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Records Section  
Washington Utilities and  
Transportation Commission  
1300 S Evergreen Park Dr SW  
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RE: Tariff Submittal, Certificate Number G-00087

Attached please find original Tariff Number 25 for American Disposal Co., Inc., G-00087.

On March 1, 2005 the tipping fee for Solid Waste in Pierce County will increase by 1.0197% from \$89.24 per ton to \$90.15 per ton. For your review, a copy of the letter from Pierce County Recycling, Composting and Disposal, LLC dba LRI notifying us of the increase is attached.

On March 1, 2005 Pierce County will be implementing a new "Single-Stream Recycling Program". This program was designed to meet the requirements of RCW 81.77.185 and is intended to adhere to all the requirements of Pierce County Ordinance #2004-64 adopted by the Pierce County Council on September 7, 2004. At that time the Council adopted minimum levels of service for single-family residential recycling as Pierce County Code, Chapter 8.29, which amends the current source separated program to a single stream program. In order to comply with this ordinance we are requesting that the Commission approve the attached rate filing.

Also attached is the commodity rate adjustment based on 2004 material revenues. The calculation reflects the credit for can service to decrease to \$.23 per month and for container service to remain at \$.15 per yard per pick up. However, due to the projected increase of recycling materials under the new program the estimated commodity credit will be \$.51 per month for can service. We are requesting that the Commission approve the commodity credit of \$.51 for can service and remain at \$.15 for container service effective March 1, 2005.

Attached are the Tariff pages, as well as supporting documentation, containing the increased tipping fees, the amended recycling plan, and the commodity credit. If these rates are approved by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission they will be effective on March 1, 2005. The customers will be notified of the requested change within the next fourteen days.

If you should have any questions about this filing, please contact me at (253)414-0354 or my assistant, Beate Holshouser, at (253)414-0357.

Sincerely,

Irmgard R Wilcox  
Controller

Enclosure

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