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November 29, 2012

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

Re: Advice No. 2012-38 Natural Gas 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-2, tariff for natural gas service of Puget Sound Energy, Inc. (the "Company" or "PSE"):

14 th Revision of Sheet No. 5	- Natural Gas Tariff Index (Continued)
3 rd Revision of Sheet No. 1183-E	- Natural Gas Conservation Service (Continued)
1 st Revision of Sheet No. 1183-G	- Natural Gas Conservation Service (Continued)
5 th Revision of Sheet No. 1201	- Natural Gas Energy Efficiency Program, Residential Low Income
11 th Revision of Sheet No. 1201-A	- Natural Gas Energy Efficiency Program, Residential Low Income (Continued)
Original Sheet No. 1250	- Natural Gas Energy Efficiency Program, Commercial/Industrial Retrofit Program
Original Sheet No. 1250-A	- Natural Gas Energy Efficiency Program, Commercial/Industrial Retrofit Program (Continued)
Original Sheet No. 1250-B	- Natural Gas Energy Efficiency Program, Commercial/Industrial Retrofit Program (Continued)
Original Sheet No. 1253	- Natural Gas Energy Efficiency Program, Resource Conservation Manager (RCM) Program
Original Sheet No. 1253-A	- Natural Gas Energy Efficiency Program, Resource Conservation Manager (RCM) Program (Continued)
Original Sheet No. 1253-B	- Natural Gas Energy Efficiency Program, Resource Conservation Manager (RCM) Program (Continued)

The purpose of this filing is to change the schedule number on three natural gas energy efficiency program schedules so that the program offerings and schedule number are consistent between natural gas and electric energy efficiency program schedule numbers. More specifically, Schedule 203 has been changed to Schedule 201 so that both natural gas and electricity Residential Low-Income programs are both offered under Schedule 201 of the respective natural gas and electric tariffs. In addition Schedule 205, Commercial/Industrial Retrofit Program, was changed to Schedule 250 and Schedule 208, Resource Conservation Manager (RCM) Program, was changed to Schedule 253, both to make the schedule number consistent with the electric schedule number for the respective programs. These changes in schedule

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number are reflected on Sheet 5, Index, and on Sheets 1183-E and 1183-G where the changed schedule numbers are reflected.

The Company and the Conservation Resource Advisory Group ("CRAG") met on October 11, 2012 and discussed these improvements, with the majority of CRAG members indicating their approval of these proposed changes. CRAG members were provided a complete copy of the program related tariff sheets included in the filing sixty days prior to the proposed effective date in accordance with the Settlement Stipulation adopted by the Commission in Docket Nos. UE-011570, UG-011571 and UE-011600; this has allowed the Company time to interact with the CRAG with comments and questions, if any. The Company has not received any comments or questions from CRAG members regarding this filing.

It should be noted that natural gas service rates are not affected by this filing, since the filing does not include any requested change in Schedule 120, the Natural Gas Conservation Service Tracker. That filing will be made separately at a later date.

The tariff sheets described herein reflect an issue date of November 29, 2012, and an effective date of January 1, 2013. Posting of proposed tariff changes, as required by WAC 480-90-193, 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 480-90-193(1).

This tariff change does not increase recurring charges or restrict access to services. Therefore, notice of the proposed tariff change, as required by law and the Commission's rules and regulations (including WAC 480-90-195(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 480-90-193.

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 Andy Wappler at (425) 456-2009 for policy-related questions about this filing. If you have any other questions, please contact me at (425) 462-3495.

Very truly yours,

Tom D. Burg

Tom DeBoer Director, Federal & State Regulatory Affairs

Enclosures

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