

**EXH. DEM-2
DOCKETS UE-19 ___/UG-19 ___
2019 PSE GENERAL RATE CASE
WITNESS: DAVID E. MILLS**

**BEFORE THE
WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

**WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION,**

Complainant,

v.

PUGET SOUND ENERGY,

Respondent.

**Docket UE-19 ___
Docket UG-19 ___**

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

DAVID E. MILLS

ON BEHALF OF PUGET SOUND ENERGY

JUNE 20, 2019

1 **PUGET SOUND ENERGY**

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3 **PREFILED DIRECT TESTIMONY OF**
4 **DAVID E. MILLS**

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

6 A. My name is David E. Mills. My business address is 355 110th Avenue NE,
7 Bellevue, WA 98004.

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

9 A. I am employed by Puget Sound Energy (“PSE”) as Senior Vice President of
10 Policy and Energy Supply.

11 **Q. What are your duties as Senior Vice President of Policy and Energy Supply**
12 **for PSE?**

13 A. As Senior Vice President of Policy and Energy Supply for PSE, my
14 responsibilities include oversight of PSE’s Power and Gas Supply Operations;
15 Load Serving Operations; Transmission Contracts; Energy Operations Policy,
16 Planning and Compliance; Legislative and Regulatory Affairs; Energy Efficiency;
17 and Products and Service Development groups. I am also responsible for certain
18 strategic customer initiatives related to customer experience and satisfaction.

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

20 A. I graduated from Portland State University in 1987 with a Bachelor of Science
21 degree in Economics. I have over thirty years of experience in the energy/utility

1 industry, with extensive experience in the areas of trading, transmission and risk
2 management issues.

3 Prior to joining PSE, I worked with the Bonneville Power Administration
4 (“BPA”) for a total of eighteen years. I began my career in the economic and
5 demand forecasting division, and later moved into BPA’s Transmission Business
6 Line in 1994. While employed in BPA’s Transmission Business Line, I led BPA’s
7 retail wheeling public process to support deregulation and open transmission
8 access.

9 In 1998, I became the Trading Floor Manager for BPA’s Bulk Power Marketing
10 Group. In this capacity I was responsible for BPA’s secondary wholesale
11 marketing activities, including energy trading and real time hydro operations.
12 I also managed the price risk assessment and analyses of hydro operations and
13 long-term power purchases.

14 In 2002, I joined PSE as Director, Energy Supply and Planning. In 2012, I became
15 Vice President of Energy Supply Operations, and I was named to my current role
16 as Senior Vice President of Policy and Energy Supply in 2018.

17 From 1998 until present, I have served as a member of the Executive and
18 Operating Committees of the Western Systems Power Pool. From 2005 to
19 present, I have served on the Board of Directors for the Pacific Northwest
20 Conference Committee (PNUCC). I am also a member of the Columbia Grid
21 Executive Committee.