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**BEFORE THE  
WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

In the Matter of the Petition of

Docket No. UG-151663

PUGET SOUND ENERGY

Declaration of Jason Kuzma in  
Support of Reply to Joint Motion  
to Establish a Bifurcated Proceeding

for (i) Approval of a Special Contract for  
Liquefied Natural Gas Fuel Service with  
Totem Ocean Trailer Express, Inc. and  
(ii) a Declaratory Order Approving the  
Methodology for Allocating Costs  
Between Regulated and Non-regulated  
Liquefied Natural Gas Services

1. I, JASON KUZMA, hereby declare under penalty of perjury under the laws  
of the State of Washington that the following are true and correct:

2. I am counsel to Puget Sound Energy (“PSE”) in these proceedings.

3. I have personal knowledge of the matters set forth in this Declaration.

4. On March 11, 2016, at 9:06 a.m., Staff of the Washington Utilities and  
Transportation Commission, the Public Counsel Unit of the Washington Attorney General’s  
Office, and the Northwest Industrial Gas Users (collectively, “Joint Parties”) shared a draft  
of their Joint Response to Motion to Establish a Bifurcated Proceeding (the “Joint  
Response”) with PSE by email.

5. On March 11, 2016, at 10:38 a.m., I responded by email to the draft Joint  
Response and stated, in part, that PSE could support the Joint Response, provided that the

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1 Joint Parties amend paragraph 7 of the Joint Response so that the prehearing conference for  
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3 the second phase is scheduled as soon as practicable (rather than after conclusion of the first  
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5 phase).  
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8 6. On March 11, 2016, at or about 12:20 p.m., I spoke with Mr. Patrick J. Oshie,  
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10 Assistant Attorney General and counsel for Staff of the Washington Utilities and  
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12 Transportation Commission, and reiterated PSE's position that it generally supports the  
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14 recommendations set forth in the Joint Response but would not support the recommendation  
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16 that the Commission schedule a prehearing conference at its earliest convenience *after the*  
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18 *first phase* for the purpose of establishing a schedule for the second phase of this bifurcated  
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20 proceeding.  
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24 7. On March 11, 2016, at 1:22 p.m., the Joint Parties served on PSE by email a  
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26 copy of the Joint Response, paragraph 7 of which erroneously states PSE's position with  
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28 respect to the scheduling of a prehearing conference as follows:  
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31 Therefore, the Joint Parties and PSE respectfully request that  
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33 the Commission schedule a prehearing conference at its  
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35 earliest convenience after the first phase for the purpose of  
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37 establishing a schedule for the second phase of this bifurcated  
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39 proceeding.

40 (Joint Response at ¶ 7.)

41 Executed this 16th day of March, 2016, at Bellevue, Washington.

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Jason Kuzma