WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

PENALTY ASSESSMENT, Docket No. TV-060980

PLEASE NOTE: You must complete and sign this document, and send it to the Commission within 15 days after you receive the penalty assessment. Use additional paper if needed.

I have read and understand RCW 9A.72.020 (printed below), which states that making false statements under oath is a class B felony. I am over the age of 18, am competent to testify to the matters set forth below and I have personal knowledge of those matters. I hereby make, under oath, the following statements.

- [] 1. **Payment of penalty.** I admit that the violation occurred and enclose \$100 in payment of the penalty.
- [] 2. Request for a hearing. I believe that the alleged violation did not occur, based on the following information, and request a hearing for a decision by an administrative law judge:

- [X] 3. Application for mitigation. I admit the violation, but I believe that the penalty should be reduced for the reason(s) set out below.
 - [] a) I ask for a hearing for a decision by an administrative law judge
 - OR [] b) I waive a hearing and ask for an administrative decision on the information I present here.

NO WONES ENCLOSES

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington that the foregoing, including information I have presented on any attachments, is true and correct.

Dated: 7-6-06 [month/day/year], at Seathle, who [city, state]

Name of Respondent (company) - please print

Signature of Applicant

RCW 9A.72.020:

"Perjury in the first degree. (1) A person is guilty of perjury in the first degree if in any official proceeding he makes a materially false statement which he knows to be false under an oath required or authorized by law. (2) Knowledge of the materiality of the statement is not an element of this crime, and the actor's mistaken belief that his statement was not material is not a defense to a prosecution under this section. (3) Perjury in the first degree is a class B felony."



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Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission Post Office Box 47250 Olympia, Wa 98504-7250

RE: Penalty Assessment No.: TV-060980

Dear Sir or Madam:

I admit to the above noted violation, and respectfully waive my rights to a hearing on this matter. I would however like to ask for an administrative decision towards reducing or relieving my company of the mentioned fine based on the following information.

Sound Delivery Service is registered as a "households goods carrier", however we do not operate our business as such. We are strictly a flatbed carrier and do not haul any items classified as household goods.

I apologize for not filing our annual report to the commission, there is no other excuse other than it had been overlooked and not taken care of properly. Please consider our record for properly filing of these reports in years past.

I thank you in advance for your time and consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

Terry J. Lawrence Vice-President

Date: July 6th, 2006