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10 BEFORE THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION
11 Arizona Corporation Commission
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21 IN THE MATTER OF THE) Docket No. G-01551A-07-0504
22 APPLICATION OF SOUTHWEST GAS)
23 CORPORATION FOR THE) MOTION FOR LEAVE TO
24 ESTABLISHMENT OF JUST AND) INTERVENE OF SOUTHWEST
25 REASONABLE RATES AND CHARGES) ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROJECT
26 DESIGNED TO REALIZE A)
27 REASONABLE RATE OF RETURN ON)
28 THE FAIR VALUE OF ITS)
29 PROPERTIES THROUGHOUT)
30 ARIZONA.)
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32 Pursuant to the Rules of Practice and Procedure of the Arizona Corporation
33 Commission ("Commission"), Southwest Energy Efficiency Project ("SWEEP") hereby
34 moves for leave to intervene in the above-captioned docket based on the following
35 grounds:

36 1. SWEEP is a non-profit public interest organization promoting greater
37 energy efficiency in six states in the Southwest including Arizona. SWEEP seeks to
38 promote the development of energy efficiency programs, rate design reform, distributed

1 generation resources and other measures that provide benefits to energy consumers and
2 result in the more efficient utilization of energy resources. SWEEP has staff located in
3 Arizona and has participated in prior Commission proceedings including the last
4 Southwest Gas rate case.

5 2. SWEEP has a substantial interest in this proceeding because Southwest
6 Gas' proposed rate increase, its proposed treatment of costs associated with the provision
7 of energy resources, and its proposed natural gas energy efficiency programs in this case
8 can significantly influence ratepayer incentives for the efficient use of energy resources
9 and the overall costs to ratepayers of energy services.

10 3. Intervention by SWEEP will not unduly broaden the issues or delay this
11 proceeding. SWEEP does not yet know what position it will take in this proceeding.

12 4. SWEEP requests that all pleadings, correspondence, discovery and other
13 documents be served on the following:

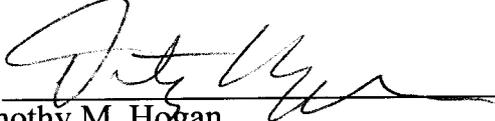
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26 WHEREFORE, SWEEP respectfully requests that the Commission issue an order
27 granting their Motion for Leave to Intervene in the above-captioned proceeding.

1 DATED this 1st day of February, 2008.

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