February 25, 2008

NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMENT HEARINGS (Set for Thursday, May 15, 2008, at 6:30 p.m. – Bellevue; Tuesday, May 20, 2008, at 6:30 p.m. – Bellingham; and Wednesday, June 4, 2008, at 6:30 p.m. – Olympia)

Re: In the Matter of the Joint Application of Puget Holdings LLC and Puget Sound Energy, Inc., For an Order Authorizing Proposed Transaction Docket U-072375

TO THE PARTIES:

On February 7, 2008, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) entered Order 03—Granting In Part, Motion to Adopt Public Hearing Schedule in the above proceeding. As noted in the Order, the Commission has determined that three public comment hearings in diverse locations in PSE's service territory will provide sufficient opportunities for members of the public to comment orally on the record of these proceedings. The Commission schedules public comments hearing sessions in Bellevue, Bellingham, and Olympia. The Commission will continue to accept written comments after the public comment hearings until the record in the proceeding is closed.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That a public hearing in this matter will be held on Thursday, May 15, 2008, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., in Room 130-B, Bellevue Community College, 3000 Landerholm Circle S.E., Bellevue, Washington. The Commission will begin taking comments from members of the public at 6:30 p.m., ending no later than 8:00 p.m.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN That another public hearing will be held on Tuesday, May 20, 2008, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., in the Auditorium of the Bellingham Senior Activity Center, Whatcom County Parks and Recreation Department, 315 Halleck Street, Bellingham, Washington. The Commission will begin taking comments from members of the public at 6:30 p.m., ending no later than 8:00 p.m. **DOCKET U-072375**

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NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN That a final public hearing will be in Olympia on Wednesday, June 4, 2008, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., in the Commission's Hearing Room, Second Floor, Richard Hemstad Building, 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S.W., Olympia, Washington. The Commission will begin taking comments from members of the public at 6:30 p.m., ending no later than 8:00 p.m.

Sincerely,

CAROLE J. WASHBURN Executive Secretary