

**EXHIBIT NO. \_\_\_(JKP-11)**  
**DOCKET NO. UE-07\_\_\_/UG-07\_\_\_**  
**2007 PSE GENERAL RATE CASE**  
**WITNESS: JANET K. PHELPS**

**BEFORE THE**  
**WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

**WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND  
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION,**

**Complainant,**

**v.**

**PUGET SOUND ENERGY, INC.,**

**Respondent.**

**Docket No. UE-07\_\_\_**  
**Docket No. UG-07\_\_\_**

**TENTH EXHIBIT (NONCONFIDENTIAL) TO THE  
PREFILED DIRECT TESTIMONY OF  
JANET K. PHELPS  
ON BEHALF OF PUGET SOUND ENERGY, INC.**

**DECEMBER 3, 2007**

**Puget Sound Energy**  
**2007 Gas General Rate Case**  
**Comparison of Residential Basic Charges of Gas Distribution Companies**

Line	Utility	State	Charge	Percentile
1	Missouri Gas Energy	MO	\$ 24.62	100.0%
2	Atmos - (Missouri NE)	MO	\$ 20.61	99.5%
3	Oklahoma Natural Gas Co.	OK	\$ 20.00	99.1%
4	Atmos - (Missouri W)	MO	\$ 19.43	98.6%
5	Xcel Energy (Northern States Power Co)	ND	\$ 18.48	98.1%
6	Maine Natural Gas	ME	\$ 17.96	97.7%
7	DTE Energy - (Citizens Gas Fuel Company)	MI	\$ 17.00	97.2%
8	Richmond Utilities Board	KY	\$ 16.38	96.7%
9	Aquila, Inc.	KS	\$ 16.00	96.3%
10	Laclede Gas Company	MO	\$ 15.50	95.8%
11	Ameren CIPS (Central Illinois Public Service Co) Metro East	IL	\$ 15.00	95.3%
12	Ameren IP	IL	\$ 15.00	95.3%
13	AmerenUE (Union Electric Co)	MO	\$ 15.00	95.3%
14	Central Florida Gas Co., Div. Chesapeake Utilities	FL	\$ 15.00	95.3%
15	Rochester Gas & Electric Corporation	NY	\$ 15.00	95.3%
16	National Grid - Niagara Mohawk Power Corp	NY	\$ 14.71	93.0%
17	Vermont Gas Systems, Inc.	VT	\$ 14.32	92.5%
18	Central Hudson Gas & Electric Corporation	NY	\$ 14.00	92.1%
19	Atmos - (Missouri SE)	MO	\$ 13.92	91.6%
20	City of Las Cruces	NM	\$ 13.75	91.1%
21	National Fuel Gas Company	NY	\$ 13.54	90.7%
22	Yankee Gas	CT	\$ 13.06	90.2%
23	Keyspan Energy Delivery - NE (Boston Gas)	MA	\$ 13.04	89.7%
24	Baltimore Gas and Electric Company	MD	\$ 13.00	89.3%
25	Ohio Valley Gas	IN	\$ 13.00	89.3%
26	Nashville Gas	TN	\$ 13.00	89.3%
27	Arkansas Oklahoma Gas Corp	OK	\$ 12.75	87.9%
28	Energy East - Connecticut Natural Gas Corp.	CT	\$ 12.67	87.4%
29	Corning Natural Gas Corporation	NY	\$ 12.52	86.9%
30	Kokomo Gas & Fuel (NISOURCE)	IN	\$ 12.50	86.4%
31	Consolidated Edison Co of New York, Inc.	NY	\$ 12.38	86.0%
32	KeySpan NYC	NY	\$ 12.27	85.5%
33	Columbia Gas of Virginia	VA	\$ 12.25	85.0%
34	Kansas Gas Service	KS	\$ 12.25	85.0%
35	Atmos (Tennessee OCT-APR)	TN	\$ 12.00	84.1%
36	Chattanooga Gas Company	TN	\$ 12.00	84.1%
37	DTE Energy - (Citizens Gas Fuel Company)	MI	\$ 12.00	84.1%
38	Duke Energy Kentucky	KY	\$ 12.00	84.1%
39	Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.	WY	\$ 12.00	84.1%
40	National Fuel Gas Company	PA	\$ 12.00	84.1%
41	Orange & Rockland	NY	\$ 12.00	84.1%
42	Philadelphia Gas Works	PA	\$ 12.00	84.1%
43	PPL Gas Utilities Corporation	PA	\$ 12.00	84.1%
44	Ameren CILCO (Central Illinois Light Co)	IL	\$ 11.80	79.9%
45	Metropolitan Utilities District	NE	\$ 11.76	79.4%

