



PUGET SOUND ENERGY

The Energy To Do Great Things

Puget Sound Energy

P.O. Box 97034

Bellevue, WA 98009-9734

April 27, 2016

Mr. Steven V. King
Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
P.O. Box 47250
Olympia, Washington 98504-7250

**RE: Advice No. 2016-15
Natural Gas Tariff Filing – Filed Electronically**

Dear Mr. King:

Pursuant to RCW 80.28.060 and WAC 480-80-101 and WAC 480-80-105(1)(c), please find enclosed for filing the following proposed revision to the WN U-2 Tariff for natural gas service of Puget Sound Energy (“PSE”):

24th Revision of Sheet No. 101-B – Natural Gas Schedule No. 1, Tax Adjustment (Continued)

The purpose of this filing is to change the municipal tax within the City of SeaTac (the “City”). A copy of the approved City ordinance, Ordinance No. 15-1021 is enclosed. The SeaTac City Council previously adopted Ordinance No. 14-1015 establishing a 6 percent utility tax which became effective January 1, 2015. Upon further consideration the City Council passed Ordinance No. 15-1021 repealing the previous ordinance and eliminating the tax, effective March 1, 2016.

To prevent the impact on customers of further billing of the tax and because this filing represents a decrease in rates, PSE is requesting less than statutory notice approval for this filing. Therefore, the Company respectfully requests that the Commission allow this tariff change to become effective on April 29, 2016 with less than statutory notice (“LSN”). The information required by WAC 480-80-122 is contained throughout this letter and on the attached LSN form provided by the Commission. Ken Johnson is authorized to issue tariff changes on behalf of the Company.

The tariff sheet described herein reflects an issue date of April 27, 2016, and an effective date of May 28, 2016. Posting of proposed tariff changes, as required by law and the Commission’s rules and regulations, is being completed through web, telephone and mail access in accordance with WAC 480-90-193.

Please contact Julie Waltari at julie.waltari@pse.com or (425) 456-2945 for additional information about this filing. If you have any other questions please contact me at (425) 456-2110.

Sincerely,


Ken Johnson
Director, State Regulatory Affairs

Enclosures

cc: Simon J. ffitch, Public Counsel
Sheree Carson, Perkins Coie