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## VIA E-FILING

Mr. Mark L. Johnson, Executive Director and Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission 1300 South Evergreen Park Drive SW Olympia, WA 98504-7250

Re: 2018 ETC Certification - Request for Certification Pursuant to WAC 480-123-060 and 47C.F.R. §54.314

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Pursuant to WAC 480-123-060, Pend OreilleTelephone Company ("Company") hereby requests that the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission certify that the Company has met the requirements of 47C.F.R. §54.314 for eligibility for continued receipt of federal high-cost funds.

We apologize for the late filing as there was a miscommunication between the consultants and carrier.

The certifications and reports that are specified in WAC 480-123-060, WAC 480-123-070 and WAC 480-123-080 are enclosed.

If there are any questions concerning the foregoing, please contact the undersigned at 360-832-4130.

Sincerely,

Michael J. Martell

Enclosures