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Carole J. Washburn, Secretary  
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission  
1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. SW  
P. O. Box 47250  
Olympia, Washington 98504-7250

Re: *UTC v. Northwest Natural Gas Company*  
Docket No. UG-080546

Dear Ms. Washburn:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket is the original confidentiality agreement signed by Ann LaRue.

Sincerely,



GREGORY J. TRAUTMAN  
Assistant Attorney General

GJT:tmw

Enclosure

cc: Parties



**EXHIBIT B (EXPERT AGREEMENT)**

AGREEMENT CONCERNING CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION  
IN DOCKET UG-080546  
BEFORE THE  
WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

I, Don LaRue, as expert  
witness in this proceeding for UTC (a party to  
this proceeding) hereby agree to comply with and be bound by the Protective Order  
entered by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission in Docket  
UG-080546 and acknowledge that I have reviewed the Protective Order and fully  
understand its terms and conditions.

Don M. C. LaRue  
Signature

May 29, 2008  
Date

UTC  
Employer

PO BOX 47250  
OLYMPIA WA 98504  
Address

REGULATORY ANALYST  
Position and Responsibilities

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The following portion is to be completed by the responding party and filed with the  
Commission within 10 days of receipt; failure to do so will constitute a waiver and  
the above-named person will be deemed an expert having access to Confidential  
Information under the terms and conditions of the protective order.

           No objection.

           Objection. The responding party objects to the above-named expert  
having access to Confidential Information. The objecting party shall file a motion  
setting forth the basis for objection and asking exclusion of the expert from access to  
Confidential Information.

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Signature

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Date