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Re: *WUTC v. Puget Sound Energy (General Rate Case)*
Dockets UE-072300 and UG-072301

Dear Mr. Danner:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket are the original and 16 copies of Commission Staff's Response to Puget Sound Energy, Inc.'s Petition for Exclusion of January 2012 Storm Event from SQI-3 Performance Calculation, and Certificate of Service.

Sincerely,

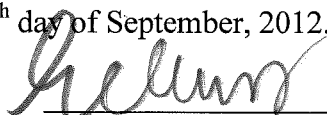
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Dockets UE-072300 and UG-072301
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served Commission Staff's Response to PSE's Petition for Exclusion of January 2012 Storm Event upon the persons and entities listed on the Service List below by depositing a copy of said document in the United States mail, addressed as shown on said Service List, with first class postage prepaid.

DATED at Olympia, Washington this 26th day of September, 2012.



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