

**EXH. KHX-2
DOCKETS UE-22 ___/UG-22 ___
2022 PSE GENERAL RATE CASE
WITNESS: KELLY HUI XU**

**BEFORE THE
WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

**WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION,**

Complainant,

v.

PUGET SOUND ENERGY,

Respondent.

**Docket UE-22 ___
Docket UG-22 ___**

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

KELLY HUI XU

ON BEHALF OF PUGET SOUND ENERGY

JANUARY 31, 2022

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4 **KELLY HUI XU**

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

6 A. My name is Kelly Hui Xu. My business address is Puget Sound Energy (“PSE”),
7 P.O. Box 97034, Bellevue, Washington 98009-9734.

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

9 A. I am employed by PSE as Senior Economic Forecasting Analyst.

10 **Q. What are your duties as Senior Economic Forecasting Analyst?**

11 A. My duties include preparing annual rate schedule load forecasts for budget
12 planning, performing weather normalization analyses for rate case filings,
13 evaluating and tracking load forecasting performance, and leading data projects
14 on setting the infrastructure on PSE’s cloud platform.

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

16 A. I earned a Bachelor of Engineering degree in management engineering from
17 Tongji University in Shanghai, China. I also received a Master of Science degree
18 in management science from the University of Texas at Dallas.

19 In 2003 I joined PSE as a risk control analyst. Later that year I transitioned to the
20 regulatory department and was soon promoted to Senior Regulatory System
21 Analyst.

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In my eight years as a Senior Regulatory System Analyst, I led efforts to prepare natural gas pro forma revenue, analyze costs of service, and develop rate designs for general rate case filings. I developed statistical and analytical support for electric cost allocation, weather normalization, and load research studies. I was responsible for regulatory filings, including purchase gas adjustment filings, liquified natural gas filings, low-income program filings, and other regulated proceedings. I responded to, and provided analyses for, data request responses for various regulatory proceedings, and I performed complex data queries using multiple database platforms. In 2017, I was promoted to my current position.