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Kathy Hunter, Acting Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
621 Woodland Square Loop SE
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RE: Docket UE-231031 Puget Sound Energy's Electric Tariff Revision

A&R Solar, a Washington corporation, fully supports Puget Sound Energy's January 18, 2024 revised tariff filing. The filing would allow an extension of the current structure to allow for current stakeholder engagements to continue to develop a successor tariff that is durable. Denying the tariff filing would cause undue costs by moving too quickly causing rework that could be avoided. Costs ultimately born by rate payers. It is in the best interest of the rate payers of Washington to allow those stakeholder processes to continue without changes in current tariffs.

Regardless of the temporary nature of the filing, it is already well established that RCW 80.60 establishes a minimum net metering threshold that is clearly not specified as a maximum limit.

It is documented in other comments that there is more work to be done to establish the value of distributed renewables on Washington's grid, and that existing studies are incomplete or draw false conclusions.

We urge the UTC to approve the tariff request as soon as is reasonable so PSE and its stakeholders can continue to work together to achieve the State's legislated goals together.

Thank you for your consideration,

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