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## Via Web Portal and Overnight Courier

Mr. Steven V. King, Acting Executive Director and Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission P.O. Box 47250
Olympia, Washington 98504-7250

Re:

Report of Weighted Average Cost of Propane Fuel Inventory

First Quarter - 2013

Dear Mr. King:

Pursuant to WN U-2 tariff for natural gas service of Puget Sound Energy, Inc. (the "Company" or "PSE") Supplemental Schedule No. 101 Gas Cost Rates, please find enclosed the Report of Weighted Average Cost of Propane Fuel Inventory for the three months ended March 2013.

The weighted average cost to the Company of propane fuel inventory at the end of the first quarter of 2013 was \$4.81783 per therm. The weighted average cost of propane charged to customers under the provisions of Schedule 101 during the same period was \$4.00641 per therm. The weighted average cost of propane charged to customers will remain at \$4.00641 which is the maximum cost per therm within the approved banded rate. The Company is considering what changes should be made.

Please contact Julie Waltari at julie.waltari@pse.com or (425) 456-2945 for additional information about this filing. If you have any other questions please contact me at (425) 462-3495.

Very truly yours,

Ken Johnson

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Enclosures

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