



**STATE OF WASHINGTON**  
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May 18, 2017

**NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO FILE WRITTEN RESPONSE**  
**(By Friday, May 26, 2017, at 5:00 p.m.)**

RE: *In the Matter of a Penalty Assessment Against TT&E, LLC in the Amount of \$46,000*  
Docket D-170116

TO ALL PARTIES:

On April 24, 2017, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) assessed a \$46,000 penalty (Penalty Assessment) against TT&E, LLC (TT&E or Company) for 12 violations of RCW 19.122.

On May 9, 2017, TT&E filed a response to the Penalty Assessment, admitting the violations and requesting a hearing to present evidence to support its request for mitigation of the penalty. Although the Penalty Assessment provided notice that any request for mitigation must include a written statement, the Company failed to provide any explanation or documentation to support its request.

Due to the substantial amount of the penalty, the Commission finds good cause to allow TT&E additional time to provide a written statement prior to determining whether we will grant the Company's request for hearing. As noted in the Penalty Assessment, a request for hearing will be granted only if material issues of law or fact require consideration of evidence and resolution in a hearing. TT&E must file its response and any supporting documentation no later than Friday, May 26, 2017, by 5:00 p.m.

**THE COMMISSION GIVES NOTICE That TT&E, LLC may file a written response to the Penalty Assessment by 5:00 p.m. on Friday, May 26, 2017.**

STEVEN V. KING  
Executive Director and Secretary