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Ref. No. Docket PG-100051

September 29, 2010

Grant M. Yoshihara Vice President of Utility Operations Northwest Natural 220 Northwest Second Avenue One Pacific Square Portland, OR 97209

Dear Mr. Yoshihara:

Re: 2010 Standard Inspection of Clark County, Washington Distribution System

Thank you for your letter dated September 2, 2010, addressing the five items of our inspection conducted in Clark County Distribution System the week of June 14-18, 2010 and a follow-up inspection on September 15, 2010.

We accept Northwest Natural's intent to mitigate the items noted in the Areas of Concern. Docket PG-100051 will be closed as of September 29, 2010.

Please refer to the above docket number in any future correspondence regarding this inspection. If you have any questions or need any further assistance, please contact Al Jones at (360) 664-1321.

Thank you for your cooperation and interest in pipeline safety.

Sincerely,

David D. Lykken

Pipeline Safety Director

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