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Line	Utility	State	Charge	Percentile
46	UGI Penn Natural Gas	PA	\$ 11.75	79.0%
47	Atmos Energy (Louisiana Gas Service Rate Division)	LA	\$ 11.70	78.5%
48	Equitable Gas Company	PA	\$ 11.65	78.0%
49	Atmos Energy (Trans Louisiana Gas Service Rate Division)	LA	\$ 11.50	77.6%
50	Roanoke Gas Company	VA	\$ 11.50	77.6%
51	Xcel Energy (Public Service Co of CO)	CO	\$ 11.19	76.6%
52	Energy East - Berkshire Gas	MA	\$ 11.11	76.2%
53	Aquila, Inc.	NE	\$ 11.00	75.7%
54	Bluefield Gas Company	VA	\$ 11.00	75.7%
55	Cheyenne Light, Fuel & Power Company	WY	\$ 11.00	75.7%
56	Dominion - (Peoples)	PA	\$ 11.00	75.7%
57	SEMCO Energy Gas Company - Battle Creek	MI	\$ 11.00	75.7%
58	Vectren (Indiana Gas Co)	IN	\$ 11.00	75.7%
59	Vectren (Southern Indiana Elec & Gas Co)	IN	\$ 11.00	75.7%
60	Washington Gas	VA	\$ 11.00	75.7%
61	Columbia Gas of Pennsylvania, Inc.	PA	\$ 10.81	72.0%
62	Okaloosa Gas District	FL	\$ 10.80	71.5%
63	Chesapeake Utilities Corp Delaware Divisions	DE	\$ 10.71	71.0%
64	Aquila, Inc.	IA	\$ 10.60	70.6%
65	Ameren CIPS (Central Illinois Public Service Co)	IL	\$ 10.50	70.1%
66	Bay State Gas Company	MA	\$ 10.30	69.6%
67	Ameren IP	IL	\$ 10.27	69.2%
68	Wisconsin Public Service Corporation	WI	\$ 10.25	68.7%
69	Washington Gas	MD	\$ 10.20	68.2%
70	City of Leesburg	FL	\$ 10.17	67.8%
71	Atmos Energy Corp Mid	TX	\$ 10.10	67.3%
72	Alliant Energy IP&L (Interstate Power & Light)	IA	\$ 10.00	66.8%
73	Chattanooga Gas Company	TN	\$ 10.00	66.8%
74	Citizens Gas & Coke Utility (Marion County)	IN	\$ 10.00	66.8%
75	City of Charlottesville, Public Utilities Div	VA	\$ 10.00	66.8%
76	Delta Natural Gas Company, Inc.	KY	\$ 10.00	66.8%
77	Fort Pierce Utilities Authority	FL	\$ 10.00	66.8%
78	Nashville Gas	TN	\$ 10.00	66.8%
79	Piedmont Natural Gas	NC	\$ 10.00	66.8%
80	Piedmont Natural Gas	SC	\$ 10.00	66.8%
81	SEMCO Energy Gas Company - MPSC Division	MI	\$ 10.00	66.8%
82	TECO Peoples Gas System	FL	\$ 10.00	66.8%
83	Scana (South Carolina Electric & Gas Company)	SC	\$ 9.95	61.7%
84	Atmos	IL	\$ 9.90	61.2%
85	Arkansas-Oklahoma	AR	\$ 9.90	61.2%
86	Keyspan Energy Delivery - NE (Energy North)	NH	\$ 9.88	60.3%
87	Union Oil & Gas, Inc.	WV	\$ 9.84	59.8%
88	Virginia Natural Gas	VA	\$ 9.78	59.3%
89	DTE Energy - (Citizens Gas Fuel Company)	MI	\$ 9.75	58.9%
90	Southwest Gas Corp.	AZ	\$ 9.70	58.4%

