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**NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO FILE WRITTEN COMMENTS
(By Monday, September 19, 2005)**

Re: Adoption-by-Reference Rule Revisions in Title 480 WAC
Docket No. A-050271

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

The Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission has filed with the Code Reviser proposed revisions to the adoption-by-reference rules in Title 480 of the Washington Administrative Code (WAC). The Commission filed the proposed changes as an expedited rulemaking (CR-105) under Docket No. A-050271.

This proposal would revise adoption-by-reference dates to reflect the most current published versions of adopted publications as well as make other minor administrative changes.

NOTICE is hereby given of the opportunity to submit written comments on the proposed rules to the Commission by filing with the Commission Secretary either by electronic transmission as described below, or by physical delivery to 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S.W., P.O. Box 47250, Olympia, Washington, 98504-7250, no later than 5:00 p.m., Monday, September 19, 2005. The proposed rules, as filed with the Code Reviser, are available for inspection on the Commission's web site at www.wutc.wa.gov/050271. If you are unable to access the Commission's web page and would like a copy of the proposed rules mailed to you, please contact the records center at (360) 664-1234.

Electronic copies. The Commission requests that comments be provided in electronic format to enhance public access, for ease of providing comments, to reduce the need for additional paper copies, and to facilitate quotations from the comments. Comments may be submitted by electronic mail to the Commission's Records Center at records@wutc.wa.gov. Please include:

- * The docket number of this proceeding (A-050271)
- * The commenting party's name
- * The title and date of the comment or comments

An alternative method for submitting comments may be by mailing/delivering an electronic copy on a 3 ½ inch, IBM-formatted, high-density disk, in .pdf Adobe Acrobat format or in Word 97 or later. Include all of the information requested above. The Commission will post on the Commission's web site all comments that are provided in electronic format. The web site is located at <http://www.wutc.wa.gov/050271>. If you are unable to file your comments electronically or to submit them on a disk, the Commission will always accept a paper document.

If you have questions regarding this expedited rulemaking, please contact Sharyn Bate at (360) 664-1295, or you may e-mail her at <sbate@wutc.wa.gov>.

Sincerely,

CAROLE J. WASHBURN
Executive Secretary