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SENT VIA E-MAIL & WEB PORTAL

Kathy Hunter
Acting Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
621 Woodland Square Loop SE
Lacey, WA 98503

Re: ***In the Matter of Puget Sound Energy Tacoma LNG Tracker Tariff Filing,***
Docket UG-230393

Dear Acting Director Hunter:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced dockets please find the workpapers for Public Counsel's expert witnesses Robert Earle. Due to the size and format of these documents, they are filed in electronic format only.

Such workpapers include:

Robert Earle

- RLE-WP1 through RLE-WP5

In some cases, workpapers were developed using Puget Sound Energy's (the Company's) exhibits, attachments, and/or models provided during the discovery process. In instances where the attached workpapers rely upon the Company's materials, Public Counsel's witness Earle modified only portions of each Company provided document that were necessary to quantify any recommended adjustments. Therefore, it may be possible that worksheets contained within these workpapers were not adjusted by Public Counsel's expert witnesses and some information is neither sponsored nor supported. By supplying these workpapers Public Counsel's expert witness Earle does not infer agreement with all components of every worksheet. These workpapers should be used in conjunction with the text and exhibits in each of the corresponding Response Testimony filed September 8, 2023.



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Additionally enclosed, Public Counsel provides an index to easily cross-reference workpapers used. The references listed for each workpaper guides the reviewer to varying exhibits, calculations, recommendations, and/or interpretations that rely on the particular workpaper.

Public Counsel is available to answer any questions about the indices provided or how specific adjustments were calculated.

Sincerely,

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have this day served *Robert Earle's Workpapers on behalf of Public Counsel* upon all parties of record in this proceeding, by electronic transmission to the email address(es) or by mailing a true and correct copy, postage prepaid, to each party or party representative listed in the Commission's master service list for this docket.

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