

**EXH. BDM-2  
DOCKETS UE-240005/UG-240006  
2024 PSE GENERAL RATE CASE  
WITNESS: BRENNAN MUELLER**

**BEFORE THE  
WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

**WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND  
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION,**

**Complainant,**

**v.**

**PUGET SOUND ENERGY,**

**Respondent.**

**Docket UE-240005  
Docket UG-240006**

**FIRST EXHIBIT (PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS) TO THE  
PREFILED DIRECT TESTIMONY OF**

**BRENNAN D. MUELLER**

**ON BEHALF OF PUGET SOUND ENERGY**

**FEBRUARY 15, 2024**

1 **PUGET SOUND ENERGY**

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3 **PREFILED DIRECT TESTIMONY OF**  
4 **BRENNAN D. MUELLER**

5 **Q. Please state your name and business address.**

6 A. My name is Brennan D. Mueller, and my business address is 355 110th Avenue  
7 NE, Bellevue, Washington 98004.

8 **Q. By whom are you employed and in what capacity?**

9 A. I am employed by Puget Sound Energy (“PSE”) as Manager, Power Costs &  
10 Energy Analysis.

11 **Q. What are your duties as Manager, Power Costs & Energy Analysis?**

12 A. I supervise a team of analysts in PSE’s Energy Supply Merchant department. My  
13 group produces power cost forecasts for PSE’s rate proceedings and for PSE’s  
14 financial planning purposes. My team also provides day-to-day analytical support  
15 and performance reporting for power and gas supply operations and forecasts  
16 natural gas costs for PSE’s Purchased Gas Adjustment (“PGA”) rate filings and  
17 internal financial plans.

18 **Q. Briefly describe your education and relevant employment experience.**

19 A. I have a Bachelor of Arts degree in economics from the University of Puget  
20 Sound. I have been employed by PSE for 16 years – first as an Energy Resource  
21 Analyst working on financial analysis and due diligence in support of investments

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in generation plants and relicensing of PSE’s hydroelectric projects. In 2009 I began work as Energy Contracts Administrator for PSE. In that role I was responsible for management of many of PSE’s existing long-term power purchase agreements and negotiation of new agreements, primarily with owners of hydroelectric facilities. I moved to PSE’s Energy Supply Merchant department in 2018 as an Energy Risk Management Analyst where my work included improving power cost forecasting methodologies, evaluating new resource acquisition opportunities, and drafting testimony for PSE expert witnesses in regulatory proceedings. I have been in my current role as Manager of Power Costs & Energy Analysis since June 2022.