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Ms. Amanda Maxwell, Executive Director and Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission 621 Woodland Square Loop SE Lacey, WA 98503

**Re:** Advice No. 2021-34

**Puget Sound Energy's Natural Gas Tariff Revision** 

Dear Ms. Maxwell:

Puget Sound Energy ("PSE") hereby submits proposed revisions to its natural gas Rule 9 Bills and Payment for Service, and Rule 15 Discontinuation of Service. This filing, pursuant to RCW 80.28.060 and Chapter 480-80 WAC, proposes revisions to the following natural gas tariff sheets:

## WN U-2, (Natural Gas Tariff):

8<sup>th</sup> Revision of Sheet No. 21-A
7<sup>th</sup> Revision of Sheet No. 21-B
6<sup>th</sup> Revision of Sheet No. 21-C
Original Sheet No. 21-D
4<sup>th</sup> Revision of Sheet No. 27
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The primary purpose of this filing is to make updates consistent with the amendments made to WAC Chapter 480-90 Gas Companies-Operations, adopted in General Order R-600 in Docket U-180525 in the Commission's rulemaking Relating to Consumer Protection in Response to Investor-owned Utility Deployment of Advanced Metering Infrastructure (AMI). The revisions include, conditions under which PSE will cease disconnections during inclement weather, how electronic notices are incorporated into disconnection processes, and clarification that connection and reconnection charges will only apply when PSE makes a site visit. Where applicable, minor clarifying language included in the amended WAC 480-90 has also been incorporated. This filing also includes housekeeping updates to service hours. A filing to make similar updates to

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PSE's electric tariff consistent with amendments made to WAC Chapter 480-100 Electric Companies, in the same rulemaking, is being made coincident with this filing.

The tariff sheets described herein reflect an issue date of October 7, 2021 and an effective date of November 6, 2021. Posting of proposed tariff changes, as required by WAC 480-90-193, is being made on the PSE web site coincident with the date of this transmittal letter.

Please contact Julie Waltari at (425) 456-2945 for additional information about this filing. If you have any other questions please contact me at (425) 456-2142.

Sincerely,

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Attachment:

Natural Gas Tariff Sheets (listed above)