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Line	Utility	State	Charge	Percentile
91	Public Service Company of New Mexico	NM	\$ 9.59	57.9%
92	Delmarva Power	DE	\$ 9.56	57.5%
93	Atmos Energy Corp Amarillo	TX	\$ 9.50	57.0%
94	Northern Utilities, Inc.	NH	\$ 9.50	57.0%
95	Empire District North & South	MO	\$ 9.50	57.0%
96	Arkansas Western Gas Company	AR	\$ 9.40	55.6%
97	Madison Gas and Electric Company	WI	\$ 9.37	55.1%
98	Atmos Energy Corp	KY	\$ 9.35	54.7%
99	Columbia Gas of Kentucky, Inc.	KY	\$ 9.30	54.2%
100	Columbia Gas of Maryland, Inc.	MD	\$ 9.25	53.7%
101	Chesapeake Utilities Corp Maryland Divisions	MD	\$ 9.10	53.3%
102	Atlanta Gas Light Company	GA	\$ 9.05	52.8%
103	Colorado Springs Utilities	CO	\$ 9.02	52.3%
104	Atmos (Tennessee MAY-SEP)	TN	\$ 9.00	51.9%
105	Atmos Energy Corp. Northeast	CO	\$ 9.00	51.9%
106	City of Richmond, Dept of Public Utilities	VA	\$ 9.00	51.9%
107	Consumers Energy	MI	\$ 9.00	51.9%
108	ENSTAR Natural Gas Company (South-Central)	AK	\$ 9.00	51.9%
109	Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.	ND	\$ 9.00	51.9%
110	Rhode Island natural gas operations of New England Gas Company	RI	\$ 9.00	51.9%
111	Oklahoma Natural Gas Co.	OK	\$ 9.00	51.9%
112	Peoples Gas Light and Coke	IL	\$ 9.00	51.9%
113	New England Gas Co North Attleboro	MA	\$ 8.95	47.7%
114	UGI Utilities, Inc.	PA	\$ 8.55	47.2%
115	KeySpan Energy Delivery - Long Island	NY	\$ 8.52	46.7%
116	DTE Energy - (Detroit Edison and MichCon)	MI	\$ 8.50	46.3%
117	Louisville Gas and Electric Company	KY	\$ 8.50	46.3%
118	North Shore Gas	IL	\$ 8.50	46.3%
119	Southwest Gas Corp.	NV	\$ 8.50	46.3%
120	Nicor Gas - Northern Illinois Gas Co	IL	\$ 8.40	44.4%
<b>121</b>	<b>Puget Sound Energy</b>	<b>WA</b>	<b>\$ 8.25</b>	43.9%
122	Southern Connecticut Gas Company	CT	\$ 8.25	43.9%
123	Easton Utilities	MD	\$ 8.15	43.0%
124	Mt. Carmel Public Utility Company	IL	\$ 8.08	42.5%
125	Atmos Energy Corp	KS	\$ 8.00	42.1%
126	Clearwater Gas System	FL	\$ 8.00	42.1%
127	Entergy New Orleans	LA	\$ 8.00	42.1%
128	Florida City Gas	FL	\$ 8.00	42.1%
129	Greenville Utilities	NC	\$ 8.00	42.1%
130	Lexington Utilities	NC	\$ 8.00	42.1%
131	Michigan Gas Utilities Corporation	MI	\$ 8.00	42.1%
132	Piedmont Natural Gas	SC	\$ 8.00	42.1%
133	Xcel Energy (Northern States Power Co)	MN	\$ 8.00	42.1%
134	Atmos	IA	\$ 7.95	37.9%
135	Scana (South Carolina Electric & Gas Company)	SC	\$ 7.95	37.9%

