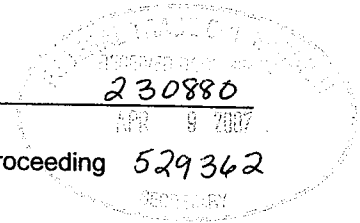


# NOTICE OF APPEARANCE



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- Pursuant to Section 4.1 of the Commission's Rule of Practice, enter in the above proceeding the appearance of
- counsel or representative for the respondent (Complete items 1, 2, 4, and 5 below)
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3. ASSOCIATE/ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

4. SIGNATURE OF SENIOR COUNSEL <i>William J. Baer</i>	5. DATE SIGNED 4/19/07
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**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
BEFORE THE FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION**

**In the Matter of,**  
**EQUITABLE RESOURCES, INC.,**  
**a corporation,**  
**DOMINION RESOURCES, INC.,**  
**a corporation,**  
**CONSOLIDATED NATURAL GAS**  
**COMPANY,**  
**a corporation,**  
**and**  
**THE PEOPLES NATURAL GAS**  
**COMPANY,**  
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**Docket No. 9322**

**DECLARATION OF WILLIAM J. BAER**

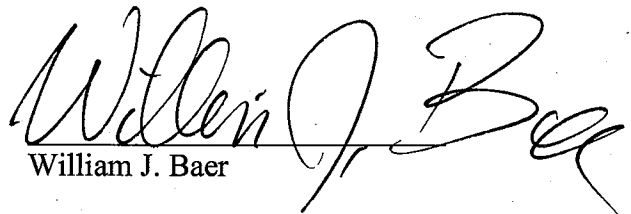
I, William J. Baer, declare as follows:

1. I am an attorney with the law firm of Arnold & Porter LLP, counsel for Respondent Equitable Resources, Inc. I make this declaration pursuant to Rule 4.1(d) of the Federal Trade Commission's Rules of Practice.

2. I am a member of the Bar of the District of Columbia (#324723) and am admitted to practice before the United States District Court for the District of Columbia, United States District Court for the Southern District of Georgia, the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit, and the United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit. I further attest that I am in good standing within the legal profession.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed: April 9, 2007

  
William J. Baer

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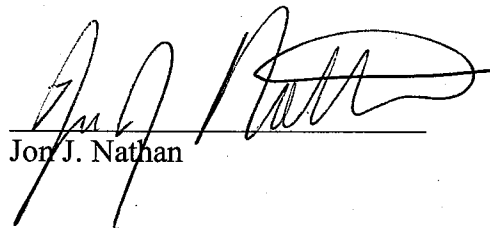
I, Jon J. Nathan, declare as follows:

1. I am an attorney with the law firm of Arnold & Porter LLP, counsel for Respondent Equitable Resources, Inc. I make this declaration pursuant to Rule 4.1(d) of the Federal Trade Commission's Rules of Practice.

2. I am a member of the Bar of the District of Columbia (#484820). I further attest that I am in good standing within the legal profession.

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Jon J. Nathan

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I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing NOTICE OF APPEARANCE, DECLARATION OF WILLIAM J. BAER and DECLARATION OF JON J. NATHAN were served on April 9, 2007, upon the following persons:

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