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Mr. Mark L. Johnson, Executive Director and Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission P.O. Box 47250 Olympia, WA 98504-7250

**Re:** Docket UG-190218 (Advice No. 2019-10)

PSE's Natural Gas Tariff Filing – <u>Do Not Redocket</u>

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Puget Sound Energy ("PSE") submits in connection with Docket UG-190218 the following tariff sheet to replace the tariff sheet that accompanied PSE's March 29, 2019 filing which was submitted under PSE's Advice No. 2019-10. This filing includes the following portion of the Company's WN U-2 tariff for natural gas service.

Original Sheet No. 1106-B – Supplemental Schedule 106 – Deferred Account Adjustment

The purpose of this filing is to amend the methodology of PSE's original filing at the request of the Commission's staff. First, by removing deferrals for the months of September, October and February, and second, by shortening the amortization period for the remaining balance from two years to one year. Updated work papers reflecting these changes accompany the filing.

The revised impact of the Schedule 106 rate changes is an annual revenue increase of \$54.0 million, or 6.25 percent. The original filing proposed an annual revenue increase of \$58.7 million, or 6.8 percent. The typical residential customer on Schedule 23 using 64 therms per month would experience an increase of \$3.48 per month or 5.72 percent.

Please note that this work paper contains commercially sensitive information, disclosure of which could adversely affect PSE's ability to effectively negotiate favorable gas supply agreements and conduct wholesale trading for its customers. Therefore, PSE requests that it be accorded confidential treatment. It has been marked "Shaded information is designated as confidential per WAC 480-07-160" to protect confidential portions.

The tariff sheet described herein reflects the original issue date of March 29, 2019, and effective date of May 1, 2019. As required by WAC 480-90-193, PSE will post the proposed tariff sheet on the PSE web site coincident with the date of this transmittal letter

Questions regarding this filing can be directed to Julie Waltari at (425) 456-2945 or Elena Zakharova at (425) 462-3539. If you have any other questions, or if I can be of any assistance, please contact me at (425) 456-2142.

Sincerely,

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Attachments: Natural Gas Tariff Sheet (listed above)

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