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*Via Web Portal and Overnight Courier*

Steven V. King, Executive Director and Secretary  
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission  
P.O. Box 47250  
1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S.W.  
Olympia, Washington 98504-7250

**Re: Annual Report of Essential Utilities Services Contracts  
WAC-Required Report**

Dear Mr. King:

Pursuant to WAC 480-90-268, and 480-100-268, enclosed are an original and 3 copies of the Annual Report of Essential Utilities Services Contracts for Puget Sound Energy ("PSE") for the twelve-month period ending December 31, 2015.

Under the provisions of WAC 480-07-160, PSE requests this filing be accorded confidential treatment. Vendor specific information and other commercially sensitive financial data are included in this report. As required by WAC 480-07-160(3)(b)(i), the Company has properly identified all pages containing proprietary information. As required by WAC 480-07-160, the Company identifies itself, its customers, its shareholders and the vendors identified in the enclosed report as the entities that might be directly affected by disclosure of the confidential information. In accordance with WAC 480-07-160, the report submitted herewith has been marked "CONFIDENTIAL per WAC 480-07-160", printed on yellow paper and sealed in an envelope clearly marked Confidential. Also enclosed is a redacted version of the report.

Please contact Julie Waltari at (425) 456-2945 for additional information about this report. If you have any other questions please contact me at (425) 456-2110.

Sincerely,

*E. E. Elm*  
*for* *Manager, Regulatory Initiatives & Tariffs*  
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Enclosures

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