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Carole J. Washburn
Executive Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
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**Re: Postponement of Supplemental PCA Direct And Responsive Testimony;
Docket Nos. UE-011570/UG-011571**

Dear Ms. Washburn:

The parties to this proceeding that are participating in the PCA collaborative settlement discussions have scheduled their next meeting for this Thursday, May 23, 2002. At the last meeting of the collaborative, it was also noted that the procedural schedule for litigation affords Puget Sound Energy, Inc. ("PSE") the option of filing supplemental direct testimony concerning a proposed PCA on this Wednesday, May 22, 2002. To facilitate collaborative settlement discussions, the parties would like to postpone the date for filing supplemental direct testimony to Wednesday, May 29, 2002. PSE circulated this proposal to all parties last Friday. No objection was stated to the proposal, subject to the understanding that Staff, Public Counsel and Intervenor testimony concerning the PCA also be extended one week, from June 14 to June 24, 2002. PSE respectfully requests that these agreed upon adjustments to the procedural schedule be reflected in an appropriate supplemental order.

Very truly yours,

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cc: Judge Dennis J. Moss, Administrative Law Judge
Parties of Record