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NOTICE OF BENCH REQUESTS
(Due by Friday, July 21, at 5:00 p.m.)

RE: *Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. Puget Sound Energy*,
Dockets UE-170033 and UG-170034

The following bench requests are directed to the indicated parties.

BENCH REQUEST NO. 1:

A. To Public Counsel:

Please re-file Ralph C. Smith's exhibits, Exh. Nos. RCS-3 and RCS-4 along with electronic worksheets supporting all calculations contained therein to reflect the proposed adjustments starting from actual per-books amount. Please provide supporting workpapers in electronic spreadsheet format with all formulas and links intact. See WAC 480-07-510(3)(e).

B. Please identify each of Mr. Smith's adjustments using the descriptions and adjustment numbers included in Katherine J. Barnard's exhibits for electric, Exh. No. KJB-12 and Susan E. Free's exhibits for gas, Exh. No. SEF-10. For example, the adjustment for White River –Adjustment 14.11 (Supplemental). If you advocate adjustments not identified in either Ms. Barnard's or Ms. Free's exhibits, assign each a unique alpha-numeric identifier (e.g. PC-1).

C. The revenue requirement models provided in Exh. Nos. RCS-3 and RCS-4 appear to reflect the 2011 base rates as presented by Ms. Barnard and Ms. Free. However, Mr. Smith's exhibits exclude all schedules and ratemaking mechanisms the Commission established between 2011 and 2016 as presented by Mr. Jon A. Piliaris in Exh. No. JAP-19 (Direct) and JAP-44 (Supplemental) used to arrive at the Company's final revenue requirement on supplemental of an increase of approximately \$68.7 million for electric and a decrease of approximately \$22.3 million for gas. Please either include these adjustments in your final revenue requirement calculation or state and

explain your position contesting these adjustments (refer to Staff revenue requirement model in Exh. No. MCC-2 page 1 for an example).

BENCH REQUEST NO. 2:

To Puget Sound Energy:

- A. Please provide a summary of FERC Account 928 for 2009 as requested in Staff Data Request 382 and in the same format provided in Staff Exh. No. MCC-15.
- B. Please provide any supporting workpapers for Company Adjustment 13.12 – Rate Case Expenses (Electric) and 11.12 – Rate Case Expenses (Gas) in electronic spreadsheet format with all formulas and links intact.

BENCH REQUEST NO. 3:

To Staff:

- A. Please provide the following exhibits in their native format:
 - i. BAE-2
 - ii. BAE-3
 - iii. BAE-4 (Attachment A only)
 - iv. BAE-5 (Attachment A only)

Please respond to this Bench Request no later than **5:00 p.m. on Friday, July 21, 2017**, by electronic filing with the Commission's Records Center. Please provide courtesy copies by email to Administrative Law Judges Dennis Moss at dmoss@utc.wa.gov and Rayne Pearson at rpearson@utc.wa.gov. If you have any questions concerning these requests, please contact Judge Pearson at 360-664-1136 or via e-mail.

RAYNE PEARSON
Administrative Law Judge

cc: All Parties