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RE: DOCKET NO. 07-057-13 In the Matter of the Application of Questar Gas Company to Increase Distribution Non-Gas Rates and Charges to Make Tariff Modifications. As Filed by the Commission on Monday, December 22, 2008

Dear Commissioners,

I am writing this letter to plead for intervention in the recent rulings forcing Questar to raise its natural gas rates.

Our business is the sales, manufacturing, installation, and service of stone countertops. It requires extensive travel throughout the Wasatch Front and even into neighboring states, visiting clients and vendors. Each driver puts three to four thousand miles on our vehicle each month. Approximately one year ago, when traditional fuel prices began to skyrocket, our Company invested nearly \$20,000 to purchase dual-fuel vehicles that would use resources that were both cleaner and most cost-efficient. This decision has proven to give us a competitive advantage in providing the essential products and services to consumers of a struggling economy.

The aforementioned ruling will greatly thwart our Company's ability to continue to invest in cheaper and alternative sources of fuel as well as overcome current economical challenges, many of which have been precipitated by our dependence on foreign sources of oil. Again, I implore your intervention to reverse this ruling, allowing business owners and families to do their part to take advantage of the cleaner and cheaper sources of fuel available on American soil. I trust that the wisest decision for consumers will be made.

Best regards,

Mark A. North
Operations Officer