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## PUGET SOUND ENERGY, INC.

## **NATURAL GAS SCHEDULE NO. 1**

Tax Adjustment (Continued)

- 4. **Timing of Collections or Refunds:** When the Company has paid tax assessments or other related charges for past periods to a taxing jurisdiction listed in Schedule 1, or received refunds from a taxing jurisdiction listed in Schedule 1, the Company will propose the appropriate time period and rate, to be included as a line item in Schedule 1 (in addition to the ordinance rate) with corresponding rate effective dates, over which to adjust rates to pass through the amount. If the proposed time period is greater than one year, the Company shall include its carrying costs at a rate equal to its after tax rate of return. The tariff filing for recovery of assessments or other related charges or pass through of refunds shall be made within 75 days of such payment or refund. The time between payment/refund and filing (up to 75 days) shall be considered in the calculation of the carrying costs described herein.
- 5. **General Rules and Regulations:** Service under this schedule is subject to the rules and regulations contained in Company's tariff. (M)

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