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September 9, 2013

**NOTICE SUSPENDING PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE
AND
NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT HEARING**
(Set for September 26, 2013, at 11:00 a.m., or immediately following the
Commission's Open Meeting)

RE: *In the Matter of the Petition of Puget Sound Energy, Inc., for an Accounting Order Authorizing Accounting Treatment Related to Payments for Major Maintenance Activities*, Docket UE-130583;

Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. Puget Sound Energy, Inc., Docket UE-130617;

In the Matter of the Application of Puget Sound Energy, Inc., for an Order Authorizing the Sale of the Water Rights and Associated Assets of the Electron Hydroelectric Project in Accordance with WAC 480-143 and RCW 80.12, Docket UE-131099; and

In the Matter of the Application of Puget Sound Energy, Inc., For an Order Authorizing the Sale of Interests in the Development Assets Required for the Construction and Operation of Phase II of the Lower Snake River Wind Facility, Docket UE-131230 (*consolidated*)

TO ALL PARTIES:

On September 6, 2013, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission's (Commission) regulatory staff (Staff), on behalf of all the parties, filed a letter indicating that a settlement agreement had been reached in the above-referenced dockets. The parties hope to file the agreement and supporting documentation on or before September 16, 2013. Staff requests that the Commission suspend the remaining procedural schedule, with the exception of the existing hearing dates which, if necessary, would be used for a hearing on the settlement.

The Commission finds good cause to suspend the procedural schedule in the above matters while retaining the September 26 and 27, 2013, dates for hearing on the settlement.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That the procedural schedule in this proceeding is suspended.

THE COMMISSION GIVES FURTHER NOTICE That it will conduct a settlement hearing in this matter on Thursday, September 26, 2013, at 11:00 a.m., or immediately following the Commission's Open Meeting, in Room 206, Richard Hemstad Building, 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S.W., Olympia, Washington. The settlement hearing will continue, as necessary, on September 27, 2013.

MARGUERITE E. FRIEDLANDER
Administrative Law Judge