

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION
PENALTY ASSESSMENT UW-101045

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 \$ _____ 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:

3. **Application for mitigation.** I admit the violation, but I believe that the penalty should be reduced for the reason(s) set out below, and

I called your office (UTC) just before May 1, 2010 and told the representative that we had to get an extension in filing our taxes as the bookkeeper that was working for Fircroft, Inc quit June 2009 and refused to give us the electronic files. We have been rebuilding the files from the paper forms but needed a little extra time to make sure

- a) I ask for a hearing for a decision by an administrative law judge (cont on back) →
OR b) I waive a hearing and ask for an administrative decision on the information I present directly above.

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: 7/8/2010 [month/day/year], at Eastbound WA [city, state]

Fircroft, Inc
Name of Respondent (company) – please print

Paula Huffman
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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all the records were correct. In the past years, this little Class A system has never had more than \$30 due for regulatory fees and would hope you will allow us until Aug 15TH to submit the forms required (2009 Annual Report form) and pay the percent penalty set forth on the form for late payment. Thank-you for your patience and understanding -

Sincerely

Paula Huffman

Vice President

Pircroft, Inc

P.S. Another issue that has created confusion with this company is that the president, Reed Goodrich, was diagnosed with cancer about the same time Marie Troxel (former bookkeeper) quit and I have been trying to straighten out a pretty big mess since then. Again, thank-you.