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April 7, 2021

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
In the Matter of Northwest Natural Gas Company's 2022 Integrated Resource Plan Work Plan, UG-210094

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 a revised Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) work plan no later than February 11, 2021.

On February 11, 2021, NW Natural filed its 2022 IRP Work Plan (Work Plan), which was assigned Docket UG-210094.

On April 2, 2021, Commission staff (Staff) filed a letter informing the Commission that Staff had reviewed the Work Plan and believes that it contains sufficient detail with respect to the planned content and timeline of the Company's upcoming IRP and Conservation Potential Assessment, and therefore complies with the requirements Order 02.

The Commission accepts the Work Plan as in compliance with Order 02's requirement for a revised IRP work plan.

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