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Re: AR 601 Severe Weather Moratorium; NW Natural Comments on Final Rule

Northwest Natural Gas Company, dba NW Natural ("NW Natural" or the "Company") supports the adoption of the final rules, as written.

If you have questions regarding these comments, please feel free to call me at 503.721.2452.

Sincerely,

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