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Carole J. Washburn, Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
P.O. Box 47250
Olympia, WA 98504-7250

Attn: Alan Rathbun, Pipeline Safety Director

Subject: Docket PG-030080 and PG-030128 Puget Sound Energy Settlement Agreement – Bare Steel Replacement Program

Dear Mr. Rathbun,

Puget Sound Energy (PSE) has reviewed our existing cathodically protected bare steel pipe segments and has determined to replace them in conjunction with the planned replacement of our unprotected bare steel pipe.

The replacement of the cathodically protected and unprotected bare steel will be completed by the end of 2014, in accordance with the schedule outlined in the King/Pierce County Settlement Agreement (Settlement Agreement).

If Staff has any questions additional questions on the Bare Steel Replacement Program, please call me at (425) 462-3957.

Sincerely,

Jim Hogan
Manager, Standards & Compliance

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