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Commission Docket No. TC-050372
Agenda Date Assigned 3-16-05

**BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION
LESS THAN STATUTORY NOTICE AND WAIVER OF CUSTOMER NOTICE REQUESTED BY:**

Company Name: Black Hills Transportation Inc. Certificate No. C-993 UBI No 602 214 228
Registered Trade Name(s): _____

The company requests Commission approval to amend its filed Tariff Number: _____ on Less than Statutory Notice to include a Special Fuel Surcharge Tariff Supplement to recover the rising cost of fuel.

Justification:

Fuel prices have risen as follows:

Proposed change:

To add a Special Fuel Surcharge in the amount of:

2002 base period per gallon cost: 1.444

Per one-way passenger \$ 1.50

Current per gallon cost: 2.099

Per round-trip passenger \$ 3.00

(This section to be completed by an authorized company official if the filing is made by other than owner, partner, or corporate officer of the company)

Name and title of authorized issuing agent: Linda Zepp
is authorized to issue and file tariffs and/or time schedules on behalf of (name of company): Black Hills Transportation Inc.

Name and title of authorizing agent (company official): _____

Telephone No: (360) 786-0636 Fax No. (360) 786-0641 E-mail _____

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 14907 City: Tumwater State: WA Zip: 98511

I request these provisions become effective on the following date: March 17, 05

Signature and Title of Issuing Agent: Linda Zepp President

Printed name of Issuing Agent: Black Hills Transportation, Inc.

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WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

ORDER

1. The Commission finds good cause to support the request and authorize the proposed changes to become effective with Less Than Statutory Notice on: March 17, 2005
2. The proposed changes will expire on: April 17, 2005
3. The surcharge amount will be applied on a per-passenger basis, rounded to the nearest twenty-five cents.
4. The Petitioner may reapply to retain or amend the surcharge in effect after the expiration date.

DATED and signed at Olympia, Washington, this _____ Day of _____ (Month and Year)

By direction of the Commission,

Secretary