

May 12, 2006

Carole J. Washburn, Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. SW
P. O. Box 47250
Olympia, Washington 98504-7250

Re: *In re the Petition of William L. Stuth and Aqua Test, Inc. for a Declaratory Order
Designating a Public Service Company*
Docket No. A-050528

Dear Ms. Washburn:

In his May 10, 2006, Notice Suspending Procedural Schedule in this matter, Judge Wallis stated that parties may by letter waive entry of an initial order and ask that the issues presented by their stipulation be decided directly by the Commissioners. Accordingly, Commission Staff hereby waives entry of an initial order.

Sincerely,

JONATHAN C. THOMPSON
Assistant Attorney General

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Enclosures
cc: Parties