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VIA E-MAIL AND HAND DELIVERY

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

Re: Docket No. UW-101818 - WUTC v. Maria K. Lindberg

Dear Mr. Danner:

The purpose of this letter is to request waiver of the pre-hearing conference in this matter set for May 11, 2011. Commission Staff and I have been discussing this matter. We have agreed to the following proposed procedural schedule:

Settlement conference	May 19, 2011
Deadline to exchange exhibit lists	July 13, 2011
Hearing	July 20, 2011
Posthearing briefing	Reserved
	Briefing deadlines to be determined at hearing, if either party requests briefing

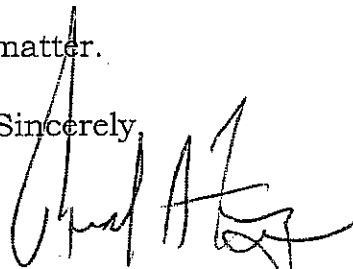
There will be no pre-filed testimony. Staff is requesting, and Ms. Lindberg does not have an objection, to invoking the discovery rule. Ms. Lindberg is requesting, and Staff has no objection, that a standard protective order be issued in this matter.

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Since this is a complaint case, intervention by other parties is not appropriate. With the foregoing information, and in the interest of saving costs, Ms. Lindberg and Commission Staff respectively request that the pre-hearing conference in this matter be waived.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,



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