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NOTICE CLOSING RULEMAKING

Re: Rulemaking related to passenger transportation companies (WAC 480-30),
Docket TC-161262

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

On July 31, 2017, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) entered General Order R-590, Order Repealing, Amending, and Adopting Rules Permanently (Order) in WAC Chapter 480-30 to modify the regulation of passenger transportation companies. The Commission left this rulemaking open to consider additional revisions to rules that may no longer be necessary or useful in today's environment.¹

In reviewing the rules in Chapter 480-30, under WAC 480-30-075, the Commission must evaluate beginning in January 2019 the effects of the rules it adopted in 2013 related to applications and rate flexibility. To avoid overlapping rulemakings addressing the same rules, the Commission will include in the rulemaking it initiates in January 2019 an opportunity to consider changes to WAC 480-30 in addition to evaluating the effects of the rules specified in WAC 480-30-075.

Accordingly, the Commission gives notice that it is closing the rulemaking in this docket.

Companies and other interested parties may contact Danny Kermode, Assistant Director, Water and Transportation Section, at (360) 664-1253 or danny.kermode@utc.wa.gov regarding any questions about this notice or the anticipated 2019 rulemaking required by WAC 480-30-075.

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¹ Order R-590, ¶ 19.