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Mr. David Danner, Executive Director and Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission P.O. Box 47250 Olympia, Washington 98504-7250

**RE:** Advice No. 2011-22

**Electric Tariff Filing – Filed Electronically** 

Dear Mr. Danner:

Pursuant to RCW 80.28.060 and Chapter 480-80 WAC, please find enclosed for filing the following proposed revisions to the WN U-60, Tariff G for electric service of Puget Sound Energy, Inc. (the "Company" or "PSE"):

WN U-60, Tariff G, Electric Service:

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39 <sup>th</sup> Revision	Sheet No. 2-a	Index To Rate Schedules (Continued)
10 <sup>th</sup> Revision	Sheet No. 2-b	Index To Rate Schedules (Continued)
14 <sup>th</sup> Revision	Sheet No. 83	Electricity Conservation Service
12 <sup>th</sup> Revision	Sheet No. 83-b	Electricity Conservation Service (Continued)
13 <sup>th</sup> Revision	Sheet No. 83-c	Electricity Conservation Service (Continued)
17 <sup>th</sup> Revision	Sheet No. 83-d	Electricity Conservation Service (Continued)
3 <sup>rd</sup> Revision	Sheet No. 83-e	Electricity Conservation Service (Continued)
2 <sup>nd</sup> Revision	Sheet No. 83-f	Electricity Conservation Service (Continued)
3 <sup>rd</sup> Revision	Sheet No. 83-g	Electricity Conservation Service (Continued)

Electricity Energy Efficiency Programs:

1 <sup>st</sup> Revision	Sheet No. 216	Incentive for Existing Electric Residential Conversion to Natural Gas
5 <sup>th</sup> Revision	Sheet No. 217	Multi-Family Existing Structure
2 <sup>nd</sup> Revision	Sheet No. 217-a	Multi-Family Existing Structure (Continued)
2 <sup>nd</sup> Revision	Sheet No. 218	Multi-Family New Construction
1 <sup>st</sup> Revision	Sheet No. 218-a	Multi-Family New Construction (Continued)
8 <sup>th</sup> Revision	Sheet No. 250	Commercial and Industrial Retrofit Program
6 <sup>th</sup> Revision	Sheet No. 250-a	Commercial and Industrial Retrofit Program (Continued)
6 <sup>th</sup> Revision	Sheet No. 250-b	Commercial and Industrial Retrofit Program (Continued)
6 <sup>th</sup> Revision	Sheet No. 251-a	Commercial and Industrial New Construction Efficiency
5 <sup>th</sup> Revision	Sheet No. 253	Resource Conservation Manager (RCM) Program
6 <sup>th</sup> Revision	Sheet No. 253-a	Resource Conservation Manager (RCM) Program (Continued)
7 <sup>th</sup> Revision	Sheet No. 255	Small Business Energy Efficiency Program
4 <sup>th</sup> Revision	Sheet No. 261	Energy Efficiency Technology Evaluation
4 <sup>th</sup> Revision	Sheet No. 262	Commercial and Industrial Incentive Program
Original	Sheet No. 271	Commercial/Industrial Electric Demand Response Program
Original	Sheet No. 271-a	Commercial/Industrial Electric Demand Response Program (Continued)
Original	Sheet No. 292	Company-Owned or Operated Production or Distribution Facilities
Original	Sheet No. 292-a	Company-Owned or Operated Production or Distribution Facilities (Cont.)

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The purpose of this filing and the contemporaneous natural gas filing is to provide for continuation and expansion of PSE's cost-effective, reliable and feasible natural gas and electric conservation programs. These programs and schedules are set to expire on December 31, 2011. This filing is necessary for the Company to continue acquisition of conservation resources and delivery of conservation services to its customers and to provide for certain changes and enhancements to program offerings.

The Company and the Conservation Resource Advisory Group (CRAG) have met regularly to share and discuss plans for energy efficiency programs, budgets and goals for 2012 through 2013. In developing these programs, the Company and the CRAG considered the energy efficiency resource potential identified in the Company's filed 2011 Integrated Resource Plan, as well as individual program cost effectiveness and market conditions. This collaborative process resulted in establishing a portfolio of cost-effective, reliable and feasible electric and natural gas conservation programs for 2012-2013. The electric programs are consistent with the biennial conservation target that the company will file before November 1, 2011, in compliance with WAC 480-109.

A broad array of initiatives serving residential and business customers are presented in this filing, including a new commercial/industrial demand response program (Schedule 271) to help expand load control programs. Another new program included in this filing is Schedule 292 which provides for pursuing conservation in the Company's production and distribution facilities in the state of Washington. There are also revisions to the attached Schedules which clarify terminology, clarify definitions of terms and ensure that effective dates and termination dates reflect the upcoming biennium.

In accordance with the Settlement Stipulation adopted by the Commission in Docket Nos. UE-011570, UG-011571, UE-011600 and UE-100177, CRAG members were provided both a complete set of this tariff filing two months (60) days) prior to the proposed effective date of this tariff filing and draft program tariffs by October 1, 2011; this has allowed the Company to interact with the CRAG with comments and questions.

The Company will submit a Biennial Conservation Plan that will include: targets, program details; budgets, savings details, cost-effectiveness estimates, marketing plans, customer incentives, program evaluation plan, and EM&V framework, under separate cover as a WAC required report.

This filing proposes that the date that electricity conservation programs expire be extended from December 31, 2011, to December 31, 2013. It should be noted that electric service rates are not affected by this filing, since the filing does not include any requested change in the Electricity Conservation Service Rider. That filing will be made on approximately March 1, 2012.

The tariff sheets described herein reflect an issue date of October 27, 2011, and an effective date of January 1, 2012. 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 in accordance with WAC 480-100-193(1).

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.

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Please contact Lynn Logen at (425) 462-3872 for general information about this filing or contact Andy Hemstreet at (425) 456-2633 for additional information about the programs included in this filing. Please contact Calvin E. Shirley at (425) 456-2426 for policy related questions about this filing. If you have any other questions please contact me at (425) 462-3495.

Very truly yours,

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**Enclosures** 

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