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ACCESS EASEMENT

GRANTOR: Sierra Racific Industries GRANTEE: Puget Sound Energy, Inc. SHORT LEGAL: Portion of 11-35-06E ASSESSOR'S PROPERTY TAX PARCEL: P67297 (3947-000-016-0101)

This FASEMENT AGREEMENT ("Easement Agreement") is made this <u>294</u> day of <u>September</u>, 2015, by and between SIERRA PACIFIC INDUSTRIES, a California corporation, formerly known as Sierra Pacific Holding Company ("Owner"), and PUGET SOUND ENERGY, INC., a Washington corporation ("PSE").

RECITALS

A. Owner owns certain real property in the County of Skagit, State of Washington, which real property is legally described as follows (the "Owner Parcel"):

LOT 2 OF SHORT PLAT NO. 49-84 AS RECORDED UNDER SKAGIT COUNTY AUDITOR'S FILE NUMBER 8506030022.

SITUATE IN THE COUNTY OF SKAGIT, STATE OF WASHINGTON.

B. PSE owns certain personal property adjacent to the Owner Parcel, which real property is legally described as follows (the "PSE Parcel"):

LOT 1 OF SHORT PLAT NO. 49-84 AS RECORDED UNDER SKAGIT COUNTY AUDITOR'S FILE NUMBER 8506030022.

SITUATE IN THE COUNTY OF SKAGIT, STATE OF WASHINGTON.

C. PSE desires a perpetual easement on, over, under and across a portion of the Owner Parcel and Owner is willing to grant and convey such an easement to Grantee, subject to the terms and conditions set forth herein.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, and in consideration of the terms and conditions contained herein, the parties hereto agree as follows:

1. <u>Grant of Easement</u>. Owner hereby grants and conveys to PSE a non-exclusive perpetual easement on, over, under and across that portion of Owner's Property described as follows (the "Easement Area"):

THE PRIVATE ROAD (KNOWN AS SCOTT PAPER ROAD) AS SHOWN ON SHORT PLAT NO. 49-84 RECORDED UNDER SKAGIT COUNTY AUDITOR'S FILE NUMBER 8506030022; EXCEPT THAT PORTION THEREOF LYING WITHIN LOT 1 OF SAID SHORT PLAT. (APPROXIMATELY SHOWN ON THE ATTACHED EXHIBIT "A".)

- <u>PSE's Use of the Easement Area</u>. PSE may use the Easement Area to construct, operate maintain, repair, replace, improve, and remove an access road to provide ingress and egress to all or any portion of the PSE Parcel.
- Owner's Use of Easement Area. Owner reserves the right to use the Easement Area for any
 purpose not inconsistent with the rights herein granted.
- 4. <u>Successors and Assigns</u>. This Easement Agreement shall be recorded in the records of the Skagit County Auditor and shall remain a perpetual easement that runs with the land and is binding on the Owner Parcel and the PSE Parcel and the successors and assigns of the parties hereto.
- 5. <u>Entire Agreement</u>. This Easement Agreement represents the entire understanding between the parties hereto and may not be amended or revised except in writing signed by both parties.

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PUBLIC OF PUBLIC 3-05-2016

My appointment expires 3-5-20/6

BASEMENT SKAGIT COUNTY WASHINGTON REAL ESTATE EXCISE TAX

SEP 30 2015

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ACKNOWLEDGMENT A notary public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document to which this certificate is attached, and not the muthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document. State of California County of SKASHA on <u>September 22</u> 2015 before me, <u>Sugan E. Witherspoon</u>, <u>Notary</u> (insert name and title of the officer) tublic M·D Immerson personally appeared who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument. I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct. SUSAN E. WITHERSPOON COMM. NO. 2089237 NOTARY PUBLIC - CALIFORNIA SHASTA COUNTY MY COMMISSION EXPIRES WITNESS my hand and official seal. NOVEMBER 21. 2018 Signature AUMINE (Seal)

