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6 IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF  
7 ARIZONA WATER COMPANY, AN ARIZONA  
8 CORPORATION, FOR ADJUSTMENTS TO ITS  
RATES AND CHARGES FOR UTILITY SERVICE  
FURNISHED BY ITS NORTHERN GROUP AND  
FOR CERTAIN RELATED APPROVALS.

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**PROCEDURAL ORDER**

**BY THE COMMISSION:**

10 On November 22, 2000, Arizona Water Company ("AWC") filed with the Arizona  
11 Corporation Commission ("Commission") an application for an increase in its rates and charges.

12 On September 5, 6, and 7, 2001, a hearing was held in which testimony was presented by  
13 AWC, the Commission's Utilities Division Staff ("Staff"), and the Residential Utility Consumer  
14 Office ("RUCO") (collectively "the parties").

15 On September 10, 2001, counsel for AWC filed a stipulation in which the parties agreed:

- 16 1) that the direct and cross examination of witnesses in connection with the hearing is
- 17 concluded and the record may be closed;
- 18 2) that in lieu of presenting an oral argument, each party may file a closing brief by
- 19 4 p.m. on October 10, 2001; and,
- 20 3) that no additional proceedings or examinations are required in this matter.

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22 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the evidentiary portion of this proceeding is hereby  
23 concluded.

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1 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the parties shall file simultaneous closing briefs by **4 p.m.**  
2 **on October 10, 2001.**

3 DATED this 17<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2001.

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8 STEPHEN GIBELLI  
9 ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

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