven V. King
Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
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Re: Report on Puget Sound Energy's Notice to Customers on General Rate Case and Proposed Rate Changes,
Wash. Utils. & Transp. Comm'n v. Puget Sound Energy, Dockets UE-170033 and UG-170034 (*Consolidated*)

Dear Mr. King:

In accordance with the Procedural Schedule in the combined Dockets UE-170033 and UG-170034, the Public Counsel Unit submitted a report on the status of Puget Sound Energy's ("the Company") Customer Notice regarding the General Rate Case filing on April 12, 2017. In that report, Public Counsel indicated that the Company circulated a first draft of their Customer Notice and Parties were in the process of providing feedback. Furthermore, Public Counsel indicated that we would file a second Customer Notice Report by April 28, 2017. As such, Public Counsel respectfully submits a second Customer Notice Report to the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission.

Public Counsel and Staff provided initial feedback on the Company's first Customer Notice draft and a second draft was produced and distributed on April 25, 2017. Staff and Public Counsel have since submitted additional feedback on the second draft with the aim of providing additional clarity and details to help customers understand the General Rate Case and the impact it could have on their electric and natural gas rates. The Parties anticipate that the Company will respond with another draft of the Customer Notice no later than May 3, 2017.

In consultation with Julie Waltari, Puget Sound Energy, and Staff, Public Counsel agrees that the Customer Notice will be finalized by May 12, 2017. Public Counsel will continue working with Staff and the Company to produce a Customer Notice that is mutually satisfactory and provides customers with critical information. This timeline also allows the Company sufficient time to



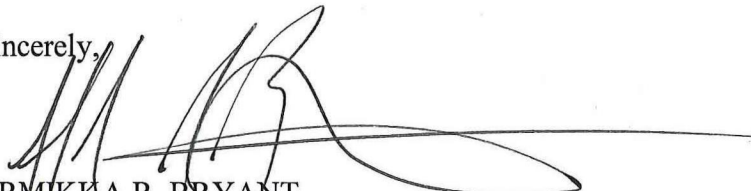
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produce and disseminate the Customer Notice at least 30 days before the first Public Comment Hearing, scheduled for July 31, 2017.

Public Counsel will provide a third Customer Notice Report no later than May 12, 2017.

Sincerely,



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