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C. Robert Wallis, Administrative Law Judge Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission 1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. SW P. O. Box 47250 Olympia, Washington 98504-7250

Re:

UG-031216/PSE Gas Line Extension

Dear Judge Wallis:

This letter is in response to the Notice of Opportunity to Respond (Notice) issued on April 6, 2004. The Notice provided Commission Staff (Staff) a Tuesday, April 13, 2004 deadline to respond to Puget Sound Energy's compliance filing of March 31, 2004. Staff has reviewed the compliance filing and found it to be consistent with Commission's Order No. 3 and otherwise satisfactory. Therefore, Staff does not object to the compliance filing. If you have any questions or concerns, please let me know.

Very truly yours,

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cc: Parties