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BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

In Re Application of
WASTE MANAGEMENT OF
WASHINGTON, INC.
d/b/a WM Healthcare Solutions
of Washington
720 4th Ave. Ste 400
Kirkland, WA 98033-8136

Docket No. TG-120033

DECLARATION OF JARED VAN KIRK IN
SUPPORT OF JOINT MOTION FOR
EXTENSION OF TIME

I, Jared Van Kirk, declare:

1. I am an attorney for Protestant Stericycle of Washington, Inc. (hereinafter "Stericycle") in the above captioned action. I make this declaration based on personal knowledge and am competent to testify herein.

2. Stericycle supports the WRRRA Protestants' motion for an extension of time to file Petitions for Administrative review. This extension of time is warranted by the nature of the initial decision, which on its own terms applies law that is different than the existing law applicable in medical waste application proceedings.

3. On the evening of February 25, 2013 I learned that my wife needed to be hospitalized to treat and monitor complications in her pregnancy, which was entering its final month. We originally anticipated a stay of no more than a day or two.

1 **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

2 I, Dominique Barrientes, certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of
3 Washington that, on February 26, 2013, I caused to be served on the person(s) listed below in
4 the manner shown a copy of DECLARATION OF JARED VAN KIRK IN SUPPORT OF
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