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December 7, 2009

Mr. Dave Danner
Secretary and Executive Director
Washington Utilities & Transportation Commission
1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive SW
Olympia, WA 98504-9022

Dear Mr. Danner:

Cascade Natural Gas Corporation ("Cascade") encloses for filing the following tariff sheet:

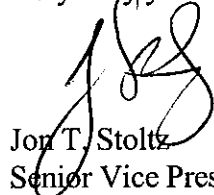
Ninth Revision Sheet No. 663, Canceling Eighth Revision Sheet No. 663

The purpose of this filing is to update the Company's 5-year average lost and unaccounted for percentage under the Fuel use requirements section of this tariff. As stated by the tariff, this percentage is to be updated on an annual basis. The effect of this filing updates the percentage from .3797% to .3409%. The attached exhibit details the calculation of the updated lost and unaccounted for percentage.

Given the timing of the submittal, the 30-day statutory notice cannot be met. Accordingly, the Company requests a waiver of statutory notice to permit approval by the requested effective date of January 1, 2010.

If you have any questions, please direct them to Paul Schmidt at 206-381-6825.

Very truly yours,



Jon T. Stoltz
Senior Vice President
Regulatory & Gas Supply

Attachments

"In The Community To Serve"

Cascade Natural Gas Corporation
CALCULATION OF 5-YEAR AVERAGE LOST AND UNACCOUNTED FOR FACTOR
State of Washington

