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Re: <u>Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. Puget Sound</u> Energy; Dockets UE-220066, UG-220067, UG-210918 (consolidated).

Dear Director Maxwell:

This letter is to inform the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission that The Energy Project (TEP) will not provide testimony regarding the *Settlement Stipulation and Agreement on Tacoma LNG* (Tacoma LNG Settlement) filed on August 26, 2022. As explained in the testimony of Brad Cebulko, Exh. BTC-7T at 1:20-22, "TEP opposes the *Settlement Stipulation and Agreement on Tacoma LNG* and will explain this position in its post-hearing brief."

This letter is also to advise that the statement found in paragraph 2 of the Tacoma LNG Settlement indicating that TEP does not oppose the Tacoma LNG Settlement was provided in error and is not an authorized representation of TEP's position in this case.

TEP believes that the *Settlement Stipulation and Agreement on Revenue Requirement and All Other Issues Except Tacoma LNG and PSE's Green Direct Program* (Revenue Requirement Settlement) filed on August 26, 2022 represents a reasonable compromise that resolves certain issues in these dockets in an administratively efficient manner. TEP further believes that the Revenue Requirement Settlement is a fair outcome that represents a reasonable compromise between stakeholders. As Mr. Cebulko states in Exh. BTC-7T, TEP believes the Revenue Requirement Settlement is lawful and consistent with the public interest, therefore the Commission should approve it in full. September 9, 2022 Page 2

Very truly yours,

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