

EXHIBIT NO. _____ (CBY-2)
DOCKET NOS. UE-170033/UG-170034
2017 PSE GENERAL RATE CASE
WITNESS: CAMERON B. YOURKOWSKI

BEFORE THE WASHINGTON
UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION,

Complainant,

v.

PUGET SOUND ENERGY,

Respondent.

DOCKETS UE-170033 and UG-170034
(Consolidated)

EXHIBIT CBY-2 TO PREFILED RESPONSE TESTIMONY
(NON-CONFIDENTIAL) OF CAMERON B. YOURKOWSKI

ON BEHALF OF NW ENERGY COALITION:

PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS OF CAMERON B. YOURKOWSKI

JUNE 30, 2017

1 **Q Please state your name, employer, and business address.**

2 A My name is Cameron Yourkowski. I am employed by Renewable Northwest, located at
3 421 SW 6th Ave, Suite 975, Portland, OR 97204.

4 **Q In what capacity are you employed?**

5 A I am the Senior Policy Manager, and am involved primarily in analyzing transmission
6 and integration policy issues and advocating for management practices, policies, rates and rate
7 structures that encourage the responsible development of renewable energy resources on a non-
8 discriminatory basis.
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10 **Q Please state your educational background.**

11 A I received a B.A. in Economics and a B.A. in Political Science from the University of
12 Montana in 2002, and I completed all required course work toward an M.S. in Economics at
13 Portland State University in 2007.

14 **Q Please summarize your professional experience.**

15 A I have worked at Renewable Northwest (formerly “Renewable Northwest Project”) since
16 2007. While at Renewable Northwest, I have represented the renewable energy industry on
17 transmission issues before the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (“FERC”) and several
18 state commissions, departments, and legislatures. I have also been actively involved in the
19 Bonneville Power Administration’s (“BPA”) previous rate cases and related forums on
20 renewable energy integration issues.
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22 Prior to working at Renewable Northwest, I was employed at McCullough Research,
23 where I provided support and technical analysis for the expert witness in *Snohomish County*
24 *PUD v. Enron*. Prior to that, I was the Committee Aide to the Alaska State Legislature’s House
25 Special Committee on Fisheries.
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1 **Q Please state your experience as a witness in previous proceedings.**

2 A I served as a witness for the Northwest Wind Group in BPA's 2012 Wholesale Power and
3 Transmission Rate Adjustment Proceeding (BP-12). I served as a witness for Renewable
4 Northwest before the Oregon Public Utility Commission in connection with solar resource
5 valuation docket UM 1559. I also served as a witness before the State of Washington Energy
6 Facility Site Evaluation Council in its review of the Whistling Ridge Energy Project (Application
7 No. 2009-01). I served as a witness before the Idaho Public Utilities Commission in connection
8 with Idaho Power Company's first solar integration study (IPC-E-14-18). I was also a witness
9 for Renewable Northwest in BPA's FY 2014-15 Power and Transmission Rate Adjustment
10 Proceeding (BP-14), BPA's OS-14 proceeding related to oversupply rates, and BPA's FY 2016-
11 17 Power and Transmission Rate Adjustment Proceeding (BP-16). I am serving as a witness for
12 Renewable Northwest in BPA's ongoing FY 2018-19 Power and Transmission Rate Adjustment
13 Proceeding (BP-18).
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