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April 5, 2019

Mark L. Johnson, Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
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RE: Commission Staff's Letter Confirming Compliance
D-180204 – Estate Fence, LLC (604-075-437) – Investigation #7686

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Commission staff has reviewed the compliance order for Estate Fence, LLC (Estate Fence) dated March 21, 2018. Compliance with the order required the following items be met:

- \$1,000 penalty for one violation of RCW 19.122.030(2), which occurred on January 10, 2018, with the opportunity to suspend, and ultimately waive, the entire penalty amount if owner and field supervisors of Estate Fence attend Dig Safe Training within six months of the penalty assessment, and incur no additional dig law violations within 12 months of the penalty assessment.

On April 2, 2018, Estate Fence notified the Commission of its acceptance of the conditions, and the \$1,000 penalty amount was suspended. On June 7, 2018, Estate Fence provided documentation to the Commission that it completed Dig Safe Training. Estate Fence has not had any additional violations of the dig law since the penalty assessment.

Staff believes that Estate Fence 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 \$1,000 penalty amount and close this docket.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Sean C. Mayo".

Sean C. Mayo
Pipeline Safety Director