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Mr. Danner:

Enclosed is Cascade's Summary of Meter Performance for year 2009 for all residential and small commercial meters in service as of October 1, 2009. These meters fall within the scope of the company's Statistical Sample Program (dated August 18, 1995), while all larger meters in service were tested according to their required periodic schedule.

The annual summary is divided into the following sections:

Section 1 - Year-end report detailing the status of each family in the program.

Section 2 - Key to the report provided in section 1, a brief explanation of the column headings and other general information.

Section 3 - Summary of meter families not meeting the program's performance criteria and any remedial action necessary to bring the families back into compliance.

Section 4 - Review of sample deficiencies and corrective actions to be taken.

Section 5 – Status of meter families scheduled for removal in the prior year.

Section 6 - Reference copy of the Statistical Sample Program

The total number of meters in service in Washington as of October 2009 was 196,424.

Sincerely,

Lanny Wilkin

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Director, Measurement

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