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**NOTICE WITHDRAWING PENALTY**

RE: Linda T. Agyen, Commission Staff's Request to Withdraw Penalty Assessment,  
Docket TE-150998

TO ALL PARTIES:

On June 8, 2015, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) issued and served a Penalty Assessment against Linda T. Agyen in the amount of \$1,000, alleging violations of WAC 480-30-071, which requires charter and excursion carriers to file annual reports by May 1 each year.

On June 8, 2015, Linda T. Agyen contacted the Commission and informed Commission staff (Staff) that the Company ceased doing business in 2013.

On June 15, 2015, Staff filed a response recommending the Commission withdraw the \$1,000 penalty because Linda T. Agyen's charter and excursion certificate was cancelled on November 3, 2014, in Docket TE-143577 for failure to maintain insurance as required.

The Commission's primary objective in any enforcement action is to ensure compliance with a company's legal obligations; penalties both punish noncompliance and provide an incentive to comply in the future. The assessed penalty would further neither of these goals if the Company is no longer providing charter and excursion carrier services in Washington. The Commission therefore withdraws the penalty assessed against Linda T. Agyen.

**THE COMMISSION GIVES NOTICE That the penalty of \$1,000 assessed against Linda T. Agyen is withdrawn and Docket TE-150998 is closed.**

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