ISSUED: July 17, 2017

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON

UM 1804

In the Matter of

NORTHWEST NATURAL GAS COMPANY, dba NW NATURAL,

RULING

Application for Approval of Corporate Reorganization to Create a Holding Company.

DISPOSITION:

MOTION GRANTED

By motion filed July 14, 2017, Northwest Natural Gas Company, dba NW Natural, requests that the filing date for NW Natural reply testimony and Staff and Intervenor Cross-Answering Testimony currently scheduled for July 17, 2017 be suspended. NW Natural states that the parties have reached a tentative final settlement of all issues. When their final review is completed and the parties can confirm a final settlement they will request a suspension of the remainder of the schedule. In the event that a final settlement is not reached, the parties will request a new testimony filing date.

NW Natural states that it has conferred with the other parties and that all parties support the proposed change.

For good cause shown, I grant NW Natural's motion and suspend the filing of testimony.

Dated this 17th day of July, 2017, at Salem, Oregon.

Patrick Power Administrative Law Judge