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NOTICE SUSPENDING PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

RE: In re Application of MEI Northwest, LLC for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Operate Vessels in Furnishing Passenger Ferry Service, Docket TS-160479

TO ALL PARTIES:

On December 23, 2016, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) convened a motion hearing to, among other things, take oral arguments on the Motion to Strike (Motion) filed by Arrow Launch Service, Inc. (Arrow). While the Motion was denied from the bench, the Commission offered Arrow the opportunity to file supplemental testimony solely on the narrow issue of the shipper support statement of Marc Aikin, as referenced in portions of Exhibit No. RSE-7T and in Exhibit No. RSE-8, which was the subject of the Motion. Arrow has indicated that it will need additional time to prepare this supplemental testimony, which necessitates modification of the currently effective procedural schedule.

The parties and the Commission arrived at a tentative, revised procedural schedule. The parties will consult their respective witnesses and informally notify the Commission of any scheduling conflicts by the close of business on Tuesday, December 27, 2016. The Commission finds good cause to suspend the current procedural schedule pending confirmation of the revised procedural deadlines agreed to at the motion hearing.

THE COMMISSION GIVES NOTICE That it suspends the procedural schedule in this docket.

MARGUERITE E. FRIEDLANDER Administrative Law Judge