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NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO COMMENT

Re: Investigation into Initiating Implementation Processes for Energy Legislation Passed in the 2019 Legislative Session, Docket U-190485.

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

You are receiving this message because your name appears on the Interested Persons List in Docket U-190485, the Commission's Investigation into Initiating Implementation Processes for Energy Legislation Passed in the 2019 Legislative Session. As you know, the Commission issued a notice on July 5, 2019, in Docket U-190485 (Notice) that included a proposed work plan for adopting rules, convening stakeholder workshops, and issuing policy statements to implement various requirements of energy-related laws passed by the legislature in 2019. The Notice also scheduled a workshop for Tuesday, July 30, 2019, at 1:30 p.m.at the Commission's headquarters in Lacey, Washington, to present the work plan to the public and receive comments on the Commission's proposed plan for complying with legislative mandates contained in E2SSB 5116 and HB 1257. The Commission reminds parties to limit their comments to 1) whether or not the work plan has excluded topics that need to be included in the work plan, and 2) specific requests to adjust the timing of the elements of the work plan.

More than 100 individuals have added their names to the Interested Persons list in this docket, and the Commission has allotted 3.5 hours for the July 30, 2019, workshop. To assist the Commission with structuring its agenda for the workshop, please answer the following questions:

- 1) Will you be attending the July 30 workshop either in-person or telephonically? (Yes/No)
- 2) If you are attending the workshop, will you be providing oral comments? (Yes/No)
- 3) If you are the member of an organization that has multiple individuals on the Interested Persons list, who will act as the organization's spokesperson at the workshop? (Name of spokesperson)

The structure of the meeting will be based, in part, on stakeholder responses to these questions. Typically, interested persons are allotted three minutes to provide oral comments, after which the Commissioners may ask follow-up or clarifying questions. However, the length of time allotted

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to each speaker will ultimately be determined by how many interested persons express a desire to comment.

Please file written answers to these questions with the Commission by 5 p.m. on Thursday, July 25, 2019. Please submit your response via the Commission's web portal at www.utc.wa.gov/e-filing and linda.anderson@utc.wa.gov. If you are unable to submit documents via the portal, you may submit your comments by email to the Commission's Records Center at records@utc.wa.gov. Your response should include:

- The docket number of this proceeding (U-190485).
- Your name, and, if applicable, the organization you represent.

Please contact Mark Vasconi at (360) 664-1308 or mark.vasconi@utc.wa.gov if you have any questions.

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