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## Via Web Portal and Overnight Mail

Mr. Steven V. King, Executive Director and Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission P.O. Box 47250 Olympia, WA 98504-7250

## RE: Docket No. UE-132043 Replacement Pages for 2014-2015 Biennial Conservation Report Attachment 2: Department of Commerce EIA Report

Dear Mr. King,

Enclosed are an original and three copies of Puget Sound Energy's ("PSE's") Attachment 2: *WA Department of Commerce EIA Workbook – Conservation Content*, of its 2014-2015 Biennial Conservation Report. Attachment 2 is a copy of the Department of Commerce's EIA form,<sup>1</sup> and is updated in this replacement filing to reflect PSE's overall portfolio target of 621,120 MWh, versus the originally-reported 485,770 MWh. The intention is to provide a higher degree of consistency with other Washington state utility reporting practices.

In its originally-filed report, PSE indicated that the "Target" value (cell G8 of the Microsoft® Excel<sup>™</sup> spreadsheet) of 485,770 MWh represented the Commission-approved EIA target, set in Order 01 of Docket No. UE-132043. The revised report's updated target amount of 621,120 MWh, represents the overall portfolio savings goal, without excluding programs or initiatives that did not comprise the Commission-approved EIA target of 485,770 MWh. PSE agrees with Commission Staff that this updated figure better represents the overall electric conservation achievement to which PSE's customers contributed, and that the revision provides a more direct comparison of actual portfolio achievement relative to the targets.

PSE also adopted Commission Staff-suggested language in the report's Notes section to provide updated discussions that more thoroughly discuss the creation of the different sets of targets, and the calculation of achieved savings relative to those targets.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Specifically, PSE's Energy Efficiency department provides the conservation-specific spreadsheet of Commerce's overall EIA reporting workbook. Energy Efficiency files this worksheet as a part of its Biennial Conservation Report separately from the overall workbook.

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The attached document (a copy of the Department of Commerce form and the accompanying title page) is intended to replace the existing Attachment 2 of PSE's 2014-2015 Biennial Conservation Report in its entirety.

Please contact Andy Hemstreet at 425-424-6918 or andrew.hemstreet@pse.com for additional information about this filing. If you have any other questions, please contact me at (425) 456-2110.

Sincerely,

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