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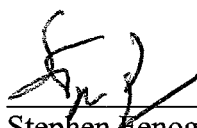
Re: PUC Docket No. 28813 and SOAH Docket No. 473-04-3554; Petition to Inquire Into
the Reasonableness of the Rates and Services of Cap Rock Energy Corporation and
Application for Authority to Change Rates

Dear Judge Bennett:

On behalf of Apache Corporation ("Apache"), I am writing to inform you that Apache adopts
as its own the arguments made by St. Lawrence Cotton Growers' Association and Pioneer Natural
Resources USA, Inc. in their briefs concerning the rate case expenses at issue in this proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,

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