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NOTICE RESCHEDULING WORKSHOP (Now set for Thursday, January 17, 2019, at 1:30 p.m.)

Re: Rulemaking to Consider Possible Changes to Rules in Chapter 480-120 WAC, Relating to Service Obligations of Telephone Companies, Docket UT-180831

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

On October 22, 2018, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) filed with the Code Reviser a Preproposal Statement of Inquiry (CR-101) to consider possible additions or modifications to certain sections in Washington Administrative Code (WAC) Chapter 480-120, Telephone Companies. The Commission believes that revisions are necessary to address companies' obligations to provide basic local exchange service upon request, particularly when a line extension is necessary as currently required by WAC 480-120-071.

Also on October 22, 2018, the Commission issued a notice of opportunity to comment and notice of workshop to stakeholders. The workshop was scheduled for January 7, 2019. On December 26, 2018, the Commission was made aware of a late-arising stakeholder scheduling conflict. Since the Commission would like as many stakeholders as possible to be able to attend the workshop, the Commission finds good cause to reschedule the workshop to **1:30 p.m., on Thursday, January 17, 2019**.

Both the CR-101 and the original notice are available on the Commission's website, www.utc.wa.gov/180831

If you have questions regarding this rulemaking, you may contact staff lead, Gregory J. Kopta, at (360) 664-1355, or by email at gregory.kopta@utc.wa.gov.

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