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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

April 29, 2020

Mark L. Johnson, Executive Director and Secretary Washington Utilities & Transportation Commission 621 Woodland Square Loop SE Lacey, WA 98503

Re: NW Natural's 2019 Affiliated Interest Report and Cost Allocation Manual

In compliance with WAC 480-90-264, attached is the confidential 2019 Affiliated Interest Report and Cost Allocation Manual for Northwest Natural Gas Company, dba NW Natural (NW Natural or Company).

This 2019 Affiliated Interest Report includes the following enclosed exhibits:

- Confidential Exhibit A provides affiliated interest financial statements.
- Confidential Exhibit B provides the Company's Cost Allocation Manual.
- Exhibit C provides the report on compliance and officer attestation in compliance with Stipulating Condition No. 30 of Order 01 in docket UG-170094.

Please note that there have been no changes to the enclosed Cost Allocation Manual (Confidential Exhibit B) since NW Natural's filing of this same document with the Company's Master Services Agreement in compliance with Stipulating Condition No. 25e on December 28, 2018, in docket UG-170094. Please see Chart 1 in this Affiliated Interest Report for an updated organization chart.

The Report and enclosed exhibits include information that NW Natural considers to be confidential, and hereby requests that it be accorded confidential treatment in accordance with RCW 80.04.095 and WAC 480-07-160. No portion of these materials may be copied, reproduced, or disclosed in any manner without the express permission of the Company.

Please contact me should you have questions or require additional information.

Sincerely,

/s/ Natasha Siores

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Enclosures:

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