Exhibit No. \_\_\_\_ (DMP-28) Docket No. UW-060343 Witness: Derek M. Pell

## BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION,

**DOCKET NO. UW-060343** 

Complainant,

v.

ILIAD WATER SERVICE, INC.,

Respondent.

## EXHIBIT TO RESPONSE TESTIMONY OF

DEREK M. PELL Assistant Manager, NW Office of Drinking Water Washington State Department of Health

> ON BEHALF OF STAFF OF WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

Letter dated May 19, 2005 from David Dorland to DOH

October 4, 2006

ILIAD, INC.

· John Tyrid- FYI

I called Mr. Darland to say:

VIA FAX 253-395-6760

- 1) Since we declared HC and jurped to MPAs, then MPA costs are reasonable to include in eng costs for UTC rate case
- 2) UTC oppears to have dropped their objections. See attached.

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May 19, 2005

Department of Health Northwest Drinking Water Operations 20435 72<sup>nd</sup> Ave S, K17-12 Kent, WA 98032-2358

Attn: Derek Pell, P.E.

Alderlake Water System, ID# 26995H, Pierce County

Dear Derek:

I am still trying to get the financing approval from the WUTC to complete the chlorination improvement for the water system.

One of the hang ups is the cost of the MPA tests on both wells.

Our engineer believes that the MPA tests should be part of the cost of engineering and new improvement. Your letter of 12/2000, item 3 (attached) directed the water company to perform a MPA tests to determine weather filtration was required along with disinfection. Our engineer calls the MPA tests feasibility engineering a cost necessary for engineering determination. If the tests were positive additional engineering and improvement would have been required.

I would appreciate your opinion in settling this matter.

Please give me a call at (206) 282-4200.

David Dorland

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