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David W. Danner, Executive Director and Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission 1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. SW P.O. Box 47250 Olympia, Washington 98504-7250

RE: In the Matter of the Petition of PUGET SOUND ENERGY, INC. for a Determination of Emissions Compliance

Docket UE-121594

Dear Mr. Danner:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket is the original confidentiality agreements signed by Alan R. Newman on behalf of Commission Staff.

Sincerely,

KRISTA L. GROSS Legal Assistant

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Enclosures cc: Parties

EXHIBIT B (EXPERT AGREEMENT)

AGREEMENT CONCERNING CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION IN DOCKET UE-121594 BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

I, Alan R. Newman, with the Washington Department of Ecology, as expert witness in this proceeding for the Utilities and Transportation Commission (a party to this proceeding) hereby agree to comply with and be bound by the Protective Order entered by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission in Docket UE-121594 and acknowledge that I have reviewed the Protective Order and fully understand its terms and conditions. Dan K Neuman Oct. 10,2012 Signature Washington State Department of Ecology Employer P. O. Box 47600, Olympia, WA, 98504-7600 Senior Air Quality Engineer, Responsible for coordination with <u>UTC per RCW 80.80.060(7)</u> Address Position and Responsibilities The following portion is to be completed by the responding party and filed with the Commission within 10 days of receipt; failure to do so will constitute a waiver and the above-named person will be deemed an expert having access to Confidential Information under the terms and conditions of the protective order. No objection. Objection. The responding party objects to the above-named expert having access to Confidential Information. The objecting party shall file a motion setting forth the basis for objection and asking exclusion of the expert from access to Confidential Information.

Date

Signature