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April 27, 2017

**NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO RESPOND
(Written Rebuttal Statements due by May 3, 2017)**

RE: *In re Application of Go VIP LLC for a certificate to operate as a charter and excursion carrier, Docket TE-161295*

TO ALL PARTIES:

On December 20, 2016, Go VIP LLC d/b/a Go VIP Seattle (Go VIP or Company) filed with the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) an application for authority to operate as a charter party and excursion service carrier in Washington (Application). On April 4, 2017, the Commission issued a Notice of Intent to Deny Application for Certificate and Notice of Opportunity for Hearing resulting from Commission staff's review and investigation of the Application.

On April 14, 2017, Go VIP filed with the Commission a Request for Hearing. The Commission noticed the matter as a brief adjudicative proceeding and convened an evidentiary hearing before Administrative Law Judge Rayne Pearson on April 20, 2017.

On April 27, 2017, Company owner Steve Valentinetti sent an email to the parties that offered additional information and theories related to Staff's investigation. A copy of the email message and its attachment has been filed in this docket.

THE COMMISSION GIVES NOTICE That Commission staff may file a written rebuttal statement concerning the matters in the electronic submission filed by Go VIP LLC on April 27, 2017. Any such statement must be filed by May 3, 2017.

/s/ Rayne Pearson
RAYNE PEARSON
Administrative Law Judge