

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION STAFF  
RESPONSE TO DATA REQUEST

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REQUESTER: Public Counsel

WITNESS: David Nightingale  
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**PC-7 Reference page 5 of Mr. Nightingale's cross-answering testimony.** Please provide any analysis performed by or reviewed by Mr. Nightingale which supports his testimony that Mint Farm will provide a cheaper source of energy than the referenced PPA proposal and explain why PSE's own economic studies forecasted that acquisition of the referenced PPA would result in significantly lower system production costs for PSE's customers in all scenarios evaluated if Mint Farm is a cheaper source of energy than the PPA.

**RESPONSE:**

Please see Mr. Nightingale's response to data request PC-2. Mr. Nightingale reviewed the analysis of Mr. Elsea, Mr. Mills, Mr. Odom, and Mr. Garratt and Public Counsel already has that information. No further analysis was performed or reviewed by Mr. Nightingale.