Line No.	Month	Monthly		60-Month Rolling Total		Difference	Percentage
		Purchases	Sales	Purchases	Sales		
	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
1	Oct '04	60,326,880	55,834,031	4,758,047,352	4,739,352,980	18,694,372	0.3944%
2	Nov '04	68,464,350	61,485,068	4,725,415,952	4,702,786,237	22,629,715	0.4812%
3	Dec '04	74,236,500	71,122,850	4,691,506,772	4,670,796,141	20,710,631	0.4434%
4	Jan '05	91,031,100	91,215,142	4,665,357,362	4,645,919,588	19,437,774	0.4184%
5	Feb '05	66,153,790	66,622,489	4,632,971,432	4,611,602,388	21,369,044	0.4634%
6	Mar '05	61,663,800	66,202,102	4,599,946,342	4,581,166,313	18,780,029	0.4099%
7	Apr '05	53,656,700	56,971,614	4,587,124,882	4,568,133,349	18,991,533	0.4157%
8	May '05	41,799,700	44,015,037	4,553,672,352	4,536,307,708	17,364,644	0.3828%
9	Jun '05	39,030,880	40,190,576	4,501,192,382	4,483,337,546	17,854,836	0.3982%
10	Jul '05	45,537,040	46,109,040	4,452,906,002	4,435,034,723	17,871,279	0.4030%
11	Aug '05	54,601,920	54,656,423	4,400,785,352	4,383,528,675	17,256,677	0.3937%
12	Sep '05	45,376,950	43,910,485	4,338,713,382	4,320,982,293	17,731,089	0.4103%
13	Oct '05	53,554,791	51,083,877	4,270,245,750	4,254,284,937	15,960,813	0.3752%
14	Nov '05	71,112,870	60,764,689	4,221,586,530	4,202,928,983	18,657,547	0.4439%
15	Dec '05	89,141,100	86,546,707	4,219,914,668	4,202,127,580	17,787,088	0.4233%
16	Jan '06	70,854,390	73,387,611	4,182,548,968	4,166,188,716	16,360,252	0.3927%
17	Feb '06	71,628,830	70,213,455	4,143,210,258	4,122,838,015	20,372,243	0.4941%
18	Mar '06	63,714,950	69,101,718	4,097,504,828	4,079,937,478	17,567,350	0.4306%
19	Apr '06	50,043,510	54,207,775	4,051,028,188	4,034,988,717	16,039,471	0.3975%
20	May '06	40,122,770	42,786,776	3,998,857,228	3,982,751,575	16,105,653	0.4044%
21	Jun '06	39,182,990	40,947,585	3,953,591,738	3,938,691,997	14,899,741	0.3783%
22	Jul '06	57,453,000	58,137,804	3,912,137,878	3,897,330,475	14,807,403	0.3799%
23	Aug '06	58,907,840	58,375,897	3,876,752,948	3,861,069,535	15,683,413	0.4062%
24	Sep '06	64,193,720	63,100,046	3,857,747,088	3,842,106,287	15,640,801	0.4071%
25	Oct '06	72,910,770	68,574,625	3,837,178,788	3,822,432,545	14,746,243	0.3858%
26	Nov '06	74,556,280	66,395,801	3,824,789,188	3,805,238,745	19,550,443	0.5138%
27	Dec '06	81,179,630	78,548,356	3,808,191,758	3,790,222,648	17,969,110	0.4741%
28	Jan '07	90,655,080	87,676,513	3,804,746,588	3,785,039,620	19,706,968	0.5207%
29	Feb '07	65,085,909	72,542,430	3,784,026,718	3,767,761,734	16,264,984	0.4317%
30	Mar '07	57,712,629	60,788,535	3,742,748,917	3,730,884,609	11,864,308	0.3180%
31	Apr '07	51,795,857	55,009,609	3,734,472,863	3,721,412,387	13,060,476	0.3510%
32	May '07	41,304,420	44,040,348	3,727,222,264	3,714,741,302	12,480,962	0.3360%
33	Jun '07	36,488,844	37,562,499	3,723,048,518	3,710,117,736	12,930,782	0.3485%
34	Jul '07	43,951,155	44,534,512	3,717,870,762	3,705,279,436	12,591,326	0.3398%
35	Aug '07	60,314,182	59,861,498	3,718,644,174	3,705,811,167	12,833,007	0.3463%
36	Sep '07	62,853,283	61,086,375	3,723,224,017	3,709,720,666	13,503,351	0.3640%
37	Oct '07	73,316,743	68,392,396	3,727,550,800	3,715,270,367	12,280,433	0.3305%
38	Nov '07	74,018,210	67,023,176	3,724,178,020	3,707,842,547	16,335,473	0.4406%
39	Dec '07	83,710,091	79,546,516	3,717,339,781	3,700,139,996	17,199,785	0.4648%
40	Jan '08	103,227,398	99,878,646	3,738,156,189	3,715,745,422	22,410,767	0.6031%
41	Feb '08	76,316,118	85,369,924	3,735,203,797	3,720,677,599	14,526,198	0.3904%
42	Mar '08	72,903,800	71,596,916	3,734,082,377	3,715,970,960	18,111,417	0.4874%
43	Apr '08	77,424,184	81,864,179	3,756,936,161	3,741,449,911	15,486,250	0.4139%
44	May '08	45,807,844	50,782,877	3,757,681,305	3,744,992,387	12,688,918	0.3388%
45	Jun '08	41,351,071	42,209,503	3,763,180,126	3,749,998,315	13,181,811	0.3515%
46	Jul '08	40,820,609	41,568,943	3,742,596,385	3,729,512,908	13,083,477	0.3508%
47	Aug '08	63,482,033	63,223,165	3,740,727,328	3,727,385,485	13,341,843	0.3579%
48	Sep '08	63,088,478	61,632,729	3,739,111,736	3,724,967,108	14,144,628	0.3797%
49	Oct '08	60,374,937	55,420,183	3,723,125,713	3,708,071,369	15,054,344	0.4060%
50	Nov '08	61,887,505	56,655,951	3,697,768,868	3,686,475,570	11,293,298	0.3063%
51	Dec '08	92,118,683	79,034,543	3,711,027,790	3,690,506,376	20,521,414	0.5561%
52	Jan '09	84,156,410	88,752,732	3,706,546,451	3,690,500,315	16,046,136	0.4348%
53	Feb '09	84,139,798	88,738,525	3,722,840,921	3,707,087,391	15,753,530	0.4250%
54	Mar '09	83,275,289	83,957,178	3,746,897,740	3,728,433,533	18,464,207	0.4952%
55	Apr '09	56,243,886	63,035,600	3,755,526,716	3,740,143,615	15,383,101	0.4113%
56	May '09	43,922,037	46,764,799	3,753,991,482	3,740,381,101	13,610,381	0.3639%
57	Jun '09	42,456,271	44,074,731	3,757,420,773	3,744,274,438	13,146,335	0.3511%
58	Jul '09	75,902,627	76,082,929	3,780,820,091	3,767,357,292	13,462,799	0.3574%
59	Aug '09	86,704,714	86,291,568	3,811,296,285	3,797,735,444	13,560,841	0.3571%
60	Sep '09	84,281,678	82,971,380	3,841,528,822	3,828,478,987	13,049,835	0.3409%