

ISSUED: March 3, 2008

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

UM 1335

In the Matter of

NORTHWEST NATURAL GAS, dba NW)
NATURAL)
Application for an Accounting Order)
Regarding Depreciation Rates and Flow-)
Through Amounts.)

RULING

DISPOSITION: PETITION TO INTERVENE GRANTED

On February 20, 2007, the Northwest Industrial Gas Users (NWIGU) filed a petition to intervene in this docket. NWIGU has sufficient interest in the proceeding, and its appearance and participation will not unreasonably broaden the issues, burden the record, or unreasonably delay the proceeding. *See* OAR 860-012-0001. The petition to intervene is granted.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 3rd day of March, 2008.

Traci A. G. Kirkpatrick
Administrative Law Judge