**[Service Date December 7, 2012]**

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**NOTICE GRANTING REQUEST TO EXTEND FILING DEADLINE**

**(Deadline for Initial Post-hearing Briefs now due January 18, 2013)**

Re: *In the Matter of the Application of WASTE MANAGEMENT, INC., d/b/a WM HEALTHCARE SOLUTIONS OF WASHINGTON For an Extension of Certificate G-237 For a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Operate Motor Vehicles in Furnishing Solid Waste Collection Services*, Docket TG-120033

TO ALL PARTIES:

On December 3, 2012, and continuing through December 6, 2012, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) held evidentiary hearings in the above-referenced matter. At the hearing, the parties agreed on a post-hearing briefing schedule that included the following:

 **Event**  **Deadline**

Initial Post-hearing Briefs January 11, 2013

File Cross-exam Exhibits January 11, 2013

Reply Briefs January 25, 2013

On December 7, 2012, counsel for Stericycle of Washington, Inc., (Stericycle) contacted the administrative law judge on behalf of the parties and requested a change to the post-hearing briefing schedule. Specifically, Stericycle requests that the deadline to file initial post-hearing briefs be extended from January 11, 2013, to January 18, 2013. Stericycle indicates that all other post-hearing briefing dates would remain the same. The Commission finds this minor revision to the schedule reasonable and will grant the parties’ request.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That the deadline for filing initial post-hearing briefs is extended from January 11, 2013, to January 18, 2013.**

GREGORY J. KOPTA

Administrative Law Judge