

**BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

In the Matter of the Petition of)	
)	DOCKET NO. UE-070725
PUGET SOUND ENERGY, INC.,)	
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For an Order Authorizing the Use of)	NW Energy Coalition's
the Proceeds from the Sale of)	Petition to Intervene
Renewable Energy Credits and)	
Carbon Financial Instruments)	
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The NW Energy Coalition ("Coalition") hereby requests permission to intervene in the above-referenced proceeding. In support of this Petition to Intervene, the Coalition asserts the following:

A. The Coalition's business address is:

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B. The Coalition will be represented in this matter by David S. Johnson, Attorney, and Senior Policy Associate Danielle Dixon. Mr. Johnson and Ms. Dixon are designated for service of all documents in this matter. They have separately filed a notice of appearance with the Commission, as required by WAC 480-07-345(2). They can be reached at 206-621-0094, fax 206-621-0097, emails: david@nwenergy.org, danielle@nwenergy.org.

C. The Coalition is a non-profit organization under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The Coalition has approximately 200 individual members and 35 organizational members located in Washington, representing more than 300,000 citizens. The Coalition's primary purpose is to promote an energy future that is clean, reliable, affordable, and equitable. Due to its historic and ongoing work with utility companies and others to achieve these goals, the Coalition possesses unique interest in the outcome of this proceeding.

D. The Coalition has a special interest in this proceeding for the following reasons: (1) Coalition members may be directly affected by decisions made in this proceeding regarding use of proceeds from renewable energy credits (REC) and carbon financial instruments (CFI); (2) decisions in this proceeding may affect investment in energy efficiency and impact low-income customers; (3) changes in funding for low-income energy-related repairs, energy efficiency, and small-scale renewables will affect Coalition organizational members who serve the needs of low-

income customers; and (4) PSE submitted joint testimony with the Coalition and other parties in this proceeding in support of its proposal to use a portion of revenues from RECs and CFIs for low-income energy efficiency, energy-related repairs and small-scale renewables. The Coalition intends to examine these and related issues in this proceeding.

E. The Coalition offers this process considerable expertise in the area of resource planning, energy efficiency and renewable energy investments, industry structure, and economic and policy analysis. The Coalition has participated in numerous rate cases, mergers, and resource planning proceedings in Washington, Oregon, Idaho, and Montana, including several related to Puget Sound Energy.

F. The Coalition has no intention of unreasonably broadening the issues, burdening the record or delaying the proceedings through its intervention.

For the foregoing reasons, the Coalition requests the Commission grant its Petition to Intervene in this matter.

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Respectfully submitted,

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