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Ref. No. Docket PG-101597

December 16, 2010

Allen Lo  
Home Motel  
11621 Pacific Hwy SW  
Tacoma, WA 98499

Dear Mr. Lo:

**RE: 2010 Master Meter System Inspection – Home Motel**

On August 9, 2010 the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission's (commission) pipeline safety staff met with you to discuss and evaluate the natural gas master meter system located at the Home Motel, in Tacoma, Washington. During our discussion, it was determined this facility located at 11621 Pacific Hwy SW, Tacoma, Washington is a master meter system in accordance with the definition found in Washington Administrative Code 480-93-005 (19).

It is unclear who the actual owner of this underground facility is since Puget Sound Energy has been, and continues to maintain the facility as their own. Nonetheless, because the system is configured as a master meter, Home Motel is ultimately responsible for the operation and maintenance of the system.

Consequently a master meter inspection will be scheduled in CY2011.

Docket PG-101597 will be closed as of December 16, 2010.

We thank you for your cooperation in this matter. If you have any questions, or need further assistance, please contact our Joe Subsits, Chief Engineer at (360) 664-1322.

Sincerely,

David D. Lykken  
Pipeline Safety Director

cc. Michael Hobbs, Director, Compliance & Safety, PSE  
Duane Henderson, Manager, Gas System Integrity, PSE  
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