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SENT VIA OVERNIGHT MAIL

Kate Whitney
Public Service Commission
1701 Prospect Avenue
P. O. Box 202601
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Re: PSC Docket No. D2008.5.45

Dear Ms. Whitney:

Please find enclosed for filing with the Commission, Montana Large Customer Group's request to remain on the service list in the above captioned docket as an "interested" party for receipt of notices and orders. We have also electronically submitted (e-filed) a copy on the PSC's website.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (406) 252-2166.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Donald W. Quander". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looped initial "D".

Donald W. Quander

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Enclosure

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SERVICE REGULATION
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA**

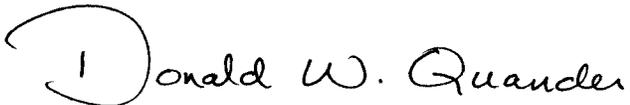
IN THE MATTER Of NorthWestern Energy's) UTILITY DIVISION
Application for Electric Supply Deferred Cost)
Account Balance and Projected Electric Supply) Docket No. D2008.5.45
Cost)

**MONTANA LARGE CUSTOMER GROUP'S
REQUEST FOR PARTICIPATION AS INTERESTED PARTY**

The Montana Large Customer Group¹ (LCG) hereby requests that it be designated as an "interested" party in the above-captioned proceeding and be retained on the service list for receipt of notices and orders.

Respectfully submitted this 19th day of June, 2008.

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¹ The Large Customer Group or "LCG" is an informal coalition of industrial energy customers which, among other activities, participate selectively in proceedings of the Montana Public Service Commission ("Commission" or "MPSC") that may affect electric or natural gas prices and service within Montana. For purposes of the present matter, the participating customers are Ash Grove Cement West, ConocoPhillips, Holcim (US) Inc., Montana Refining Company, REC Advanced Silicon Materials LLC, Smurfit-Stone Container Corporation, and Stillwater Mining Company.