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October 30, 2007

Re: DG 07-072, Gas and Electric Indirect Costs Carrying Charge Rate Regarding Supply Related Cash Working Capital Delay in Proceedings

To the Parties:

On September 27, 2007, the Commission entered Order No. 24,793 in this docket that, among other things, directed the parties and Staff to file a proposed procedural schedule consistent with the terms of the Order. On October 12, 2007, Staff filed a request to delay the proceeding until January 18, 2008 noting that a shortage of resources inhibits Staff's ability to properly litigate this case. Staff further noted in its request that no party except Northern objected to the request and that Northern neither supported nor opposed the request.

The Commission has determined that granting Staff's request is reasonable and will not unduly delay the proceeding. Accordingly, Staff should file an agreed upon proposed procedural schedule by January 18, 2008.

Sincerely,

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