

**BEFORE THE WASHINGTON
UTILITIES & TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION,

Complainant,

v.

PUGET SOUND ENERGY

Respondent.

DOCKET NOS. UE-190529 and UG-190530 (*Consolidated*)

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EXHIBIT CAC-7

Puget Sound Energy Response to WUTC Staff Data Request No. 94

November 22, 2019

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**Dockets UE-190529 & UG-190530
Puget Sound Energy
2019 General Rate Case**

WUTC STAFF DATA REQUEST NO. 094:

Re: Green Direct

Referencing the direct testimony of Mr. Einstein, Exh. WTE-1CT at 14:2-6, related to unanticipated delays of the Skookumchuck project, please provide updated milestone dates including: energization, test energy, and commercial operation. As part of this response, please include relevant documentation of communication related to these delays with the company's board of directors.

Response:

The bullets below outline the updated milestones as provided to Puget Sound Energy ("PSE") by the developer, as their best estimate for completion of each:

- All Turbine Deliveries Complete – 10/22/2019
- All Foundations Complete – 11/27/2019
- Project pre-Commissioning Complete – 1/3/2020
- Full Commissioning Complete; Ready for Grid – 1/9/2020
- Guaranteed Substation Completion – 1/25/2020
- Commercial Operation Date ("COD") Testing – 1/28/2020
- Guaranteed COD Conditions Completion – 1/26/2020
- Final Completion – 2/14/2020

With regards to relevant documentation of communication related to these delays with PSE's Board of Directors, PSE does not have any such documentation as a delay of 12 months did not require Board approval.