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UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

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NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTION OF PRESIDING OFFICER

RE: Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. Puget Sound Energy, Docket UG-230393

TO ALL PARTIES:

On May 25, 2023, Puget Sound Energy (PSE or Company) filed with the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) revisions to its currently effective natural gas tariff WN U-2. PSE characterizes its filing as establishing a new tariff schedule, Schedule 141LNG – Liquefied Natural Gas Rate Adjustment, made pursuant to the Commission's final order in Dockets DE-220066 and UG-220067 (Final Order), PSE's last general rate case (2022 GRC). This new tariff schedule will allow PSE to recover the costs incurred with the development, construction, and operation of its Tacoma Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG) Facility.

On June 13, 2023, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) issued a Notice of Prehearing Conference in the above-referenced docket assigning this matter to Administrative Law Judge Samantha Doyle.

The Commission now reassigns this matter to Administrative Law Judge Michael Howard to act as the presiding officer.

Judge Howard can be contacted at (360) 664-1139 or michael.howard@utc.wa.gov.

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