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Steven V. King, Executive Director and Secretary  
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**Re: UG-160235 – CONFIDENTIAL PER WAC 480-07-160  
JANUARY 2016 - MONTHLY GAS COST DEFERRED BALANCE  
ACCUMULATIONS / AMORTIZATIONS**

Dear Mr. King:

Per WAC 480-90-233(5), enclosed are three confidential copies of the company's Deferred Rate Making Accounts & JE 28 and JE 29 ledger entries for January 2016. NW Natural respectfully requests the original non-confidential report filed on February 23, 2016, be replaced with the attached confidential version.

The information contained in the attached report is confidential pursuant to WAC 480-07-160(2)(c), as it contains financial information that has not yet been disclosed to the general public.

Please call or email me if you have any questions with respect to these materials.

Sincerely,



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Rates/Regulatory Analyst

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Attachment