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VIA E-MAIL & ABC LMI

David Danner
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Re:

Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. Puget Sound Energy

Docket Nos. UE-111048 and UG-111049 (consolidated)

Dear Mr. Danner:

Enclosed please find the Offer of Public Comment Exhibit No. B-6 on behalf of Public Counsel for filing in the above-entitled dockets, together with a CD attachment. The exhibit attachment consists of letters, e-mails, and other written materials submitted by the public to the Commission and to Public Counsel to provide comment on the above-captioned matters. Due to volume, the comments are provided on CD only. Enclosed please find two copies of the CD for filing.

Sincerely,

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BEFORE THE WASHINGTON STATE UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION,

Complainant,

v.

3.

PUGET SOUND ENERGY, INC.,

Respondent.

DOCKETS UE-111048 and UG-111049 (consolidated)

OFFER OF PUBLIC COMMENT EXHIBIT NO. B-6

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- 1. Public Counsel hereby offers this Public Comment Exhibit No. B-6 for admission into the record of the proceeding.
- 2. Public Comment Exhibit No. B-6. The exhibit consists of letters, e-mails, and other written materials submitted by the public to provide comment on the Puget Sound Energy general rate case. These letters and materials were submitted to the Commission and to the office of Public Counsel. Because of the large number of comments, they are submitted in electronic form on the attached disk.
 - A voluminous number of public comments were received by the Commission, many via e-mail and internet, for which there are no original hard copies to submit. Commission Consumer Protection and Communications Staff entered these comments into a database, which includes all comments received by the Commission. Text of the comments was either directly input into the database, or in the case of comments received via mail, the document was scanned into.pdf formatted files. The output from this database has been included in .pdf format on the enclosed

CD, and these three (3) files, along with two (2) files with scanned letters, provide all comments submitted to the Commission. The CD also contains one (1) file in .pdf format with comments received by Public Counsel.

4. The submitted material has been counted as follows:

a.	Comments received by WUTC	
	Opposing the rate increase	721
	Supporting the rate increase	3
	Undecided comments	39
b.	Comments received by Public Counsel	
	Opposing the rate increase	26
	Supporting the rate increase	0
	Undecided Comments	1

- Public Counsel submits a total of seven hundred ninety (790) public comments in the exhibit. Of these, seven hundred forty seven (747) oppose the requested rate increase and three (3) support the request. Forty (40) neither oppose nor support PSE's request.
- 6. DATED this 8th day of March, 2012.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE Docket No. UE-111048 and UG-111049

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the Offer of Public Comment Exhibit No. B-6 was sent to each of the parties of record shown below in sealed envelopes, via: E-Mail and U.S. Mail.

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