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RE: In the Matter of the Petition of Northwest Natural Gas Company, Seeking Exemption from the Provisions of WAC 480-90-238(4) Relating to Submittal of the 2020 Integrated Resource Plan,

Docket UG-190711

TO ALL PARTIES:

On November 13, 2020, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) entered Order 02, Granting Exemption from Rule Subject to Conditions (Order 02) in Docket UG-190711. Order 02, among other things, required Northwest Natural Gas Company (NW Natural or Company) to file an update to its 2018 Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) no later than March 1, 2021.

On March 1, 2021, NW Natural filed its 2018 IRP Update.

On March 15, 2021, Commission staff (Staff) filed a letter informing the Commission that Staff had reviewed the 2018 IRP Update and believes that it contains sufficient detail with respect to any changes in the 2018 IRP, and therefore complies with the requirements Order 04.

The Commission accepts the Company's filing as in compliance with the Order 02 requirement for an update to the 2018 IRP.

MARK L. JOHNSON Executive Director and Secretary