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Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
Chandler Plaza Building
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Subject: Waste Management – Sno-King, a division of Waste Management of Washington, Inc. (G-237); Tariff No. 14

Enclosed herein, you will find our new Tariff No.14 for the above-referenced company. This tariff replaces Waste Management – Sno-King Tariff No.13. Due the ongoing volatility of fuel prices, in this new tariff, we are restating our previously approved rates to exclude all fuel costs. The fuel component of these restated rates will now be reflected in Fuel Component Supplement No. 1 of the new tariff and will be billed separately and in addition to the revised rates shown in the tariff. The fuel component as reflected in Fuel Component Supplement No. 1 will be established based on the most recent one month average of the OPIS fuel index (August, 2006) and will reflect fuel costs as a percentage of tariff rates for residential, commercial and roll off customers. The Fuel Component Supplement will be revised annually and subsequent revisions to the fuel component will be determined utilizing the “deferred accounting method” similar to that used for the annual commodity credit adjustments. This new tariff is being filed with a proposed effective date of October 21, 2006.

Enclosed for your review is an electronic copy of our accounting workpapers. Also enclosed for your consideration is a request for LSN treatment of this revised tariff, in order that these revisions may become effective as of October 1, 2006. Customers will be notified of the change in their tariff rate structure on their next regularly scheduled billing after the approval of the Commission. In addition, the county has been notified of these proposed tariff changes.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me at (425) 814-7840.

Respectfully,

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