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Amanda Maxwell, Executive Director and Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission 621 Woodland Square Loop SE Lacey, WA 98503

RE: Commission Staff's Letter Confirming Compliance

DG-200755 – Raz Construction Company – Investigation #8215

Dear Ms. Maxwell:

Commission staff (Staff) has reviewed the compliance order for Raz Construction Company (Raz Const. or Company) dated Sept. 17, 2020. Compliance with the order required the following items:

• \$1,000 penalty for one violation of RCW 19.122.030(2), with the opportunity to suspend, and waive the entire \$1,000 penalty amount if the Company management attended Dig Safe Training within 12 months of the penalty assessment, and incur no additional dig law violations within 12 months.

On Oct. 8, 2020, Raz Const. notified the Commission of its acceptance of the conditions. Due to Covid-19, in-person Dig Safe training was not available. On Nov. 4, 2021, Staff notified the Company that online Dig Safe training was available. On Nov. 7, 2021, a management employee of Raz Const., took the online training. The Company has not incurred any additional violations of the dig law since the penalty assessment.

Because the Company was unable to attend in-person training before the compliance date in the order and has now provided documentation to the Commission that it completed online Dig Safe Training, Staff believes that Raz Construction has fully complied with the Commission's order. Further compliance under this order is no longer necessary, and Staff recommends the Commission waive the suspended \$1,000 penalty amount and close this docket.

Sincerely,

Sean C. Mayo Pipeline Safety Director