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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
 SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION FOR THE
 ESTABLISHMENT OF JUST AND REASONABLE
 RATES AND CHARGES DESIGNED TO REALIZE
 A REASONABLE RATE OF RETURN ON THE
 FAIR VALUE OF ITS PROPERTIES
 THROUGHOUT ARIZONA.

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STAFF'S REQUEST FOR A PROCEDURAL ORDER

On October 23, 2007, the Hearing Division entered an Order establishing a procedural schedule in this case. Staff requests the schedule be changed to allow a separation of two weeks between Staff and Intervenor's direct testimony for cost-of-service and rate design and the remaining direct testimony. Staff has spoken to the Company and RUCO and the parties have no objection and have agreed upon a schedule which will keep a hearing date of June 16, 2008. However, the parties request the date of the pre-hearing conference presently scheduled for June 5, 2008 be rescheduled to a date after rejoinder has been filed. The new schedule would be as follows:

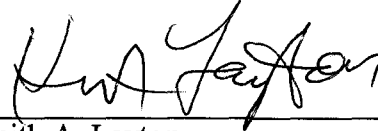
- March 28, 2008 – Intervenor testimony and Staff testimony except cost-of-service and rate design
- April 11, 2008 – Staff testimony on cost-of-service and rate design
- May 9, 2008 – Company rebuttal testimony due
- May 27, 2008 – Intervenor and Staff surrebuttal due
- June 9, 2008 – Company rejoinder due
- June 16, 2008 – Hearing date

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Wherefore, Staff of the Arizona Corporation Commission respectfully requests an order establishing the above procedural schedule. Additionally, Staff requests a rescheduling of the pre-

1 hearing conference from June 5, 2008 to a date subsequent to rejoinder testimony.

2 RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 6th day of December, 2007.

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