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BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION,

Complainant,

v.

CASCADE NATURAL GAS CORPORATION,

Respondent.

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EXHIBIT TO TESTIMONY OF

David C. Parcell

ON BEHALF OF STAFF OF WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

Cascade Total Cost of Capital

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CASCADE NATURAL GAS TOTAL COST OF CAPITAL

ltem	Percent 1/	Cost	Weighted Cost
Long-Term Debt	52.69%	5.295% 2/	2.79%
Short-Term Debt	0.00%		0.00%
Common Equity	47.31%	9.20% 9.35% 9.50%	4.35% 4.42% 4.49%
Total	100.00%		7.14% 7.28% 7.21%

1/ Actual December 31, 2016 capital structure ratios of Cascade Natural Gas.

2/ Cost of long-term debt as of December 31, 2016, as contained in Company filing.