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Mr. Michael Lauver  
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Mr. Larry Wickkiser  
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RE: Application No. D-079317 of SeaTac Shuttle, LLC, d/b/a Whidbey Sea-Tac Shuttle, for an Extension of Authority, Docket No. TC-041893, and

Application No. D-079336 of Wickkiser International Companies Inc., d/b/a Airporter Shuttle, for an Extension of Authority, Docket No. TC-042129

Dear Mr. Lauver and Mr. Wickkiser:

These applications have cleared the docket without protest and are ready to be processed. As you are aware, these applications seek overlapping authority.

WAC 480-30-032(2) through (5) require the Commission to consider overlapping applications contemporaneously. The purpose is to compare the applications to determine whether either or both should be granted. In this situation, neither carrier protested the other carrier's operation.

Under these circumstances, the Commission will consider the carriers' failure to protest the overlapping applications to be a waiver of the right to comparative review, and will process the applications independently and without hearing, based on the evidence each carrier submits, unless either carrier requests comparative review within ten days after the date of this order.

The applications are being returned to the Transportation section. To request a hearing, or for other contacts during processing, please address your inquiry to Ms. Bonnie Allen at (360) 664-1226.

Sincerely,

CAROLE J. WASHBURN  
Executive Secretary