

**BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

**Docket Nos. UE-151871 UG-151872  
Puget Sound Energy's  
Electric and Natural Gas Equipment Lease Service**

**PUBLIC COUNSEL DATA REQUEST NO. 005**

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**RE: Testimony of Ahmad Faruqi, Exhibit No. AF-1T, p. 17, II. 7-9.**

The testimony states in part, "65 percent of Puget Sound Energy's population has credit worthiness that make them eligible for Lease Solutions." The reference for this statement is "PSE Analysis." Please provide a complete explanation regarding how this analysis was performed, and provide an explanation of any and all metrics or criteria used in the analysis to determine and identify those customers with credit worthiness that makes them eligible for the proposed Leasing program.

**Response:**

The "65 percent of Puget Sound Energy's ("PSE") population" represent those accounts, both residential and commercial, with an internal "good" credit worthiness designation, that have not received more than six delinquency notices within the last twelve months.

The reference in the Prefiled Testimony of Ahmad Faruqi, Exhibit AF-1T represents data extracted from PSE's existing Customer Information System detailing total contract account counts based on established internal credit worthiness ratings associated to customers' bill payment history with PSE.

Please find the data requested above attached as Attachment A to PSE's Response to Public Counsel Data Request No. 005.

Attachment A to PSE's Response to Public Counsel Data Request No. 005 is CONFIDENTIAL per Protective Order in WUTC Docket Nos. UE-151871 and UG-151872.

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