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Jeff Killip, Executive Director and Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission 621 Woodland Square Loop SE Lacey, WA 98503

Re: Advice No. 2024-42 PSE's Natural Gas Tariff Filing - Filed Electronically

Dear Executive Director Killip:

Puget Sound Energy ("PSE") hereby submits proposed revisions to rates under its natural gas Schedule 141N, Rates Not Subject to Refund Rate Adjustment, and Schedule 141R, Rates Subject to Refund Rate Adjustment. This filing, pursuant to RCW 80.28.060 and Chapter 480-80 WAC, proposes revisions to the following natural gas tariff sheets:

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3 rd Revision	Sheet No. 1141N	Rates Not Subject to Refund Rate Adjustment
3 rd Revision	Sheet No. 1141N-A	Rates Not Subject to Refund Rate Adjustment (Continued)
3 rd Revision	Sheet No. 1141N-B	Rates Not Subject to Refund Rate Adjustment (Continued)
3 rd Revision	Sheet No. 1141N-C	Rates Not Subject to Refund Rate Adjustment (Continued)
3 rd Revision	Sheet No. 1141R-A	Rates Subject to Refund Rate Adjustment (Continued)
3 rd Revision	Sheet No. 1141R-B	Rates Subject to Refund Rate Adjustment (Continued)
3 rd Revision	Sheet No. 1141R-C	Rates Subject to Refund Rate Adjustment (Continued)

WN U-2 - (Natural Gas Tariff):

On March 29, 2024, PSE submitted a Compliance Filing pursuant to paragraphs 53 and 60 of the Multiparty Settlement Agreement approved in consolidated Dockets UE-220066 and UG-220067 ("2022 GRC") and paragraphs 237 and 243 of Final Order 24 in the 2022 GRC. The compliance filing included PSE's Multi-Year Rate Plan ("MYRP") Annual Report ("MYRP Annual Report").

On October 18, 2024, PSE filed its revised MYRP Annual Report ("Revised MYRP Annual Report"). The most significant change made in the revised report was to remove the Energize Eastside project from the MYRP Annual Report and from PSE's request to transfer the associated revenues to rates that are no longer subject to refund. This revision has no impact on this gas tariff rate change request.

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In the Revised MYRP Annual Report, PSE proposed that the Commission find that there is no need for a refund. When a refund is not required, the only tariff filings that are required are to transfer the amounts that are no longer deemed subject to refund between Schedules 141R and 141N.

The purpose of this filing is to submit the natural gas tariff revisions that are necessary to effectuate the transfer related to 2023 natural gas plant. As stated in the cover letter submitted with the above revised compliance filing, PSE is submitting this filing at the end of the review period rather than contemporaneously with the compliance filing as discussed in more detail in the Revised MYRP Annual Report.

The tariff sheets described herein reflect an issue date of October 18, 2024, and an effective date of November 17, 2024. Posting of proposed tariff changes, as required by WAC 480-90-193, is being accomplished by posting the proposed tariff sheets on the PSE web site coincident with the date of this transmittal letter.

Please contact Veronica Martin at <u>veronica.martin@pse.com</u> or Susan Free at <u>susan.free@pse.com</u> for additional information about this filing. If you have any other questions, please contact me at birud.jhaveri@pse.com.

Sincerely,

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Attachments: Natural Gas Tariff Sheets, listed above Work Papers