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BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION,)
Complainant,) DOCKET NO. UG-900210
vs.	,)
WASHINGTON NATURAL GAS COMPANY,) FIRST SUPPLEMENTAL) ORDER INSTITUTING) INVESTIGATION)
Respondent.	j
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By order entered in this Docket March 30, 1990, the Commission suspended the operation of tariff revisions filed by the respondent, Washington Natural Gas Company, relating to gas service. By the terms of the order, operation of the revisions was suspended pending public hearing concerning the proposed change and its reasonableness and justness.

In this proceeding, the Commission believes it necessary, in order to carry out the duties imposed upon it by law to investigate the respondent's books, accounts, practices and activities to make a valuation or appraisal of respondent's property; and to investigate and appraise various phases of respondent's operation.

ORDER

WHEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED That an investigation shall be, and the same is hereby instituted by the Commission as specified above, and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED That respondent shall pay the expenses reasonably attributable and allocable to such investigation to the extent required pursuant to the provisions of chapter 80.20 RCW, and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED That the statement required by WAC 480-80-125 shall be supplied to all Washington Natural Gas Company customers in the form and manner specified in WAC 480-80-125.

DATED at Olympia, Washington, and effective this 22nd day of May, 1990.

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

SHARON L. NELSON, Chairman

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RICHARD D. CASAD, Commissioner

A. J. PARDINI, Commissioner