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Re: **LC 51** – Notice of Appearance

Northwest Natural Gas Company, dba NW Natural (“NW Natural” or the “Company”) herein files the attached Notice of Appearance in LC 51, NW Natural’s 2011 Integrated Resource Plan.

Also attached is a Certificate of Service certifying this filing was served to parties on the LC 51 service list.

If you have any questions please contact Jennifer Gross at (503) 226-4211, extension 3590.

Sincerely,

/s/ Mark R. Thompson

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Enclosure

cc: LC 51 Service List

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

LC 51

In the matter of
Northwest Natural Gas Company,
DBA NW Natural, 2011 Integrated
Resource Plan

NOTICE OF APPEARANCE
OF COUNSEL FOR
NW NATURAL

Notice is hereby given that Mark R. Thompson, of Northwest Natural Gas Company, DBA NW Natural, 220 NW Second Avenue, Portland, Oregon 97209, 503-721-2476, mark.thompson@nwnatural.com, appears as attorney of record for NW Natural. The undersigned should be added to the service list in Docket LC 51. Paper service is simultaneously waived for the undersigned.

Dated: February 28, 2011

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on the 28th day of February 2011, I served the foregoing NOTICE OF APPEARANCE in Docket LC 51 upon each party listed below by U.S. mail, postage prepaid, or where paper service is waived, by electronic mail.

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