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PO Box 47250
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RE: Arrow Launch Service, Inc. // BC-97 // Rate Filing

Dear Sirs:

I am writing in response to the above referenced rate filing. We have been a part of the maritime industry in Puget Sound since 2005. During our tenure, Arrow Launch has provided exemplary service always, are an integral part of the maritime community, and are essential to maintaining the flow of commerce in the Puget Sound.

As a maritime service provider, we have seen dramatic cost increases through the past three years, after the onset of the SARS-CoV-2 pandemic. Understandably, Arrow has also seen these increases. We received word that chargeable costs from Arrow would be increasing due to this rate filing. While we understand that Arrow must meet demand, no one wants to see such a dramatic rate hike. We would ask that you please consider this when convening to discuss.

Thank you for your time and please feel free to contact me directly.

Best regards,

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