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Steven V. King, Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. SW
P. O. Box 47250
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RE: *Washington Utilities & Transp. Comm'n v. Cascade Natural Gas Corp.*
Docket UG-170929

Dear Mr. King:

This letter is to notify the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) pursuant to WAC 480-07-730(4) that a partial settlement in principle has been reached in this proceeding by all parties. The settlement in principle addresses most, but not all, of the issues presented in the case. The Parties agree that the calculation and treatment of the TCJA impact on rates concerning taxes collected at 35% for the period January 1, 2018 – July 31, 2018 remains contested, and that the issue will be litigated and presented to the Commission for resolution.

Pursuant to WAC 480-07-385(2)(b), Commission Staff requests that the Commission suspend the procedural schedule in this docket. All of the parties to this proceeding support this request.

Sincerely,

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cc: All Parties

