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January 23, 2019

NOTICE RESCHEDULING PREHEARING CONFERENCE

(Now set for Thursday, January 24, 2019, at 1:30 p.m.)

RE: *Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. Northwest Natural Gas, d/b/a NW Natural*, Docket UG-181053

TO ALL PARTIES:

On December 31, 2018, Northwest Natural Gas, d/b/a NW Natural (NW Natural or Company) filed with the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) revisions to its currently effective Tariff WN U-6, Natural Gas Service. The purpose of the Company's filing is to increase rates and charges for natural gas service provided to customers in the state of Washington. Specifically, NW Natural requests authority to increase revenues from base rates by \$8.3 million, an approximately 12.6 percent increase to overall base rates, proposed to be effective February 1, 2019. On January 8, 2019, the Commission suspended the as-filed tariffs and set the matter for hearing.

On January 11, 2019, the Commission issued a notice that set the time for a prehearing conference on January 25, 2019, at 1:30 p.m. On January 17, 2019, NW Natural filed a letter stating that an unforeseen conflict had arisen and, with the agreement of the other parties, requested that the Commission reschedule the prehearing conference for January 24, 2019.

Due to the parties' agreement and the availability of Commission resources, the Commission finds good cause to reschedule the prehearing conference for January 24, 2019, at 1:30 p.m.

THE COMMISSION GIVES NOTICE That the prehearing conference in Docket UG-181053 is rescheduled to Thursday, January 24, 2019, beginning at 1:30 p.m., in Room 206, Richard Hemstad Building, 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S.W., Olympia, Washington.

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