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June 27, 2019

Mark Johnson
Executive Director/Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
PO Box 47250
1300 Evergreen Park Dr SW
Olympia, WA 98504-7250

Mr. Johnson:

As the General Manager at the Holiday Inn Express & Suites-Lakewood Tacoma South, I do not support Bremerton Kitsap Airporter operating a Scheduled Service to or from our location at 11751 Pacific Hwy SW, Lakewood WA 98499. Although my predecessor had previously supported the service, the owner does not give permission or access to Bremerton Kitsap Airporter to pick up or drop off passengers at our location.

It is very important that our hotel is not to be used as a scheduled "bus stop" for anyone from Lakewood to get picked up or dropped off at, if they are not guests. That service would bring in all kinds of random non-guests parking their cars in our lots, with people coming and going on our property, potentially using our restrooms and eating our breakfast. We also feel we cannot provide adequate security in this type of instance.

It is my preference for our hotel to use Capital Aeroporter and utilize their frequent airport shuttle service to and from SeaTac Airport for our guests. I have worked with Capital Aeroporter since 2004 as a General Manager in Pierce County. I know their service and the service they provide is very dependable. Not only do they provide great service, but their rates are very reasonable.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Deborah Kerner'.

Deborah Kerner
General Manager

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