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Carole J. Washburn
Office of the Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive SW
Olympia, WA 98504-7250

Re: Chapter 480-107 WAC Rulemaking—Docket No. UE-030423

Comments of Puget Sound Energy

Dear Ms. Washburn:

Puget Sound Energy, Inc. ("PSE") appreciates the opportunity to provide comments in response to the Supplemental Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (CR-102) issued by the Commission in this docket on January 23, 2006, for revisions to WAC Chapter 480-107 -- purchases of electricity from qualifying facilities and independent power producers and purchases of electrical savings from conservation suppliers.

PSE would like to take this opportunity to thank the Commission Staff and Commissioners for their work on this rulemaking, which has spanned three years and involved as many workshops. PSE is particularly appreciative of the interactive and collaborative nature of the process through which the proposed rules were developed. PSE believes the new rules balance the interests of the various stakeholders in Commission processes, and looks forward to working under these rules in future proceedings.

If you have any questions regarding these comments or if we can be of any additional assistance, please contact me at (425) 456-2797.

Very truly yours,

Karl R. Karzmar

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