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March 13, 2015

Steven King, Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
1300 South Evergreen Park Drive SW
PO Box 47250
Olympia, WA 98504-7250

RE: Sanitary Service Company, Inc. G-14 – Item 230 Disposal Fee Pass-through

Dear Secretary King:

Enclosed are revised pages to Solid Waste Tariff No. 8 for Sanitary Service Co, Inc. These proposed revised tariff pages contain increases due to a rise in disposal fees for Item 230 pass-through fees.

The requested garbage rate increase is necessary to recover increased disposal fees imposed upon SSC at the Recomp/Republic Services Transfer Station. The notification from the facility is included with this filing.

SSC is only requesting revisions to its tariff rates to recoup disposal fee component increases. This filing does not ask for any changes to the service component of customers' rates for the company's performance of solid waste collection services.

The impact to pass through disposal fee customers for the Item 230 pass through increase will be approximately \$300,000 and the pass through rate would go up by 31.50%. The effective date of this proposed tariff revision is May 1, 2015.

In accordance with WAC 480-70-271(2), to the extent the Commission approves the rates reflecting the disposal fee increases, affected customers will be notified of this rate increase on their next regularly scheduled billing.

Please feel free to call me at (360) 527-9783 if you have any questions about this filing.

Singerely,

Amber Jones

Chief Financial Officer

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