

**BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

**LESS THAN STATUTORY NOTICE REQUESTED BY:**

Company Name: Pacific Cruises Northwest, Inc. Certificate No. BC-10 UBI No. 600-585-288

Registered Trade Name(s) Victoria San Juan Cruises

Company proposes to change \_\_\_\_\_ Fares \_\_\_\_\_ Number \_\_\_\_\_ Tariff No. 16  
(Tariff, time schedule, etc.)

Present provisions are: Tariff Revised Page 7, Section 2 (TS-051436)

Proposed changes are: Tariff Revised Page 7, Section 2

Indicate below, or attach, an explanation of the reason the company requests permission to file and publish the proposed provisions with less than statutory notice.

The Whatcom Council of Governments, administrator of the Federal Transit Administration Pilot Project, has just notified us that they would like to adjust the Fares for Pilot Project. Based on further analysis, the originally approved fares have been deemed too high to garner an accurate representation of the potential ridership on this route. This filing continues to represent a novel private-public partnership to identify and foster commuter use of passenger-only ferries consistent with recent legislative changes.

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Name and title of issuing agent \_\_\_\_\_ is authorized to issue and file tariffs and/or time schedules on behalf of (name of company): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature and title of authorizing agent (company official) \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone number/fax/e-mail of authorizing agent \_\_\_\_\_

I request these provisions become effective on the following date: December 1, 2005

Signature and Title of Issuing Agent:  Drew M. Schmidt, President

Printed name of Issuing Agent: Pacific Cruises Northwest, Inc. d/b/a Victoria San Juan Cruises

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**ORDER**

The Commission finds good cause to support the request and authorize the proposed changes to become effective with Less

Than Statutory Notice on: (Date) \_\_\_\_\_

DATED and signed at Olympia, Washington, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ (Month/Year)

By direction of the Commission,

\_\_\_\_\_  
Secretary