

August 27, 2007

RE: Rulemaking to Consider Possible Corrections and Changes to Selected Rules
in WAC 480-93, Gas Companies - Safety.
Docket PG-061027

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

The Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) is pleased to enclose rules in WAC 480-93, relating to Gas Companies – Safety from the rulemaking activity in Docket PG-061027.

Also enclosed is the Commission's Order Amending and Adopting Rules Permanently. The Commission filed the Order with the Code Reviser on August 23, 2007. It will be effective on September 23, 2007.

RCW 34.05.325 requires that the Commission prepare and provide to commenters a concise explanatory statement about an adopted rule.

In this docket, to avoid unnecessary duplications, the Commission has designated the discussion in the order as its concise explanatory statement, supplemented where not inconsistent by the adoption hearing memoranda. Together, the documents provide a complete but concise explanation of the agency's actions and its reasons for taking those actions. We include all of those documents for commenters' information.

Please direct any questions about the rules to Sondra Walsh by e-mail at swalsh@wutc.wa.gov or by calling (360) 664-1286.

Sincerely,

CAROLE J. WASHBURN
Executive Secretary

Enclosures