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RE: *Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. Puget Sound Energy,*  
Docket UE-170033 & UG-170034 (*Consolidated*)

TO ALL PARTIES:

On December 5, 2017, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) entered Order 08, Final Order Rejecting Tariff Sheets; Approving and Adopting Settlement Stipulation; Resolving Contested Issues; and Authorizing and Requiring Compliance Filing (Order 08). Order 08, among other things, required Puget Sound Energy (PSE or Company) to complete and file in this docket a Colstrip Transmission System Operational Study.

On November 30, 2018, PSE filed NorthWestern Energy's Colstrip Operational Study Report, Shutdown of Colstrip Units 1 & 2 (Report), and on December 27, 2018, Staff filed a letter stating that Staff had reviewed the Report and believes that it fulfills the requirement.

The Commission has reviewed the Report, and acknowledges that it complies with the requirements of Order 08.

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Executive Director and Secretary