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December 22, 2020

Mark L. Johnson Executive Director and Secretary  
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission  
P.O. Box 47250  
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RE: *Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. Pacific Northwest Distributing, LLC  
d/b/a Vashon Shuttle*  
Commission Staff Recommendation to Waive Suspended Penalties of Order 01  
Docket TC-180761

Dear Mr. Johnson:


On September 27, 2018, Pacific Northwest Distributing, LLC d/b/a Vashon Shuttle (Vashon Shuttle or Company) was assessed a penalty of \$6,300. The Company requested mitigation of the penalty, which was reduced to \$3,200 in Order 01. The commission suspended \$1,600 of the penalty for a period of two years subject to the conditions: (1) Vashon Shuttle not incur any repeat violations; and (2) Vashon Shuttle pay the \$1,600 portion of the penalty that is not suspended.

On June 17, 2019, the company paid the \$1,600 non-suspended portion of the penalty in full.

Commission staff (Staff) contacted the Company regarding a follow-up investigation to verify compliance with Order 01. Vashon Shuttle notified Staff that it is currently not operating and has not provided service during the preceding six months prior to contact. Staff finds that Vashon Shuttle has satisfied the conditions of Order 01 and recommends that the \$1,600 suspended penalty be waived.

If you have any questions, please contact Jason Sharp, Motor Carrier Safety Supervisor, Transportation Safety at [Jason.Sharp@utc.wa.gov](mailto:Jason.Sharp@utc.wa.gov) or at (360) 701-1603.

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