August 12, 2021

Docket UE-210191

TO ALL PARTIES:

On March 19, 2021, pursuant to Revised Code of Washington (RCW) 80.28.365, Puget Sound Energy (PSE or Company) filed with the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) its 2021 Transportation Electrification Plan (TEP) under Docket UE-210191. Per RCW 80.28.365, an electric company “may submit to the commission an electrification of transportation plan that deploys electric vehicle supply equipment or provides other electric transportation programs, services, or incentives to support electrification of transportation.” The TEP may include proposed or planned future programs along with the anticipated costs and benefits of those programs.

On July 14, 2021, PSE supplemented its original filing with an addendum. This is PSE’s first TEP received by the Commission since enabling legislation was enacted in 2019. On May 26, 2021, the Commission issued a Notice of Opportunity to File Written Comments on PSE’s TEP.

In addition to Commission staff (Staff), 30 stakeholders filed comments in this docket. Staff’s comments summarized 19 comments received from stakeholders as of the time of Staff’s filing, all of which recommended acknowledging the TEP. Staff’s comments also offered suggestions related to plan implementation.

Pursuant to RCW 80.28.365, the Commission must acknowledge PSE’s TEP. The Commission’s Secretary is authorized to issue a letter confirming acknowledgement.

PSE’s 2021 TEP came before the Commission at its regularly scheduled Open Meeting on August 12, 2021. Staff states that it believes PSE’s TEP complies with RCW 80.28.365 and recommends that the Commission authorize the Executive Director and Secretary to issue a letter acknowledging PSE’s TEP. No other party made a recommendation.

The Commission authorized the Executive Director and Secretary to issue a letter acknowledging
PSE’s TEP pursuant to RCW 80.28.365.

This letter, therefore, acknowledges PSE’s TEP pursuant to RCW 80.28.365.

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Executive Director and Secretary