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COMPANY NAME: Cascade Natural Gas Corporation

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RE: RG 49, OAR 860-085-0050(5) Greenhouse Gas (GHG) Compliance Report

Cascade Natural Gas (Company or Cascade), submits this letter in response the requirement in OAR 860-085-0050(5) that a utility file a report by July 1 of every even year presenting its analysis in estimating the cost of reducing greenhouse gas emissions from the Company's Oregon operations in the year 2020 to ten percent below 1990 levels and fifteen percent below 2005 emissions levels. The Company submits this letter to inform the Commission that the Company needs additional time to finalize the report.

The Company regrets this delay but believes the end result will be a better report. Cascade recently determined that including fugitive emissions in this report is important in order to provide a more accurate estimation of the costs the Company would incur to meet the State's greenhouse gas emissions targets. The Company is compiling the data necessary to include the impact of fugitive emissions and expects to file the report the week of July 5th.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact Jennifer Gross at (509) 734-4635.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Michael Parvinen", with a long, sweeping underline.

Michael Parvinen
Director, Regulatory Affairs