February 20, 2002

Mr. Steven C. Marshall Perkins Coie LLP One Bellevue Center 411 108th Avenue N.E. Suite 1800 Bellevue, WA 98004-5584

Re: Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. Olympic Pipe Line Company, Inc., Docket No. TO-011472

Dear Mr. Marshall:

It could facilitate the prehearing conference on Friday, February 22, 2002, if you have the person or people at Olympic who are responsible for the task of responding to all data requests available by telephone for a discussion of the Company's processes. In preparation for the conference, we will be inquiring about how counsel and the Company coordinate the mechanical tasks of reviewing data requests, compiling the requested data, and responding to them. We will also ask for specific plans about how the Company will respond to the pending requests and on what schedule, whether any of the revised (limited) requests are subject to objection, and if so what the objections are. We ask that counsel and the Company representative(s) consult in advance and be prepared for that discussion.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

C. ROBERT WALLIS Administrative Law Judge

cc: Parties of Record