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February 6, 2020

Mark L. Johnson, Executive Director and Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission 621 Woodland Square Loop SE Lacey, WA 98504-7250

RE: Commission Staff's Letter Confirming Compliance DG-181001 – B5X Industries, LLC – Investigation #7886

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Commission staff (staff) has reviewed the compliance order for B5X Industries, LLC (B5X Industries or Company) dated February 5, 2019. Compliance with the order required the following items be met:

• \$1,000 penalty for one violation of RCW 19.122.030(2), with the opportunity to suspend, and ultimately waive the penalty amount if the Company incurs no additional dig law violations within 12 months.

On February 14, 2019, the Company notified the Commission of its acceptance of the conditions. The Company has not incurred any additional violations of the dig law since the penalty assessment.

Staff believes that B5X Industries has fully complied with the Commission's order, and further compliance under this order is no longer necessary. Staff recommends the Commission waive the suspended \$1,000 penalty amount and close this docket.

Sincerely,

Sean C. Mayo Pipeline Safety Director