

**BEFORE THE WASHINGTON  
UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

In re Cancellation of Certificate BC-65013  
held by:

PACIFIC CRUISES NORTHWEST, INC.,  
D/B/A SAN JUAN CRUISES

DOCKET TS-210185

ORDER 01

CANCELLING COMMERCIAL  
FERRY CERTIFICATE

- 1 Pacific Cruises Northwest, Inc., d/b/a San Juan Cruises (Pacific Cruises Northwest or the Company) holds certificate BC-65013, for authority to provide commercial ferry service as described in the certificate.
- 2 On March 19, 2020, the Company filed with the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) a petition requesting temporary suspension of services due to the travel restrictions implemented in response to the COVID-19 Pandemic. This petition was granted on May 21, 2020, by Order 01 in Docket TS-200233.
- 3 On March 18, 2021, Pacific Cruises Northwest notified the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) that it did not “foresee a viable resumption of service in the near term” and requested to voluntarily cancel certificate BC-65013.

**DISCUSSION**

- 4 Under Washington Administrative Code (WAC) 480-51-130, the Commission may not grant indefinite discontinuations of service for longer than 12 months. The Company’s deadline of May 21, 2021 will expire in less than 60 days and the Company stated in its request that it does not intend to resume service. Moreover, there are no rules or statutes that prohibit commercial ferry companies from voluntarily cancelling their certificates. Accordingly, the Company’s certificate is cancelled effective immediately.

**ORDER**

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS:**

- 5 (1) That certificate BC-65013, held by Pacific Cruises Northwest, Inc., d/b/a San  
Juan Cruises, is cancelled at the carrier's request.
- 6 (2) The Company must cease all operations associated with certificate BC-65013.
- 7 The Commissioners, having determined this Order to be consistent with the public  
interest, directed the Secretary to enter this Order.

DATED at Lacey, Washington, and effective March 23, 2021.

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Mark L. Johnson", is positioned above the printed name and title.

MARK L. JOHNSON  
Executive Director and Secretary