

**EXHIBIT NO. \_\_\_(AS-2)  
DOCKET NO. UE-11\_\_\_/UG-11\_\_\_  
2011 PSE GENERAL RATE CASE  
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-11\_\_\_  
Docket No. UG-11\_\_\_**

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

**JUNE 13, 2011**

1 **PUGET SOUND ENERGY, INC.**

2 **FIRST EXHIBIT (PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS) TO THE**  
3 **PREFILED 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 2010 Request for  
15 Proposals (the "2010 RFP"), I was responsible for managing the quantitative and  
16 qualitative evaluation performed by the RFP working groups. Additionally, I led  
17 negotiations on the two short-listed resources from the 2010 RFP.

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

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

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

12 I joined PSE in 2004 as a Load Resource Modeling Analyst in Resource Planning.  
13 As Load Resource Modeling Analyst, I supported PSE’s 2004 Wind and All-  
14 Source RFP and the 2006 All-Source RFP, by leading updates to the quantitative  
15 models, by creating power price forecasts using AURORAxmp, and by  
16 participating in the evaluation of resource alternatives and portfolios. For the  
17 2005 Least Cost Plan and 2007 Integrated Resource Plan, I was the lead analyst  
18 responsible for evaluating the electric supply and demand-side resource  
19 alternatives.

20 In 2007, I joined Resource Acquisition as Senior Financial Analyst. As the  
21 Senior Financial Analyst, I was responsible for coordinating model and

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assumption updates with Resource Planning. Additionally, I led and participated in the quantitative analysis of the individual resources and portfolio evaluations for PSE's 2008 All-Source RFP including the financial analysis supporting the acquisition of the Mint Farm Generating Station. My responsibilities grew to include project management of the 2010 RFP.