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Mr. Steven V. King,
Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
P.O. Box 47250
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RE: 2017 Qualifying Storm Events

Dear Mr. King:

Pursuant to the Paragraph 246 of Final Order No. 6, Dockets UE-040641 and UG-040640 et al.¹, for the purpose of the Catastrophic Storm Loss Deferral Mechanism, Puget Sound Energy ("PSE") hereby provides notification that another qualifying storm event occurred on May 4, 2017, which marked the third event for 2017.

The severe thunderstorm started on May 4th has resulted in restoration costs to be accrued toward the \$8 million deferral treatment threshold for the 2017 storm damage accounting. PSE anticipates the restoration costs for this storm event will qualify as outlined in the above referenced proceeding.

If you have any questions regarding the information in this filing, please contact Mei Cass at (425) 462-3800. If you have any questions regarding this informational filing, please contact me at (425) 456-2110.

Sincerely,

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¹ As modified and continued in accordance with the Paragraph No. 10 of the Partial Settlement of Electric and Natural Gas Revenue Requirements in Final Order No. 12 of Dockets UE-072300 and UG-072301 (consolidated) and the Paragraph No. 299 of Order 08 in Dockets UE-111048 and UG-111049 (consolidated).