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## BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

## Dockets UE-190529 & UG-190530 **Puget Sound Energy** 2019 General Rate Case

## THE ENERGY PROJECT DATA REQUEST NO. 018:

Please provide any information in PSE's possession regarding customer complaints related to disconnection for non-payment from 2014 to the present, including number of complaints by year, the nature of the complaint, the resolution of the complaint, and the number of complaints which resulted in involvement by UTC Staff.

## Response:

The following tables show total customer complaints by year related to disconnection for non-payment (the nature of the complaint), as well as the resolution status of each complaint.

| Year  | Total Disconnect<br>Complaints |  |  |  |
|-------|--------------------------------|--|--|--|
| 2014  | 98                             |  |  |  |
| 2015  | 122                            |  |  |  |
| 2016  | 77                             |  |  |  |
| 2017  | 110                            |  |  |  |
| 2018  | 67                             |  |  |  |
| 2019* | 49                             |  |  |  |

| Year  | Complaint Resolution |  |                                |   |                    |                        |               |  |  |
|-------|----------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--------------------|------------------------|---------------|--|--|
|       | Company upheld       | Company<br>Upheld With<br>Arrangements | Company upheld with violations | Company upheld with violations & arrangements | Consumer<br>upheld | Non-<br>Jurisdictional | Still<br>Open |  |  |
| 2014  | 53                   | 8                                      | 17                             | 5   | 15                 | 0                      | 0             |  |  |
| 2015  | 57                   | 7                                      | 27                             | 6   | 23                 | 2                      | 0             |  |  |
| 2016  | 46                   | 7                                      | 16                             | 1   | 7                  | 0                      | 0             |  |  |
| 2017  | 63                   | 13                                     | 19                             | 2   | 13                 | 0                      | 0             |  |  |
| 2018  | 39                   | 9                                      | 10                             | 1   | 8                  | 0                      | 0             |  |  |
| 2019* | 34                   | 3                                      | 7                              | 0   | 4                  | 0                      | 1             |  |  |

<sup>\*</sup>Numbers are through August 2019