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May 17, 2005

**NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO RESPOND
(By Tuesday, May 24, 2005)**

RE: WUTC v. Roche Harbor Water System
Docket No. UW-042132

TO ALL PARTIES:

On May 12, 2005, a Prehearing Conference Order was entered in this docket. The schedule contained in the Order called for evidentiary hearing to take place in Olympia, Washington, in July 2005 and for public hearing to take place in Burlington, Washington, on a date to be determined.

On May 16, 2005, Roche Harbor Water System (Roche Harbor) filed a petition for review of the determination to hold the evidentiary hearing in Olympia and the public hearing in Burlington. Roche Harbor contends that hearings should be held in Roche Harbor because of the degree of community interest in the subject matter and because there is a hearing room available at no charge in Roche Harbor.

Notice is given that Commission Staff (the only other party to the proceeding) may respond to the Roche Harbor petition for review on or before Tuesday, May 24, 2005.

Sincerely,

THEODORA M. MACE
Administrative Law Judge