

**EXH. KSJ-2
DOCKET UE-20____
2020 PSE PCORC
WITNESS: KENNETH S. JOHNSON**

**BEFORE THE
WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

**WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION,**

Complainant,

v.

PUGET SOUND ENERGY,

Respondent.

Docket UE-20____

**FIRST EXHIBIT (PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS) TO THE
PREFILED DIRECT TESTIMONY OF**

KENNETH S. JOHNSON

ON BEHALF OF PUGET SOUND ENERGY

DECEMBER 9, 2020

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4 **KENNETH S. JOHNSON**

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

6 A. My name is Kenneth S. Johnson. My business address is 355 110th Avenue NE,
7 Bellevue, WA 98004.

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

9 A. I am employed by Puget Sound Energy (“PSE”) as Vice President of Regulatory
10 and Government Affairs.

11 **Q. What are your duties as Director of Generation and Natural Gas Storage?**

12 A. As Vice President of Regulatory and Government Affairs, I lead an organization
13 that includes the company’s rates and regulatory affairs and federal and state
14 government affairs teams. These two teams are responsible for the development
15 and implementation of PSE’s regulatory strategy and associated filings and the
16 coordination of our federal, regional, and state policy engagement.

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

18 A. I have more than 30 years of experience in regulatory, legislative and public
19 affairs. Prior to appointment to my current position, I served as Director Rates and
20 Regulatory Affairs. In that role, I was responsible for the development and
21 implementation of PSE's regulatory strategy and the day-to-day management of

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the company's rates and regulatory affairs team. In the past, I also served as Director of State Government Affairs, representing PSE in matters before the State Legislature, agencies of state government and the administration. During my tenure in that role, I participated on behalf of PSE in the development of key state energy policies including the establishment of the State's greenhouse gas emissions laws, the State's emissions portfolio standard, the Coal Transition Energy Legislation and the Clean Energy Transformation Act.

Prior to joining PSE, I was employed as Senior Vice President of Government Affairs, West Region for Bank of America, directing the company's engagement in public policy activities in eleven western states. I attended the University of Alaska - Anchorage and majored in Economics.