

EXHIBIT NO. ___(DEM-2)
DOCKET NO. UE-08___
PCA 6 COMPLIANCE
WITNESS: DAVID E. MILLS

BEFORE THE
WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Petition of
PUGET SOUND ENERGY, INC.,
For Approval of its March 2008 Power Cost
Adjustment Mechanism Report

Docket No. UE-08___

FIRST EXHIBIT (PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS) TO THE
PREFILED DIRECT TESTIMONY OF
DAVID E. MILLS
ON BEHALF OF PUGET SOUND ENERGY, INC.

MARCH 31, 2008

1 **PUGET SOUND ENERGY, INC.**

2 **FIRST EXHIBIT (PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS) TO THE**
3 **PREFILED DIRECT TESTIMONY OF DAVID E. MILLS**

4 **Q. Please state your name and business address.**

5 A. My name is David E. Mills. My business address is 10885 NE 4th Street, P.O. Box
6 97034, Bellevue WA 98009-9734.

7 **Q. By whom are you employed and in what capacity?**

8 A. I am employed by Puget Sound Energy, Inc. ("PSE") as Director, Energy Supply
9 and Planning.

10 **Q. What are your duties as Director, Power & Gas Supply Operations?**

11 A. As Director, Energy Supply and Planning, I am responsible for the oversight of the
12 Company's Power Supply Operations and Gas Supply Operations Departments,
13 including management of PSE's short-term and medium-term wholesale power and
14 natural gas portfolios (up to three years), the Integrated Resource Plan and
15 coordination with the Company's Energy Resources Department to plan for long-
16 term hedging requirements.

1 **Q. Briefly describe your education and relevant employment experience.**

2 A. I graduated from Portland State University in 1987 with a Bachelor of Science
3 degree in Economics.

4 I have over nineteen years of experience in the energy/utility industry, with
5 extensive experience in the areas of trading and risk management issues. Prior to
6 joining PSE, I worked with the Bonneville Power Administration for a total of
7 eighteen years. I began my career initially in the economic and demand forecasting
8 division, and later moved into BPA's Transmission Business Line in 1994. While
9 employed in the Transmission Business Line I led the Agency's retail wheeling
10 public process to support deregulation and open transmission access.

11 In 1998, I became the Trading Floor Manager for BPA's Bulk Power Marketing
12 Group. In this capacity I was responsible for BPA's secondary wholesale
13 marketing activities, including energy trading and real time hydro operations. I also
14 managed the price risk assessment and analyses of hydro operations and long-term
15 power purchases.

16 From 1998 until present, I have served as a member of the Executive and Operating
17 Committees of the Western Systems Power Pool. In 2004, I joined PSE in my
18 current position as Director, Energy Supply and Planning.