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136	Keyspan Energy Delivery - NE (Essex Gas)	MA	\$ 7.92	36.9%
137	Energy East - New York State Electric & Gas (NYSEG)	NY	\$ 7.90	36.4%
138	Alliant Energy WP&L	WI	\$ 7.89	36.0%
139	Washington Gas	DC	\$ 7.85	35.5%
140	Valley Energy	PA	\$ 7.82	35.0%
141	South Jersey Gas Company	NJ	\$ 7.76	34.6%
142	Valley Energy	NY	\$ 7.62	34.1%
143	Xcel Energy (Northern States Power Co)	WI	\$ 7.60	33.6%
144	Elizabethtown Gas	NJ	\$ 7.55	33.2%
145	Dominion - (Hope)	WI	\$ 7.50	32.7%
146	Equitable Gas Company	KY	\$ 7.50	32.7%
147	Northern Indiana Fuel & Light	IN	\$ 7.50	32.7%
148	Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.	SD	\$ 7.50	32.7%
149	We Energy - Wisconsin Electric Gas Operations	WI	\$ 7.50	32.7%
150	We Energy - Wisconsin Gas LLC	WI	\$ 7.50	32.7%
151	PECO Energy	PA	\$ 7.20	29.9%
152	Gainesville Regional Utilities	FL	\$ 7.15	29.4%
153	Allete (Superior Water Light and Power )	WI	\$ 7.00	29.0%
154	Atmos	GA	\$ 7.00	29.0%
155	Memphis Light, Gas & Water Division	TN	\$ 7.00	29.0%
156	Middle Tennessee Natural Gas Utility District	TN	\$ 7.00	29.0%
157	Southwestern Virginia Gas Company	VA	\$ 7.00	29.0%
158	Superior Water, Light and Power Co	WI	\$ 7.00	29.0%
159	Empire District Northwest	MO	\$ 7.00	29.0%
160	Unisource Energy Services	AZ	\$ 7.00	29.0%
161	Vectren	OH	\$ 7.00	29.0%
162	Atmos	MS	\$ 6.95	24.8%
163	CPS Energy San Antonio	TX	\$ 6.81	24.3%
164	City of Leesburg	FL	\$ 6.78	23.8%
165	The Gas Company, LLC	HI	\$ 6.75	23.4%
166	NorthWestern Energy	MT	\$ 6.66	22.9%
167	Atmos (Trans Louisiana Gas Service Rate Division)	VA	\$ 6.60	22.4%
168	New Jersey Natural Gas	NJ	\$ 6.60	22.4%
169	Keyspan Energy Delivery - NE (Colonial - Cape)	MA	\$ 6.51	21.5%
170	Bluefield Gas Company	WV	\$ 6.50	21.0%
171	CenterPoint Energy	MN	\$ 6.50	21.0%
172	Equitable Gas Company	WV	\$ 6.50	21.0%
173	Intermountain Gas Company	ID	\$ 6.50	21.0%
174	Minnesota Energy Resources Corp	MN	\$ 6.50	21.0%
175	Mountaineer Gas Company	WV	\$ 6.50	21.0%
176	Columbia Gas of Ohio, Inc.	OH	\$ 6.50	21.0%
177	NSTAR Electric & Gas Corporation	MA	\$ 6.50	21.0%
178	Sierra Pacific Power Company	NV	\$ 6.50	21.0%
179	New England Gas Co Fall River	MA	\$ 6.50	21.0%
180	Xcel Energy (Northern States Power Co)	MI	\$ 6.50	21.0%

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181	Northern Indiana Public Service Company	IN	\$ 6.36	15.9%
182	Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.	MT	\$ 6.35	15.4%
183	City of Holyoke Gas & Electric Dept	MA	\$ 6.00	15.0%
184	Duke Energy (Formally Cinergy) (Cincinnati Gas & Electric Co.)	OH	\$ 6.00	15.0%
185	NorthWestern Energy	SD	\$ 6.00	15.0%
186	NW Natural	OR	\$ 6.00	15.0%
187	Westfield Gas & Elec. Light Co.	MA	\$ 6.00	15.0%
188	Public Service Electric and Gas Company	NJ	\$ 5.84	12.6%
189	Dominion - (East Ohio)	OH	\$ 5.70	12.1%
190	Aquila, Inc.	CO	\$ 5.50	11.7%
191	Avista Utilities	WA	\$ 5.50	11.7%
192	Minnesota Energy Resources Corp (Northern Minnesota Utilities)	MN	\$ 5.50	11.7%
193	Keyspan Energy Delivery - NE (Colonial Gas-Lowell)	MA	\$ 5.02	10.3%
194	Alliant Energy IP&L	IL	\$ 5.00	9.8%
195	Alliant Energy IP&L	MN	\$ 5.00	9.8%
196	Avista Utilities	OR	\$ 5.00	9.8%
197	Knoxville Utilities Board	TX	\$ 5.00	9.8%
198	Northwestern Energy	NE	\$ 5.00	9.8%
199	NW Natural	WA	\$ 5.00	9.8%
200	Pike County Light & Power	PA	\$ 5.00	9.8%
201	Questar Gas Company	UT	\$ 5.00	9.8%
202	Questar Gas Company	WY	\$ 5.00	9.8%
203	Southwest Gas Corp.	CA	\$ 5.00	9.8%
204	Wisconsin Public Service Corporation	MI	\$ 5.00	9.8%
205	Northern Utilities, Inc.	ME	\$ 4.96	4.7%
206	Southern California Gas Company	CA	\$ 4.93	4.2%
207	Cascade Natural Gas Corporation	WA	\$ 4.00	3.7%
208	Elkton Gas	MD	\$ 4.00	3.7%
209	Cascade Natural Gas Corporation	OR	\$ 3.75	2.8%
210	Avista Utilities	ID	\$ 3.28	2.3%
211	Pacific Gas & Electric	CA	\$ 2.96	1.9%
212	Intermountain Gas Company	ID	\$ 2.50	1.4%
213	PPL Gas Utilities Corporation	MD	\$ 2.19	0.9%
214	City of Corpus Christi	TX	\$ 1.00	0.5%
	<b>Average Basic Charge</b>		<b>\$ 9.28</b>	