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August 7, 2009

NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO FILE WRITTEN COMMENTS
(By Friday, August 28, 2009)
and
NOTICE OF RECESSED OPEN MEETING
(To Be Held Immediately Following the Thursday, September 10, 2009,
Open Meeting)

RE: Puget Sound Energy, Inc.
2009 Electric Integrated Resource Plan, Docket UE-080949, and
2009 Natural Gas Integrated Resource Plan, Docket UG-080948

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

The Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) will review Puget Sound Energy's (PSE) integrated resource plan for electric and natural gas service at a public meeting on September 10, 2009. An "integrated resource plan" (IRP) describes the mix of generation and supply resources and efficiency improvements that will meet both the current and future energy demands at the lowest cost to the utility and its ratepayers.

The public is invited to comment on PSE's integrated resource plan at a recessed open meeting of the Commission to be held on **Thursday, September 10, 2009, immediately following the Commission's open meeting, which is scheduled to start at 9:30 a.m.** The meeting will be held at the Commission's headquarters, Room 206, Richard Hemstad Building, 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S.W., Olympia, Washington.

PSE representatives will present the plan to the Commission and will respond to questions from the Commissioners and the public. A copy of the plan is on file in the library at the Commission's offices in Olympia. Requests for copies of the plan, if needed, should be directed to PSE, not the Commission. PSE has posted the IRP at <http://www.pse.com/energyEnvironment/energysupply/Pages/pseIRPcharts.aspx>.

Questions regarding the plan and the meeting may be addressed to Commission staff member David Nightingale by e-mail at dnighting@utc.wa.gov or by calling (360) 664-1154.

The Commission will accept written comments on the integrated resource plan in addition to oral comments made at the meeting. Written comments should be submitted **no later than 5:00 p.m., August 28, 2009**, and, if possible, in electronic format. Electronic format should be on a CD or 3 ½ inch IBM formatted high-density disk, in .pdf Adobe Acrobat format. Please also send us the text in your choice of .doc (Word 97 or later) format labeled with the docket number assigned to the integrated resource plan (UE-080949 or UG-080948) and the commenter's name and type of software used. Comments may also be submitted via the Commission's Web portal at www.utc.wa.gov/e-filing or by e-mail to the Commission's Records Center at records@utc.wa.gov. If you choose this means of submitting comments, please include all of the information requested above for the diskette label. The Commission will make available all comments provided in electronic form on the Commission's web site at <http://www.utc.wa.gov>. Documents will be posted within twenty-four hours of receipt.

Comments delivered by mail or courier should be addressed to: Executive Director and Secretary, Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission, P.O. Box 47250, 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S.W., Olympia, WA 98504-7250.

The Integrated Resource Plan is a product of PSE filed under requirements in WAC 480-100-238 and 480-90-238. Information about the Commission and its processes can be found on the internet at <http://www.utc.wa.gov>, and further information may be obtained from the Commission Records Center at (360) 664-1234 or at the e-mail address records@utc.wa.gov. When inquiring about the subject of this Notice, please refer to Docket UE-080949 for the electric IRP, and Docket UG-080948 for the natural gas IRP.

Sincerely,

DAVID W. DANNER
Executive Director and Secretary