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**NOTICE SUSPENDING PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE
AND
NOTICE OF TELEPHONIC PREHEARING CONFERENCE
(Set for Tuesday, November 4, 2014, at 2:30 p.m.)**

RE: *BNSF Railway Company v. Yakima County*, Dockets TR-140382 and TR-140383

TO ALL PARTIES:

On May 27, 2014, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) entered Order 01, Prehearing Conference Order, in the above-referenced dockets, and adopted a procedural schedule in both proceedings, including setting an evidentiary hearing for February 19 and 20, 2015.

The Commission reassigns this matter to Administrative Law Judge Rayne Pearson who will, hereafter, substitute as presiding officer for Administrative Law Judge Adam E. Torem who is no longer employed with the Commission. Due to unforeseen scheduling conflicts, it has become necessary to reschedule the evidentiary hearings currently scheduled for February 19 and 20, 2015.

Accordingly, the Commission, on its own motion, finds good cause to suspend the procedural schedule in Dockets TR-140382 and TR-140383. The Commission will convene a telephonic prehearing conference on Tuesday, November 5, 2014, at 2:30 p.m. to establish a new procedural schedule with evidentiary hearings in April 2015.

The parties are encouraged to consult with each other prior to the prehearing conference to develop a proposed schedule for the Commission's consideration. The Commission may cancel the prehearing conference if the parties are able to provide the Commission with an agreed procedural schedule by 12:00 p.m. on Monday, November 3, 2014.

THE COMMISSION GIVES NOTICE That the procedural schedule in Dockets TR-140382 and TR-140383 are suspended, and cancels the evidentiary hearing scheduled for February 19 and 20, 2015.

THE COMMISSION GIVES FURTHER NOTICE That it will hold a telephonic prehearing conference in Dockets TR-140382 and TR-140383 on Tuesday, November 4, 2014, at 2:30 p.m., in Room 206, Richard Hemstad Building, 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S.W., Olympia, Washington. The purpose of the prehearing conference will be to establish a new procedural schedule. Parties may attend in person or may participate telephonically via the Commission's teleconference bridge line at (360) 664-3846.

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