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AZ CORP COMMISSION
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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION FOR A
RATE INCREASE.

DOCKET NO. G-01551A-04-0876

PROCEDURAL ORDER

BY THE COMMISSION:

On December 9, 2004, Southwest Gas Corporation ("Southwest Gas") filed an application with the Arizona Corporation Commission for an increase in its rates throughout the State of Arizona.

On June 21, 2005, and again on June 29, 2005, a Motion to Intervene was filed by Arizona Community Action Association ("ACAA") as an advocate on behalf of low-income customers of Southwest Gas.

On July 1, 2005, Yuma Cogeneration Associates ("YCA") filed an Application for Intervention. YCA states that it is a cogeneration facility which is a large customer of Southwest Gas.

On July 1, 2005, Southwest Energy Efficiency Project and the Natural Resources Defense Council (collectively, "SWEEP/NRDC") filed a Motion for Leave to Intervene. SWEEP is a non-profit entity that promotes the development of energy efficiency programs, rate design reform, and distributed generation resources. NRDC is a non-profit organization of scientists, lawyers, and environmental specialists that advocates affordable energy services and reducing the environmental impact of energy consumption.

There has been no opposition to the requests to intervene.

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1 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the requests to intervene filed by ACAA, YCA, and
2 SWEEP/NRDC are hereby granted.

3 Dated this 14th day of July, 2005

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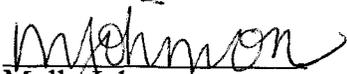
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