

## STATE OF WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION 1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. S.W., P.O. Box 47250 • Olympia, Washington 98504-7250 (360) 664-1160 • www.utc.wa.gov June 1, 2016

## NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO FILE WRITTEN COMMENTS (By Thursday, June 30, 2016)

Re: Rulemaking to Consider Possible Corrections and Changes in Rules in WAC 480-07, Relating to Procedural Rules, Docket A-130355

## TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

On March 20, 2013, 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) 480-07, the Commission's procedural rules. The Commission received written comments on its CR-101 on May 17, 2013.

Interested persons submitted comments on the Commission's draft proposed rules for Part I of this chapter, WAC 480-07-010 through 180 (Part I), on December 20, 2013, and October 23, 2014. The Commission received written comments on its draft proposed rules for Part III of this chapter entitled Adjudicative Proceedings, Subpart A: Rules of General Applicability, WAC 480-07-300 through 498 (Part III A) on July 20, 2015.

The Commission staff has now developed revised draft proposed rules for Part I and Part III A for review and comment by interested persons. The draft rules are available for inspection on the Commission's website at <u>www.utc.wa.gov/130355</u>. If you are unable to access the Commission's web page and would like a copy of the draft rules mailed to you, please contact the Commission's Records Center at (360) 664-1234.

## WRITTEN COMMENTS

The Commission invites comments on the revised draft rules for Part I and Part IIIA of WAC 480-07. Written comments on the draft rules must be filed with the Commission no later than **5:00 p.m., Thursday, June 30, 2016.** The Commission requests that comments be provided in electronic format to enhance public access, for ease of providing comments, to reduce the need for paper copies, and to facilitate quotations from the comments. Comments should be in searchable Adobe Acrobat (.pdf) or in Word 97 or later version. Comments may be submitted via

the Commission's Web portal at <u>www.utc.wa.gov/e-filing</u> or by electronic mail to the Commission's Records Center at <u>records@wutc.wa.gov</u>. Alternatively, comments may be submitted by mailing or delivering an electronic copy to the Commission's Records Center on a flash drive, DVD, or compact disk that includes the filed document(s). Comment submissions should include:

- The docket number of this proceeding (A-130355).
- The commenting party's name.
- The title and date of the comment or comments.

The Commission will post on its web site all comments that are provided in electronic format. The web site is located at the following URL address: <u>www.utc.wa.gov/130355</u>.

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

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