BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

)	Application No. NG-002
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)	ORDER OPENING DOCKET
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)	Entered: June 22, 2004
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BEFORE THE COMMISSION:

The Nebraska Public Service Commission hereby opens the above-captioned docket on its own motion to participate as an intervenor in the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) consolidated rate case filed by Northern Natural Gas (RP98-203 and RP04-155).

On June 15, 2004, the presiding administrative law judge for the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission granted the Commission's request to intervene pursuant to Rule 214 of the Rules of Practice and Procedure of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission 18 C.F.R. § 385.214(2003).

The open docket will assist the Commission's efforts to monitor the case, to serve as a repository for documents pertaining to the case and to take any action necessary.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application No. NG-0024 be, and it is hereby, opened to monitor the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission consolidated rate case filed by Northern Natural Gas (RP98-203 and RP04-155).

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 22nd day of June 2004.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Chairman

ATTEST:

Executive Director