

## STATE OF WASHINGTON

## WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

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November 2, 2007

Bill Parker

Re: Proposed Sale of Puget Sound Energy

Dear Mr. Parker:

The Governor's Office asked me to respond to your inquiry regarding the regarding the proposed sale of Puget Sound Energy (PSE). As you observe, the utility announced its proposal to be acquired by an investment group on October 26, 2007.

State law requires that this transaction will require approval from the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (UTC). The UTC will review the proposal and hold a hearing to provide an opportunity for members of the public to express their opinions concerning the proposed sale. PSE has yet to file a formal request for the necessary approvals, so a hearing date has not yet been set. The UTC will add your name to the list of interested persons so that you will receive notification of the hearing date, time and location.

Thank you again for your inquiry and for your interest in the electric utilities that serve customers in Washington.

Sincerely,

David W. Danner

**Executive Director** 

## Moen, Nancy (UTC)

From:

Schaefer, Tracie (GOV)

Sent:

Wednesday, October 31, 2007 9:23 AM

To:

Moen, Nancy (UTC)

Subject:

Response 729231 GOV'S E-MAIL REFERRAL

REFERRAL DIRECTIONS (For Complete Directions Refer to Citizen Response Team Guidelines)

UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION Referred To:

## Action:

RESPOND AS YOU DEEM APPROPRIATE (LETTER, PHONE CALL, DIRECTOR SIGNATURE, ETC.) PLEASE RETURN THE ORIGINAL LETTER, THE REFERRAL SHEET, AND COPY OF REPLY TO CONSTITUENT SERVICES. IF YOU HAVE REPLIED BY EMAIL, PLEASE SEND US A COPY OF YOUR REPLY BY EMAIL.

Comments:

Issue: Puget Sound Energy

I learned that Puget Sound Energy is being sold to a financial group. Please make sure this important utility is not being sold to foreign investors. Please respond.

DUE BACK:

11/14/2007

Referred By: Tracie Schaefer 902-0674 SMTP:tracie.schaefer@gov.wa.gov

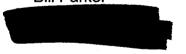
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Contact Date: 10/30/2007

Contact Type: Hot Line

From:

Bill Parker



Phone(s): Home 1

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