

Attachment 2

BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Joint Application of

PUGET HOLDINGS LLC AND PUGET
SOUND ENERGY, INC.,

For an Order Authorizing Proposed
Transaction

DOCKET U-072375

DECLARATION OF JONI
HIGGINS

1. My name is Joni Higgins. I am employed by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) as Customer Service Specialist 2. My business address is The Richard Hemstad Building, 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive Southwest, Olympia, Washington, 98504.

2. Since June, 2004, I have been employed by the Commission in the Commission's Records Center. In general, my duties are to process documents that regulated companies and others file with the Commission. It is my understanding that the Commission's Records Center maintains the official files of the Commission. For example, when a party to a Commission docket files a document with the Commission, that document is filed with the Records Center. Also, annual reports and budgets filed by Commission-regulated companies are filed with the Records Center.

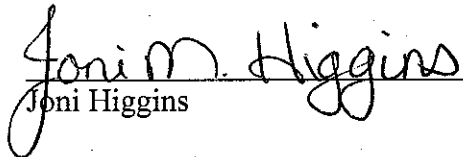
3. In the course of my duties, I handle documents designated "confidential." The Commission has trained me on how to treat these types of documents. I am familiar with the requirements of WAC 480-07-160, which I understand to be a Commission rule

that covers proper treatment of confidential information contained in documents filed with the Commission.

4. From 2005 to present, my duties have included the processing of annual reports and budgets that Commission-regulated companies file with the Commission. In my experience, many Commission-regulated companies use a "confidential" designation for certain information contained in the annual reports and/or budgets they file with the Commission.

I declare the foregoing to be true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signed and dated at Olympia, Washington, September 5, 2008



Joni Higgins