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Attn: Dave Lykken, Pipeline Safety Director

Subject: Bare Steel Replacement Program Semi-Annual Progress Report (Docket PG-030128)

Dear Mr. Lykken,

Pursuant to Docket No. PG-030128 and PG-030080, Puget Sound Energy (PSE) is required to submit progress reports pertaining to the Bare Steel Replacement Program. This letter provides progress through June 30, 2012.

PSE completed the retirement of 45,428 feet of bare steel main during the first 6 months of calendar year 2012. The attached table shows program targets and actual retired footage.

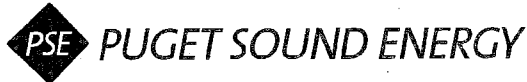
If you have any questions regarding this report, please contact me at (425) 462-3207.

Sincerely,

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Bare Steel Replacement Program Semi-Annual Report

Progress Status through June 30, 2012

Year	Plan Year	Replace Unprotected Bare - Target	Replace Protected Bare - Target	Target Totals	Running Target Totals	Actual Reported Program Footage	Non - Program Footage
2005	Year 1	46,995		46,995	46,995	48,078	0
2006*	Year 2	99,205		99,205	99,205	88,624	1,648
2007	Year 3	99,205		99,205	99,205	165,504	9,882
2008	Year 4	99,205		99,205	99,205	109,552	2,701
2009	Year 5	99,205		99,205	99,205	104,210	5,165
2010	Year 6	99,205		99,205	99,205	111,127	0
2011**	Year 7	99,205	38,280	137,485	120,000	98,580	188
2012	Year 8	99,205	38,280	137,485	140,000	43,540	1,888
2013	Year 9	99,205	38,280	137,485			
2014	Year 10	99,205	38,280	137,485			
Total Footage		939,840	153,120	1,092,960	803,020	769,215	21,472
Total Mileage		178	29	207	152.1	145.7	4.1

1. * Carry over of 10,581' of remaining target footage was completed by Feb 12, 2007.
2. 2/9/2008 reconciled WUTC reported footages for year 2005 & 2006 to match program tracking documents.
3. **Target footage amended per 12/01/2010 Letter of Understanding with WUTC.
4. Semi Annual Report, 2012 Actual Reported Program Footage Jan through June.
5. Prior to 2010, Non Program Retirement included protected Bare & unprotected Bare Replacements not originally identified in the program or being done prior to getting 'program' credit. Starting in 2010, Non Program Retirement footage will only be footage not originally identified in the program.