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Amanda Maxwell, Executive Director and Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission P.O. Box 47250 Olympia, WA 98504-7250

RE: Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. Seattle Travel Service, LLC Commission Staff's Recommendation to Waive Suspended Penalties Docket TE-190751

Dear Ms. Maxwell:

On September 18, 2019, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) issued a penalty assessment against Seattle Travel Service, LLC (Seattle Travel or Company), in the amount of \$14,400 for violations of WAC 480-30-221, Vehicle and Driver Safety Requirements.

On October 9, 2019, the Commission entered Order 01, which reduced the assessed penalty from \$14,400 to \$7,250. Order 02 further suspended a \$3,625 portion of the penalty for a period of two years, subject to the conditions that: (1) Seattle Travel paid the \$3,625 unsuspended portion of the penalty, and (2) the Company not incur repeat violations of acute or critical regulations.

On November 19, 2019, Seattle Travel paid the portion of the penalty that was not suspended in full. On June 2, 2020, Seattle Travel requested that its certificate be canceled because the Company was no longer operating. Staff finds that Seattle Travel satisfied the conditions of Order 01 and recommends that the \$3,625 suspended penalty be waived.

If you have any questions, please contact Jason Hoxit, Compliance Investigator, Transportation Safety, at (360) 867-8305, or by email at Jason.Hoxit@utc.wa.gov.

Sincerely,

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