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## BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND

TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

**UG060256** 

## STATE OF WASH. UTIL. AND TRANSP. COMMISSION

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In the Matter of	ĺ	<b>International Chemical Workers</b>
Cascade Natural Gas Request for	)	Union Local 121-C Petition to
Authorization to Establish a Decoupling	)	Intervene
Mechanism and Approval of Tariff Sheets	)	
UG060256	<b>(</b> )	
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Pursuant to WUTC UG060256 and The International Chemical workers Union Council / UFCW Local 121-C ("Local 121-C") hereby submit this petition to Intervene in the above-captioned proceeding and seek party status as provided In support of this Petition Local 121-C states as follows:

1. The name and address of Local 121-C as a party of record in this proceeding is:

Jesse Middleton President Local 121-C 920 Holm Av. Montesano, WA. 98563 2. Local 121-C will be represented in this proceeding by Vincent J. Diaz,

International Representative. All documents relating to this proceeding should
be served to Local 121-C at the following address:

Vincent J. Diaz 1095 Makah Place Fox Island, WA 98333

- 3. Local 121-C is a non-profit Local Union Charter of the International Chemical workers Union Council, of the United Food and Commercial Workers Union representing 175, employees of Cascade Natural Gas Company.
  Vincent J Diaz is authorized to sign this petition.
  The purpose of the organization: Is to represent all members in collective bargaining.
- 4. Local 121-C has not participated in any cases in the last two years.
- 5. Local 121-C have a substantial interest in the outcome of this proceeding. Local 121-C and its members seek to intervene to ensure that Cascade's rate and related programs best serve the interests of ratepayers, Customers, employees and especially dependants of those who work for Cascade.
- 6. Local 121-C believe that our expertise in the area of service, installation and product knowledge will assist the Commissioners during this proceeding. And the Local have knowledge of cost saving proposed during contract negotiations.

- 7. The petitioner will submit written testimony and exhibits through the following Vincent Diaz and Jesse Middleton.
- 8. Local 121-C participation in this proceeding will not unreasonably broaden the issues unduly burden the record or delay the proceeding.

WHEREFORE, LOCAL 121-C respectfully requests leave to intervene and requests all the rights of a party in this proceeding.

Dated February  $28_{2006}$ 

Respectfully submitted

Vincent J. Diaz

**International Representative** 

**International Chemical Workers Union** 

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