



# PUGET SOUND ENERGY

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Mr. David Danner, Executive Director and Secretary  
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission  
P.O. Box 47250  
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**Re: Advice No. 2009-25  
Electric Tariff Filing - Filed Electronically**

Dear Mr. Danner:

Puget Sound Energy, Inc. (the "Company" or "PSE") hereby submits proposed revisions to its electric Schedule 80, General Rules and Provisions. This filing, pursuant to RCW 80.28.060 and Chapter 480-80 WAC, proposes revisions in the following electric tariff sheets.

WN U-60, Tariff G - (Electric Tariff):

Original Sheet No. 80-jj - General Rules and Provisions (Continued)

Original Sheet No. 80-kk - General Rules and Provisions (Continued)

The purpose of this filing is to provide information to customers installing generation for emergency service that will operate in parallel with the Company's system for one-half second or less and to provide standard conditions for such interconnections.

Paragraph 32 of Schedule 80 currently provides that "Customers with generation of no more than twenty megawatts (20 MW) for emergency service that will be Interconnected with the Company's electric system for one-half second or less can do so only upon notification to and following written approval by the Company." This new paragraph 33 describes the conditions under which such written approval will be granted. This revision contains provisions that are similar to those contained in interconnection agreements for customers under the Company's net metering program. The provisions added by this tariff revision are designed to protect the Company's electrical system and all customers connected to that system.

This filing does not impact customers with existing emergency generation that is properly maintained and meets current standards and codes or who install generation for emergency service that is not designed to operate in parallel with the Company's system. Nor does it impact customers that interconnect under the provisions of paragraph 32 of Schedule 80.

Due to the possible impacts or safety concerns that can be caused by an interconnected generator it is critical that the Company have the ability to disconnect an interconnected generator that negatively

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impacts or endangers customers, employees of the Company, members of the public or impacts the Company's electrical system. This tariff revision provides that the Company may disconnect generation in certain circumstances and that if the Customer has not provided a disconnect switch for the generation, disconnection may result in disconnection of electrical service without notice. This provision also provides that the customer waives the right to notice as provided in WAC 480-100-128. If the Commission determines that this tariff provision requires an exemption from the provisions of WAC 480-100-128, then the Company makes the request for such exemption as provided in WAC 480-100-008(2).

The tariff sheets described herein reflect issue dates of October 5, 2009, and effective dates of November 5, 2009. Posting of proposed tariff changes, as required by WAC 480-100-193, is being made by posting the proposed tariff sheets on the PSE web site immediately prior to or coincident with the date of this transmittal letter.

This tariff change does not increase recurring charges or restrict access to services. Therefore, notice of proposed tariff change, as required by law and the Commission's rules and regulations (including WAC 480-100-195(3)), is being given to the public immediately prior to, or coincident with, the date of this transmittal letter through web, telephone and mail access in accordance with WAC 480-100-193.

Please contact Lynn Logen at (425) 462-3872 for additional information about this filing. If you have any other questions please contact me at (425) 462-3495.

Very truly yours,



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