September 11, 2008

NOTICE RESCHEDULING SETTLEMENT CONFERENCE (Now set for October 1, 2008)

RE: WUTC v. NW Natural Gas Company – General Rate Case Docket UG-080546

TO ALL PARTIES:

On April 29, 2008, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) entered *Order 02 – Prehearing Conference Order*, in this matter. Order 02 set out the procedural schedule for this docket, including a settlement conference to be held on Friday, September 26, 2008.

On September 8, 2008, the Company filed a letter indicating that a scheduling conflict would prevent the parties from holding the first settlement conference in this proceeding on the scheduled date. All parties have agreed to reschedule the conference to October 1, 2008. Therefore, the Company's letter requested a revision to the docket's procedural schedule.

In accordance with WAC 480-07-385(2), there is good cause to alter the deadline from the date originally set in Order 02 and such continuance will not prejudice any party or the Commission. Therefore, **NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That the agreed request to reschedule the first settlement conference from September 26, 2008, to October 1, 2008, is granted.**

Sincerely,

ADAM E. TOREM Administrative Law Judge