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October 31, 2006

Carole Washburn, Executive Secretary Washington Utilities & Transportation Commission 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S.W. P.O. Box 47250 Olympia, WA 98504-7250

Regarding: WAC Rule 480-90-238 IRP Wayier

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By making this request, the Company understands that if granted, this request will not affect future IRP time schedules and filings.

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Sincerely,

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