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August 31, 2021

Mark L. Johnson, Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
621 Woodland Square Loop SE
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RE: Commission Staff's Letter Confirming Compliance
DG-200434 – CK Excavating Inc. #8175

Dear Mr. Johnson

Commission staff (staff) has reviewed the compliance order for CK Excavating Inc. (CK or Company) dated July 6, 2020. Compliance with the order required the following items be met:

- \$3,500 penalty for one violation of RCW 19.122, with the opportunity to suspend, and ultimately waive, \$3,000 of the penalty amount if Company management and field crew responsible for excavation complete Dig Safe Training through the National Utility Contractors Association (NUCA) within 12 months of the penalty assessment and incur no additional dig law violations within 12 months.

On July 22, 2020, CK Excavating Inc. notified the Commission of its acceptance of the conditions and made a payment of \$500. On August 20, 2021, CK submitted a certificate of completion for NUCA Dig Safe training. The Company has not incurred any additional violations of the dig law since the penalty assessment.

Staff believes CK Excavating Inc. 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 \$3,000 penalty amount and close the docket.

Sincerely,

Sean Mayo
Pipeline Safety Director