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Jeff Killip, Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
621 Woodland Square Loop SE
Lacey, Washington 98503

Re: Cascade Natural Gas Company Notice of Intent to File General Rate Case
Docket UG-24_____

Dear Executive Director Killip:

The purpose of this filing is to give notice that Cascade Natural Gas Company ("Cascade") intends to submit its first multiyear rate plan and general rate case pursuant to RCW 80.28.425 on or around March 31, 2024. Cascade's last general rate case was filed September 30, 2021, in Docket UG-210755.

With this notice, Cascade respectfully requests a docket number for use in its upcoming general rate case filing, as was provided in recent general rate cases submitted by Avista Corporation and Puget Sound Energy. Having a docket number will enable Cascade to properly name all the filing materials (tariffs, testimony, workpapers etc.) and improve the efficiency of the filing and case management. Note, this pre-filing notice does not constitute a tariff filing that is subject to suspension by the Commission. The suspension date will be calculated based on the effective dates of the tariff sheets, when they are later filed in the assigned dockets.

Cascade also attaches a motion for entry of a standard protective order, because Cascade anticipates that its initial filing will contain confidential information. Cascade respectfully requests the Commission consider this motion.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (208) 377-6015.

Sincerely,

/s/ Lori Blattner

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