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Re: OPUC Order No. 06-333, Docket AR 507

Request for Approval of Transition Period

Northwest Natural Gas Company, dba NW Natural (or company), hereby withdraws its Request for Approval of a Transition period, which was filed with the Commission on July 31, 2006.

Please call if you have questions.

Sincerely,

/s/ Onita R. King

Onita R. King, Manager, Tariffs & Regulatory Compliance

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