

**STATE OF WASHINGTON**

UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

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May 27, 2016

**NOTICE OF DEADLINE TO RESPOND TO  
PUGET SOUND ENERGY’S MOTION TO COMPEL  
(Responses due by 5:00 p.m., Tuesday, May 31, 2016)**

**NOTICE OF HEARING**

**(Set for Wednesday, June 1, 2016, at 2:00 p.m.)**

RE: *Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. Puget Sound Energy*,

Dockets UE-151871 and UG-151872 *(Consolidated)*

TO ALL PARTIES:

On September 18, 2015, Puget Sound Energy (PSE or Company) filed with the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) revisions to its currently effective tariffs WN U-60 schedule 75 and WN U-2 schedule 175 to offer electric and natural gas equipment lease service to its customers. The stated purpose of the filings is to “stimulate the installation of additional energy efficient equipment, provide customers with simple and comprehensive turn-key solutions, provide broader more affordable access to services, and expand existing market activity.” On November 13, 2015, the Commission entered Order 01, Complaint and Order Suspending Tariff Revisions, suspending PSE’s filing for investigation and adjudication.

On January 7, 2016, the Commission entered Order 02, Prehearing Conference Order, which, among other things, granted the petition of the Washington State Heating, Ventilation & Air Conditioning Contractors Association (WSHVACCA) to intervene and made available the Commission’s discovery rules.

On May 26, 2016, PSE filed a motion to compel WSHVACCA to respond to data requests (Motion). PSE states that it served Data Requests Nos. 001 through 022 on WASHVACCA on April 15, 2016, and that the Company received a set of objections in response, rather than the substantive data requested. PSE represents that it met and conferred with WSHVACCA, but those parties were unable to resolve their dispute informally.

The Commission finds good cause to shorten the time for responding to the Motion and will conduct a hearing on Wednesday, June 1, 2016 at 2:00 p.m. Telephonic participation will not be provided by the Commission. If Parties would like to participate telephonically, they must arrange a conference bridge independently.

**THE COMMISSION GIVES NOTICE That written responses to the Motion are due no later than 5:00 p.m., Tuesday, May 31, 2016.**

**THE COMMISSION GIVES FURTHER NOTICE That the Commission will conduct a hearing on the Motion on Wednesday, June 1, 2016, at beginning at 2:00 p.m., in Room 139, First Floor, Richard Hemstad Building, 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S.W., Olympia, Washington.**

GREGORY J. KOPTA

Administrative Law Judge