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# PACIFIC CRUISES NORTHWEST, INC. D/B/A VICTORIA SAN JUAN CRUISES

**Operating Under** 

**CERTIFICATE BC-10** 

TARIFF NO. 17 (Cancels Tariff No. 16 as adopted)

**NAMING** 

**PASSENGER FARES** 

AND RULES AND REGULATIONS

**GOVERNING SAME** 

**BETWEEN** 

PASSENGER SIGHTSEEING CRUISES

Between: North Bellingham (Squalicum Harbor) and South Bellingham (Bellingham Cruise Terminal).

Point to point, with flag stop at Boulevard Park Dock.

PASSENGER AND FREIGHT SERVICE

Between: Bellingham and Friday Harbor.

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#### Section 1

# **RULES AND REGULATIONS**

## Application of Tariff:

#### **REGULAR ROUTES:**

PASSENGER-ONLY FERRY SERVICE - Between Bellingham and Friday Harbor.

PASSENGER SIGHTSEEING CRUISES – Between South Bellingham and North Bellingham.

#### ANIMALS:

Dogs, cats, and other animals or birds will only be carried in an airline approved carrier. Exception: "Seeing Eye" and "Hearing Ear" dogs accompanying a blind and/or deaf person who pays the standard fare will be carried free of charge. Said dog must be properly harnessed and must lie or stand at the feet of its master.

#### APPLICATION OF FARES:

- (1) The Fares authorized herein are one-way and round-trip Fares, and are payable in lawful United States money or its equivalent.
- (2) The Fares authorized herein will apply between any two (2) points in the Continental United States and from all points on the lines of the Issuing Carriers to all points on the lines of the Issuing Carriers.
- (3) The Fares authorized herein may not be used as Basing Fares to construct Fares to or from points beyond stations on the lines of the Issuing Carriers.

#### APPLICATION OF FARES - CHILDREN:

- (1) Children under 12 years of age must be accompanied by an adult passenger.
- (2) Children under 6 years of age, not occupying seats to the exclusion of other passengers, will be carried free of charge.
- (3) Children under 6 years of age, occupying seats to the exclusion of other passengers, and children 6 years and under 17 years of age will be charged a Youth fare.

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## ARTICLES OF UNUSUAL VALUE

The following articles will be accepted in Baggage Service subject to a MAXIMUM Liability of \$250.00 per Adult Ticket or \$125.00 per Child's Ticket and a greater value may NOT be declared on such articles: Antiques, Articles of Extraordinary Value, Heirlooms, Jewelry including Watches, Money, Negotiable Instruments, Valuable Papers including; Manuscripts, Irreplaceable Publications, Documents, Pictures, etc.

#### ARTICLES NOT ACCEPTED AS BAGGAGE

Articles listed below are classified as "Prohibited" and will not be transported under any circumstances; that is, Passengers will not be permitted to Check the Items in Baggage Service or to carry them on the vessel:

## (1) Articles Prohibited by Law:

Acids, Batteries containing Liquid Acids, Cylinders containing Compressed Gases (See NOTE), Combustible Liquids, Explosives, Flammable Films, Fireworks, Flammable Materials, Gases, Guns, Hazardous (Dangerous) Articles such as; Poisons, Gases, Explosives, Radioactive Materials, Flammable Articles.

NOTE: Passengers, who for medical reasons must rely on the use of oxygen in portable oxygen containers, must carry such containers with them on the vessel. No such passenger will be seated in a designated smoking area aboard the vessel.

## (2) Other Prohibited Items:

Ammunition, Firearms, Furniture, Materials which have a disagreeable odor, Perishable Items, Phonograph Records, Televisions.

## **BAGGAGE ALLOWANCE**

Baggage, not exceeding 3 pieces nor a total of 75 lbs. for each adult fare and not exceeding 3 pieces nor a total of 35 lbs. on each child's fare will be carried free.

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## BAGGAGE, LIABILITY OF CARRIER

In the event of loss or of damage to baggage carrier shall not be held liable for a sum greater than \$250.00 on baggage carried on an adult fare nor more than \$125.00 on baggage carried on a child's fare.

