

1 QUALIFICATION STATEMENT OF

2 ROBERT J. PETTY

3 Witness for the Bonneville Power Administration

4 *Q. Please state your name, employer, and business address.*

5 A. My name is Robert J. Petty. I am employed by NSR Information, Inc., 5475 Mark Dabling  
6 Blvd., Suite 200, Colorado Springs, Colorado.

7 *Q. In what capacity are you employed?*

8 A. I am a contractor Economist, Power Products, Pricing and Rates group for the Power  
9 Business Line.

10 *Q. Please state your educational background.*

11 A. I received a B.S. degree in Agricultural Business Management from the University of Idaho  
12 in 1992, and a M.S. degree in Agricultural Economics from the University of Idaho in 1995.  
13 My fields of concentration were business management and economics.

14 *Q. Please summarize your professional experience.*

15 A. In August 1995, I began work as an Economist in the Lower Columbia Area Office (now the  
16 Western Area Office). My main role in the Area Office was to work as an Economist  
17 supporting the Account Executives and their customers. My tasks included pricing, costing,  
18 revenue forecasting, load forecasting, risk management, contract issues, billing issues, and  
19 scheduling issues.

20 I served in this capacity until June 1998, when I transferred to the Power Products,  
21 Pricing and Rate Development group. My work in rates has included developing and  
22 running the Aurora model for the Marginal Cost Analysis for the rate case. My specific  
23 focus has been on the load forecast, hydroelectric forecast, as well as running the model. I  
24 have also developed and run the model to calculate the prices for the Risk Analysis group  
25 for the rate case.

1 Q. *Please state your experience as a witness in previous proceedings.*

2 A. I have not been a witness in previous proceedings.

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