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PETITION TO INQUIRE INTO THE \$ REASONABLENESS OF THE RATES \$ AND SERVICES OF CAP ROCK \$ ENERGY CORPORATION \$ ADMINIST

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
BEFORE THE STATE OFFIERING CLERK

OF
ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

CAP ROCK ENERGY CORPORATION'S RESPONSE TO TEXAS COTTON GINNERS' ASSOCIATION'S SEVENTH REQUEST FOR INFORMATION, QUESTION NO. 3

To: Texas Cotton Ginners' Association, by and through its attorney, Zachary S. Brady, McWhorter, Cobb & Johnson, L.L.P., 1722 Broadway (79401), P. O. Box 2547, Lubbock, Texas 79408.

Cap Rock Energy Corporation ("Cap Rock" or the "Company") files its response to Texas Cotton Ginners' Association's Seventh Request for Information, Question No. 3. This response may be treated by all parties as if it were filed under oath.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, JOYCE BEASLEY, attorney, certify that a copy of this document was served on all parties of record in this proceeding on this the 20th day of July, 2004, in the following manner: hand delivered, sent via facsimile, or mailed by First Class Mail.

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TCGA 7-3:

Refer to the proposed Tariff Manual, Section 204.13. Please provide a definition of "special equipment" and provide examples of when such "special equipment" would be installed and Cap Rock would not require a Contribution in Aid of Construction.

RESPONSE:

Special equipment includes but is not limited to switch gear, capacitors and controls, regulators, autotransformers and reclosures. If a customer were installing a load that requires installation of special equipment they may not be required to pay aid for the installation of that equipment. The type of load the customer is installing and the capacity of Cap Rock's system determines what equipment is necessary. Pipeline stations, compressor stations, and possibly a customer generating electricity at a qualifying facility are examples of customers that may require special equipment.

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