# **DELAYS, LIMITATION**

- (1) Carrier will NOT be liable for delays caused by accidents, breakdowns, bad sea conditions, snow storms and any other condition beyond their control, and do NOT guarantee to arrive at, or depart from, any point at a specific time. Carrier will endeavor to maintain the schedule submitted by its agent or employee, but same is not guaranteed.
- (2) If conditions over which carrier has no control, such as weather, sea condition, or acts of God, make it in the opinion of the carrier, inadvisable to operate, either from point of origin or at any point enroute the carrier will NOT be liable therefor, or be caused to be held for damage for any reason whatsoever.

#### **FIREARMS**

Firearms will NOT be transported as baggage nor personally nor in any way whatsoever.

## LOST ARTICLES OR BAGGAGE

Carrier assumes no responsibility for articles lost or misplaced, which are not checked as baggage.

#### **OBJECTIONABLE PERSONS**

Carrier reserves the right to refuse to transport a person who is under the influence of intoxicating liquor, or drugs, or who is incapable of taking care of himself or herself, or whose conduct is such, or liable to be such as to make him or her objectionable to other passengers.

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## OPERATIONS, SEASONAL

Operations are seasonal in character and are subject to weather conditions. Carrier reserves the right to issue or honor tickets ONLY when service is being operated.

## **RESERVATIONS**

- (1) Reservations for specific seats will not be made.
- (2) Reservations must be made in advance, guaranteed by credit card and or prepayment by cash or check and confirmed otherwise carriage cannot be guaranteed.
- (3) Carrier reserves full control and discretion as to the seating of passengers and reserves the right to change such seating at any time during the trip.
- (4) Carrier reserves the right, whenever operating conditions require, to transfer passengers from one vessel to another or to another mode of transportation as it sees fit, enroute.
- (5) Immediate transportation cannot be guaranteed, being subject in all cases to limitations of carrying capacity and to conditions beyond the company's control. In the event of there being insufficient carrying capacity on any schedule, carrier reserves the right to accommodate passengers on the earliest possible schedule.

## TICKETS, LOST OR STOLEN

Carrier party to this tariff will not be responsible in the case of tickets lost by passengers, nor will the money paid therefor be refunded. Carrier, at its discretion, may, replace such lost tickets to passengers, on a stand by basis, for the original transportation date only.

# TICKETS, REDEMPTION OF

Tickets sold under the authority of this tariff will be redeemed to the original purchaser by the issuing carrier at the carrier's principal office, as follows:

(1) Unused tickets will be redeemed at the purchase price. Unused portions of round trip or commutation tickets will be redeemed by charging the regular fare or fares for the portion or portions used and refunding the balance of the purchase price.

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or refund by any person other than th	es otherwise provided herein, and if prese the original purchaser or authorized holder ther authorized employee of the carrier.	
TICKETS, TIME LIMIT		
	e valid only on the date specified at time pasis prior to the specified date and shall be	
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"Fare Schedule No.1"

#### Section 2

# **SCHEDULE OF PASSENGER FARES**

Fares are in even United States dollars per passenger.

Between: Bellingham and Friday Harbor				
	Round Trip	One Way		
Adult	\$49.00	\$29.00		
Youth (age 6 – 17)	\$24.50	\$12.50		

Between: South Bellingham and North Bellingham				
	Round Trip	One Way		
Adult	\$12.00	\$6.00		
Youth (age 6 – 17)	\$6.00	\$3.00		

## Notes:

- Tour wholesalers, acting as commercial sales agents to tour groups, with a minimum group of 20 passengers, when pre-booked and prepaid, will receive a 20% commission of the full adult fare.
- Travel Agents, acting as retail sales agents to independent travelers, when pre-booked and prepaid, will receive a 10% commission of the net fare collected.
- Promotional fare discounts may, from time to time, be offered for educational purposes and to stimulate travel on light travel days upon approval of the W.U.T.C.

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