

EXHIBIT NO. ___(AS-2)
DOCKET NO. UE-13_____
2013 PSE PCORC
WITNESS: ALIZA SEELIG

**BEFORE THE
WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

**WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION,**

Complainant,

v.

PUGET SOUND ENERGY, INC.,

Respondent.

Docket No. UE-13_____

**FIRST EXHIBIT (PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS) TO THE
PREFILED DIRECT TESTIMONY OF
ALIZA SEELIG
ON BEHALF OF PUGET SOUND ENERGY, INC.**

APRIL 25, 2013

1 **PUGET SOUND ENERGY, INC.**

2 **FIRST EXHIBIT (PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS) TO THE PREFILED**
3 **DIRECT TESTIMONY OF ALIZA SEELIG**

4 **Q. Please state your name and business address.**

5 A. My name is Aliza Seelig. My business address is 10885 NE Fourth Street,
6 Bellevue, Washington, 98004-5591.

7 **Q. By whom are you employed and in what capacity?**

8 A. I am employed by Puget Sound Energy, Inc. ("PSE") as Consulting Energy
9 Resource Planning and Acquisition Analyst.

10 **Q. What are your duties Consulting Energy Resource Planning and Acquisition**
11 **Analyst?**

12 A. As Consulting Energy Resource Planning and Acquisition Analyst, I review and
13 participate in the analysis of individual power resources and portfolios of power
14 resources for PSE's resource acquisition process. For the 2011 Request for
15 Proposals (the "2011 RFP"), I was responsible for managing the quantitative
16 evaluation performed by the RFP working groups.

17 **Q. Briefly describe your education and relevant employment experience.**

18 A. I graduated from the University of Virginia in 1994 with a Bachelor of Science
19 degree in Systems Engineering. In 1997, I graduated with a Masters of Science
20 degree in Urban Systems Engineering from George Mason University.

1 From 1997 to 2003, I was a Consultant at OnLocation, Inc./Energy Systems
2 Consulting (“OnLocation”). For OnLocation, I designed databases, built and ran
3 energy models to support analysis of energy markets, environmental policy,
4 energy efficiency program funding, and transmission policy. My primary clients
5 included the U.S. Department of Energy, U.S. Department of Agriculture Rural
6 Utility Service, Energy Information Administration, and North American Electric
7 Reliability Council.

8 I joined PSE in 2004 as a Load Resource Modeling Analyst in Resource Planning.
9 As Load Resource Modeling Analyst, I supported PSE’s 2004 Wind and All-
10 Source RFP and the 2006 All-Source RFP, by leading updates to the quantitative
11 models, by creating power price forecasts using AURORAxmp, and by
12 participating in the evaluation of resource alternatives and portfolios. For the
13 2005 Least Cost Plan and 2007 Integrated Resource Plan, I was the lead analyst
14 responsible for evaluating the electric supply and demand-side resource
15 alternatives.

16 In 2007, I joined Resource Acquisition as Senior Financial Analyst. As the
17 Senior Financial Analyst, I was responsible for coordinating model and
18 assumption updates with Resource Planning. Additionally, I led and participated
19 in the quantitative analysis of the individual resources and portfolio evaluations
20 for PSE’s 2008 All-Source RFP including the financial analysis supporting the
21 acquisition of the Mint Farm Generating Station. My responsibilities grew to
22 include project management of the 2010 RFP and the quantitative analysis for the
23 2011 RFP.