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Mark L. Johnson, Executive Director and Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission 621 Woodland Square Loop SE Lacey, WA 98504-7250

RE: Commission Staff's Letter Confirming Compliance DG-180992 – Aero Construction – Investigation #7877

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Commission staff (staff) has reviewed Order 01, settlement stipulation and agreement for Aero Construction (Company) dated March 22, 2019. Compliance with the order required the following items be met:

• \$7,500 penalty for two violations of RCW 19.122, with the opportunity to suspend, and ultimately waive, \$2,500 of the penalty amount if the Company incurs no additional dig law violations within 12 months.

On April 18, 2019, the Company made a payment of \$5,000 as required by the Order. The Company has not incurred any additional violations of the dig law since the penalty assessment.

Staff believes that Aero Construction has fully complied with the Commission's order, and further compliance under this order is no longer necessary. Staff recommends the Commission waive the suspended \$2,500 penalty amount and close this docket.

Sincerely,

Sean C. Mayo Pipeline Safety Director