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August 16, 2011

David W. Danner, Executive Director and Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission 1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. SW P. O. Box 47250 Olympia, Washington 98504-7250

RE: Puget Sound Energy 2011 General Rate Case

Dockets UE-111048 and UG-111049 (Consolidated)

Dear Mr. Danner:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket is the original confidentiality agreement signed by Christopher Mickelson.

Sincerely,

RÓBERT D. CEDARBAUM Assistant Attorney General

RDC:klg Enclosure

cc: Parties

EXHIBIT B (EXPERT AGREEMENT)

AGREEMENT CONCERNING CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION IN DOCKET UE-111048 & UG-111049

BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

| I, <u>Christopher Mickelson</u> | , as expert witness in this |
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| proceeding for <u>Utilities & Transportation Com</u> | mission – Staff (a party to this proceeding) |
| hereby agree to comply with and be bound by | the Protective Order entered by the |
| Washington Utilities and Transportation Comp | |
| and acknowledge that I have reviewed the Prot | ective Order and fully understand its terms |
| and conditions. | • |
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| hish lule | June 30, 2011 |
| Signature / | Date |
| Utilities & Transportation Commission | |
| Employer | |
| Employer | |
| 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive SW | |
| Olympia, WA 98504 | Regulatory Analyst |
| Address | Position and Responsibilities |
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| The following portion is to be completed by th | e responding party and filed with the |
| Commission within 10 days of receipt; failure | |
| above-named person will be deemed an expert | |
| under the terms and conditions of the protective | |
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| No objection. | |
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| Objection. The responding pa | arty objects to the above-named expert |
| having access to Confidential Information. Th | |
| forth the basis for objection and asking exclusi | |
| Information. | 1 |
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| Signature | Date |
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