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Mr. Patrick Power
Administrative Law Judge
Oregon Public Utility Commission
550 Capitol Street NE
Salem, OR 97310-1380

RE: LC 54--Cascade Natural Gas Corporation's 2011 Integrated Resource Plan ("IRP") Replacement Filing

Dear Judge Power:

On April 15, 2012 Cascade Natural Gas Corporation electronically filed supplementary updates of several sections of our 2011 Integrated Resource Plan.

At an April 2, 2012 workshop with stakeholders, the parties agreed to waive the paper filing of the replacement pages at that time as the parties anticipated that further revisions would be made to the IRP following parties filing Original Comments.

Cascade respectfully requests a waiver from filing hard copies of the April 15, 2012 IRP supplemental updates with the Commission. This temporary waiver request is made in the interest of reducing the carbon footprint of having to produce a version of the IRP which will be revised again in the next few weeks, as well as controlling costs associated with producing and distributing multiple hard copy versions of the IRP.

Cascade will file both electronically as well as the required hard copies of the final replacement IRP with the stakeholders and the Commission by mid-May 2012.

We appreciate your consideration of our request. If you have any questions regarding the Company's IRP filing, please contact me at (509) 734-4589.

Sincerely,

Mark Sellers-Vaughn
Manager, Supply Resource Planning