

March 18, 2011

Dave Danner, Executive Director and Secretary Washington Utilities & Transportation Commission 1300 South Evergreen Park Drive SW P.O. Box 47250 Olympia, Washington 98504-7250

Re: Waste Management of Washington, Inc. d/b/a WM - Healthcare Solutions of

Washington

## Dear Secretary Danner:

Enclosed please find Tariff No. 1 for biomedical waste collection services by Waste Management of Washington, Inc. d/b/a WM - Healthcare Solutions of Washington. This tariff is for collection of biomedical waste for transportation and disposal within the company's certificated service territory in Washington (Certificate No. G-237). In accordance with WAC 480-70-261, we are requesting that the new services reflected in this filing be approved on one-day notice as we have customers that are requesting this new service. Accordingly, we have requested an effective date of March 21, 2011. We do not believe any customer notice is required to commence this new service.

Please also be informed that we would like to utilize consolidated billing so that customers may receive one invoice for tariffed services, as well as unregulated services such as commercial recycling of sharps, container sales, and waste consultations. Under WAC 480-70-396(6), the Commission may allow such billing. The nonregulated activities will be disclosed as separate line items, and partial payments will be applied to the regulated service first.

The company is prepared to commence service in accordance with these tariff rates, and in compliance with WAC 480-70-426 through -476, and has on file the requisite operating plan, employee training plan and certificate, and other necessary infrastructure to serve under the Commission's rules, and all other federal, state and local laws and rules governing transportation of biomedical waste.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

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