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Ms. Amanda Maxwell, Executive Director and Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission 621 Woodland Square Loop SE Lacey, WA 98503 Received Records Management 2/3/2023 State of WASH. UTIL. AND TRANSP. COMMISSION

Re: Relating to the Commission's proceeding to develop a policy statement addressing alternatives to traditional cost of service rate making, Docket U-210590

Dear Ms. Maxwell:

Puget Sound Energy ("PSE") provides the following comments to the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission ("Commission") in response to the Notice of Opportunity to File Written Comments (Notice) issued in Docket U-210590 on January 5, 2023. The Notice requests comments regarding the proposed work plan for Phase 2A and other future phases of this proceeding.

PSE appreciates the opportunity to engage with the Commission and other interested parties in the discussions for Phase 1 of this proceeding regarding performance metrics. The Commission has yet to issue the relevant policy statement proving guidance on the matters covered in Phase 1, which may have implications for the Phase 2 work plan.

PSE has reviewed the overall work plan, including the plan for Phase 2A, and has previously provided comments on the work plan (U-210590 PSE Comments -11.29.2021). At this time we do not have any further comment. PSE may have additional comments once the Phase 1 Policy Statement is issued, or upon issuance of a more detailed timeline for Phase 2A.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide additional feedback on the work plan for this proceeding. PSE looks forward to continuing progress on performance-based regulatory

structures in Phase 2 of this docket. Please contact Wendy Gerlitz at (425) 462-3051 for additional information about these comments. If you have other questions contact me at (425) 456-2142.

Sincerely,

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