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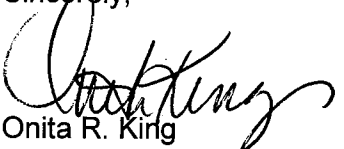
Pursuant to WAC 480-90-264, enclosed please find two copies of the 2008 Affiliated Interest Report and Cost Allocation Manual for Northwest Natural Gas Company, dba NW Natural.

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