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> RE: Docket TC-110230 Bremerton-Kitsap Airporter v. Shuttle Express Scheduling for Brief Adjudicative Proceeding

Dear Mr. Danner:

The parties are engaged in informal settlement discussions and would like a few more weeks to see if the dispute can be resolved amicably before setting a schedule for the brief adjudicative proceeding. Accordingly, the parties jointly request deferral of the hearing. The parties propose to file a joint status report with the Commission during the week of May 23rd, after which time a brief adjudicative proceeding hearing would be scheduled, if necessary.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Very truly yours,

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