

August 26, 2005

NOTICE SUSPENDING SCHEDULE OF PROCEEDINGS
NOTICE OF HEARING ON SETTLEMENT
(Set for Wednesday, September 14, 2005, at 3:30 p.m.)

Re: WUTC v. Puget Sound Energy, Inc. (Emergency Adjudication)
Docket No. PG-041624

TO ALL PARTIES:

On August 25, 2005, the parties filed a settlement agreement and supporting narrative in this proceeding. The settlement agreement proposes a complete resolution to the complaint filed by the Commission against Puget Sound Energy, Inc., related to an explosion that occurred in the Spiritridge neighborhood of Bellevue, Washington on September 2, 2004. The parties also request that the current schedule of proceedings be suspended pending Commission review of the settlement.

NOTICE IS GIVEN That the schedule of proceedings in suspended and the Commission will convene a hearing to review the settlement agreement on Wednesday, September 14, 2005 at 3:30 p.m. in Room 206 of the Commission's offices located in the Chandler Plaza Building, 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S.W., Olympia, Washington. Persons who cannot attend the hearing in person may participate via the Commission's teleconference bridge line at 360-664-3846. Persons desiring to participate via the bridge line must make advance reservations by calling Margret Kaech at 360-664-1140, no later than Noon on Tuesday, September 13, 2005.

Sincerely,

THEODORA M. MACE
Administrative Law Judge