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Steven V. King Executive Director and Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission 1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. SW P. O. Box 47250 Olympia, Washington 98504-7250

Re: Report on Cascade Natural Gas Corporations' Notice to Customers on General Rate Case and Proposed Rate Changes, Docket UG-170929

Dear Mr. King:

In accordance with the Procedural Schedule in this docket (Order 03) the Public Counsel Unit of the Washington Office of the Attorney General agreed to report the status of Cascade Natural Gas Corporation (Cascade or Company) Customer Notice on December 8, 2017, regarding the Company's General Rate Case filed on August 31, 2017, in Docket UG-170929. Public Counsel respectfully submits its first Customer Notice Report to the Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission).

The Company provided a draft of the Customer Notice to Public Counsel on November 30, 2017. Public Counsel is currently reviewing the proposed Customer Notice and will provide comments to the Company on December 8, 2017. Additionally, Public Counsel contacted Commission Staff (Staff) regarding proposed Public Comment Hearing locations and times.

Public Counsel commits to working with Staff and the Company to ensure the Customer Notice provides customers with a clear understanding of the Company's rate request. There are no

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additional updates on the Customer Notice at this time. As such, Public Counsel will submit a subsequent Customer Notice Report on January 5, 2018.

Sincerely, ARMIKKA R. BRYANT

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