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Mr. David Danner, Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
1300 South Evergreen Park Drive SW
Olympia, WA 98504-7250

Re: Burton Water Company, Inc. – Fourth Revised Sheet No. 22
Canceling Third Revised Sheet No. 22; Second Revised Sheet No.
23 Canceling First Revised Sheet No. 23

Dear Mr. Danner:

Enclosed you will find the original and three copies of the above-referenced tariff sheets. The purpose of this filing is to initiate a general rate increase. The Company's costs of operation far exceed its revenues and is the reason for this filing.

The proposal would increase revenues by 44%. The table below sets out the charges.

| | <u>Existing Rate</u> | <u>Proposed Rate</u> |
|----------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Ready-to-Serve | \$11.00 | \$27.88 |
| Service 3/4" | \$18.33 | \$27.88 |
| Service 1" | \$18.33 | \$43.94 |

A table showing new consumption rates is set out below. Currently, all customers are charged \$1.55 per 100 cubic feet for usage up to 2,500 cubic feet in a month and \$4.00 per 100 cubic feet for usage over 2,500 cubic feet.

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|-----------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 3/4" connection | <u>0-1,000 cu. ft.</u> \$1.55 | <u>1,000-2,500 cu. ft.</u> \$4.00 | <u>>2,500 cu. ft.</u> \$6.00 |
| 1" connection | <u>0-1,670 cu. ft.</u> \$1.55 | <u>1,670-4,175 cu. ft.</u> \$4.00 | <u>>4,175 cu. ft.</u> \$6.00 |

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A copy of the Customer Notice that has been sent this day to the Company's customers is attached. That Notice includes information delineating both the existing rates and proposed rates that would be produced by this filing.

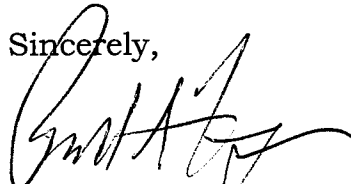
The net effect of the filing would produce additional revenue in the amount of \$60,485. Work papers showing results of operations and all restating and proforma adjustments are attached.

The Company requests that the 2008 Annual Report filed with the Commission constitute the balance sheet and statement of revenues and expenses required by rule. Other work papers are enclosed. To the extent that anything is not filed with this cover letter that is otherwise required by WAC 480-07-530, the Company requests waiver of that filing requirement.

The undersigned has authority to file tariff sheets on behalf of the Company.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,



RICHARD A. FINNIGAN

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Enclosures

cc: Jim Garrison (via e-mail)
Evan Simmons (via e-mail)
Barb O'Block (via e-mail)