June 28, 2011

**NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO FILE WRITTEN COMMENTS**

**(By Wednesday, August 3, 2011)**

**and**

**NOTICE OF RECESSED OPEN MEETING**

**(To be Held at 1:30 p.m., Thursday, August 11, 2011)**

Re: Puget Sound Energy. Inc.

2011 Integrated Resource Plan, Dockets UE-100961 and UG-100960

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

The Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) will review Puget Sound Energy’s (PSE’s) integrated resource plan for electric and natural gas service at a public meeting on August 11, 2011. RCW 19.280 requires utilities to submit every two years "integrated resource plans", which describe the mix of generation and supply resources and efficiency improvements that will meet both the current and future energy demands at the lowest cost to the utility and its ratepayers.

The public is invited to comment on PSE’s integrated resource plan (IRP) at a recessed open meeting of the Commission to be held on **Thursday, August 11, 2011, at 1:30 p.m.** The meeting will be held at the Commission’s headquarters, Room 206, Richard Hemstad Building, 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S.W., Olympia, Washington.

PSE representatives will present the plan to the Commission and will respond to questions from the Commissioners and the public. A copy of the plan is on file in the library at the Commission’s offices in Olympia and available on line at: <http://www.utc.wa.gov/docs/Pages/DocketLookup.aspx?FilingID=100961>. Requests for copies of the plan should be directed to PSE, not the Commission. PSE’s contact for this IRP is Phillip Popoff, by email at [phillip.popoff@pse.com](mailto:phillip.popoff@pse.com) or by phone at (425) 462-3229. Questions regarding the meeting may be addressed to Commission staff member David Nightingale by e-mail at [dnightin@utc.wa.gov](mailto:dnightin@utc.wa.gov) or by calling (360) 664-1154.

The Commission will accept written comments on the integrated resource plan in addition to oral comments made at the meeting. Written comments should be submitted **no later than 5:00 p.m., August 3, 2011,** and, if possible, in electronic format. Electronic format should be on a CD or 3 ½ inch IBM formatted high-density disk, in .pdf Adobe Acrobat format. Please also send us the text in your choice of .doc (Word 97 or later) format labeled with the docket number assigned to the integrated resource plan (UE-100961 & UG-100960) and the commenter's name and type of software used. Comments may also be submitted via the Commission’s Web portal at [www.utc.wa.gov/e-filing](http://www.utc.wa.gov/e-filing) or by electronic mail to the Commission’s Records Center at [records@utc.wa.gov](mailto:records@utc.wa.gov). If you choose this means of submitting comments, please include all of the information requested above for the diskette label. The Commission will make available all comments provided in electronic form on the Commission's web site at <http://www.utc.wa.gov>. Documents will be posted within twenty-four hours of receipt.

Comments delivered by mail or courier should be addressed to: Executive Director and Secretary, Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission, P.O. Box 47250, 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S.W., Olympia, WA 98504-7250.

The IRP is a product of PSE filed under requirements in WAC 480-100-238 for Electric planning and WAC 480-90-238 for Natural Gas planning. Information about the Commission and its processes can be found on the internet at <http://www.utc.wa.gov>, and further information may be obtained from the Commission Records Center at (360) 664-1234 or at the e-mail address [records@utc.wa.gov](mailto:records@utc.wa.gov). When inquiring about the subject of this Notice, please refer to Dockets UE-100961 & UG-100960.

Sincerely,

DAVID W. DANNER,

Executive Director and Secretary