



December 23, 2008

VIA EMAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL

David Danner, Executive Director & Secretary  
 Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission  
 P.O. Box 47250  
 1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. SW  
 Olympia, WA 98504 – 7250

Re: Notice Pursuant to WAC 480-70-096 of Acquisition of Control of Allied Waste Industries, Inc. by Republic Services, Inc.

Dear Mr. Danner,

This is to formally notify the Commission, pursuant to the above rule, of the stock acquisition effective December 5, 2008 of Fiorito Enterprises and Allied Waste Industries, Inc., holder of Certificate No. G- 60, by Republic Services, Inc., the parent company of Fiorito Enterprises and Allied Waste Industries, Inc., Kent Meridian Disposal, which are also regulated solid waste collection companies in the State of Washington.

Republic Services, Inc. is a publicly – traded company (NYSE: RSG) with numerous shareholders, the largest of which is CASCADE INVESTMENT LLC.

The name, address and contact information for the person within Allied Waste Industries, Inc. and Republic Services, Inc. who can answer any further question on this matter is as follows:

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Please contact us with any further questions you might have on this matter and thank you for your attention on the above.

Yours truly,

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