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Steven V. King, Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. SW
P.O. Box 47250
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RE: *UTC v. 2C Captains, Inc. d/b/a Let's Tour Seattle*
Docket TE-131923

Dear Mr. King:

On February 10, 2014, the Commission issued Order 01, Initial Order Approving Settlement Agreement (Order 01). Order 01 assessed a penalty against 2C Captains, Inc. d/b/a Let's Tour Seattle (2C Captains or Company) in the amount of \$7,900, with \$5,400 suspended with conditions until the Company's next compliance review in April 2014. The Commission approved a payment plan allowing 2C Captains to pay the \$2,500 portion of the penalty that was not suspended in four monthly installments due February 28, March 31, April 30, and May 30, 2014.

The Commission suspended collection of the \$5,400 and waived enforcement or collection of that amount until the Company's next compliance review in 2014, provided that 2C Captains complied with the conditions of the Order. Those conditions were that 2C Captains: (a) comply with WAC 480-30-221; (b) receives a satisfactory safety rating; and (c) timely makes all installment payments under the Settlement Agreement.

The Commission ordered Staff to conduct a compliance review and inspection of 2C Captains' business operations in April 2014, to ensure compliance with the terms of the Order.

Staff conducted a compliance review and inspection of 2C Captains' business operations on April 17, 2014. Staff found one minor paperwork violation, but there were no repeat violations of WAC 480-30-221, and the Company received a satisfactory safety rating.

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The Commission received penalty payments from 2C Captains as follows:

- March 10, 2014 - \$100
- March 12, 2014 - \$300
- April 2, 2014 - \$425.00
- May 5, 2014 - \$425.00
- May 30, 2014 - \$425.00

In a letter dated March 2, 2014, Mr. Russell explained that due to its financial situation, the Company could only make a partial payment of \$100 and stated the Company's intention to increase the amount of future payments. However, in a letter dated March 9, 2014, Mr. Russell submitted a payment of an additional \$300. The remaining penalty payments, though not submitted according to the schedule set out in the Commission Order, were received and the penalty has been paid in full.

Staff has concluded that the conditions of the Commission's Order have been met. Accordingly, Staff will not seek enforcement of the suspended penalty and requests that the Commission waive enforcement and collection of the \$5,400 suspended penalty in this docket.

Sincerely,



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