

**Exhibit SVK-2
Dockets UE-072300/
UG-072301/UG-080064
Witness: Steven V. King**

BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

**WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION,**

Complainant,

v.

PUGET SOUND ENERGY, INC.,

Respondent.

**DOCKET UE-072300
DOCKET UG-072301
(Consolidated)**

QUALIFICATIONS OF

STEVEN V. KING

**STAFF OF
WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

1 **Q. Please state your name and business address.**

2 A. My name is Steven V. King. My business address is The Richard Hemstad
3 Building, 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S.W., P.O. Box 47250, Olympia, WA
4 98504-7250.

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6 **Q. By whom are you employed and in what capacity?**

7 A. I am employed by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
8 (“Commission”) as the Director of the Safety and Consumer Protection Division.

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10 **Q. How long have you been employed by the Commission?**

11 A. I have been employed by the Commission for twenty-five years in several
12 positions: regulatory analyst assigned to work on energy issues, project manager
13 for implementing the Telecommunications Regulatory Flexibility Act of 1985,
14 operations manager for the Regulatory Services Division, director of Information
15 Resources Division, and my current position as director of the Safety and
16 Consumer Protection Division.

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18 **Q. Please describe your educational background.**

19 A. I hold a Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of Puget Sound in sociology
20 and a Masters degree in Public Policy and Administration from the University of
21 Washington.

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1 **Q. Please describe your current job duties at the Commission.**

2 A. As Director of the Safety and Consumer Protection Division, I oversee the
3 Commission's consumer protection program, including the Consumer Protection
4 and Communications and Compliance Investigations sections. In that regard, I was
5 part of the Staff team in these dockets that worked on service quality, and meter
6 and billing issues. I also oversee safety programs for the pipeline, railroad and
7 motor carrier sections of the Commission. The managers for each of these sections
8 report to me.

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10 **Q. Have you ever testified before the Commission in any proceeding?**

11 A. Yes. I appeared as a Staff witness in support of a proposed settlement of a formal
12 complaint related to violations of state and federal pipeline safety rules. *WUTC v.*
13 *Puget Sound Energy, Inc.*, Docket PG-060215. The Commission subsequently
14 approved the proposed settlement.

15 I have also appeared before the Commission on a number of occasions to
16 present Staff recommendations at open public meetings.

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