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NOTICE OF BENCH REQUEST

(Due by Monday, March 29, 2021, at 5 p.m.)

RE: *Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. Cascade Natural Gas Corporation*, Docket UG-200568

TO CASCADE NATURAL GAS CORPORATION (Cascade):

BENCH REQUEST NO. 9:

- a. Referring to Commissioner Ann Rendahl's bench questions for Michael Parvinen at TR 231:6-19, please confirm that Cascade's proposed P-3 Pro-forma Plant Additions adjustment is presented on an End-of-Period basis.
- b. Also clarify whether the associated R-10 Removal and Retirement adjustment uses End-of-Period valuation.
- c. If these two adjustments use End-of-Period valuation, please provide in Excel format an updated response to Bench Request No. 2(a) that presents the pro-forma plant and removal and retirement adjustment on an Average-of-Monthly-Averages basis within the revenue requirement model.
- d. Provide in your written response any needed narrative and the cell locations for each change made in the revenue requirement model.

Please respond to this Bench Request no later than Monday, **March 29, 2021**, by 5 p.m., by electronic filing with the Commission's Records Center. Please provide courtesy email copies to all parties and the presiding administrative law judge. If you have any questions concerning these requests, please contact Administrative Law Judge Michael Howard at 360 664-1139 or via email at michael.howard@utc.wa.gov.

/s/ *Michael Howard*
MICHAEL HOWARD
Administrative Law Judge

cc: All Parties

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