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**NOTICE OF POTENTIAL EX PARTE COMMUNICATION
(Rebuttal statements due October 12, 2022)**

RE: *Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. Puget Sound Energy*,
Dockets UE-220066, UG-220067, and UG-210918 (*Consolidated*)

TO ALL PARTIES:

On January 31, 2022, Puget Sound Energy (PSE or Company) filed with the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) revisions to its currently effective Tariff WN U-60, Tariff G, Electric Service, and its currently effective Tariff WN U-2, Natural Gas. The Company characterizes this filing as a general rate case (GRC).

On September 28, 2022, the Coalition of Eastside Neighborhoods for Sensible Energy (CENSE) submitted a public comment in this proceeding.

On September 30, 2022, PSE filed a Motion to Strike CENSE's Comment. PSE argues that WAC 480-07-498(1) requires the Commission to receive public comment "submitted by nonparties" in connection with the proceeding. Because CENSE was granted party status, it should not be allowed to also file public comments.

On October 4, 2022, CENSE's representative of record, Norm Hansen, emailed the presiding administrative law judge. Hansen indicated, "Cense does not oppose the motion to strike the subject comment from the record." Pursuant to WAC 480-07-310(4), this email is attached to this Notice as potentially representing an ex parte communication.

THE COMMISSION GIVES NOTICE That pursuant to WAC 480-07-310(4), any party in this docket may file a written rebuttal statement concerning the matters raised by CENSE's email on October 4, 2022. Any such statement must be filed by October 12, 2022.

/s/ Michael Howard

MICHAEL HOWARD

Administrative Law Judge