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**NOTICE OF EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE
ANSWER TO COMPLAINT
(Due by Friday, January 21, 2005)**

Re: Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. Cascade Natural Gas Corporation, Docket No. PG-030438

TO ALL PARTIES:

On December 1, 2004, the Commission entered a "Complaint" against Cascade Natural Gas Corporation (Cascade) in the above matter. On December 23, 2004, Cascade filed a request for a 30-day extension to January 21, 2005, to file its answer to the Complaint. Cascade states that the request is necessary because it is engaged in settlement discussions with WUTC staff and that Staff does not oppose the extension. The request is granted.

NOTICE IS GIVEN That the Commission extends the time for filing an answer to the Complaint until 5:00 p.m., Friday, January 21, 2005.

Sincerely,

CAROLE J. WASHBURN
Executive Secretary