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**NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO FILE WRITTEN COMMENTS
(Wednesday, June 30, 2004)**

RE: Corrections and Changes in Rules in Chapter 480-120 WAC and
Chapter 480-80 WAC, Relating to Telecommunications.
Docket No. UT-040015

TO INTERESTED PERSONS:

The Commission Staff has completed a discussion draft of the rules in Chapter 480-120 WAC and Chapter 480-80 WAC, relating to telecommunications. The draft is based on comments received and discussion at the stakeholder workshop. The draft rules are available for inspection on the Commission's web site at www.wutc.wa.gov/040015. If you are unable to access the Commission's web page and would like a copy of the discussion draft mailed to you, please contact the Records Center at (360) 664-1234.

The rules are in two sections. One section is a legislative draft of the telco-related rules that stakeholders and agency staff have identified as having issues or are problematic. The second section is a clean draft of the customer privacy rules.

WRITTEN COMMENTS

Written comments on correcting, changing, and/or clarifying the rules relating to telecommunications must be filed with the Commission no later than **Wednesday, June 30, 2004**. The Commission requests that comments be provided in electronic format to enhance public access, for ease of providing comments, to reduce the need for paper copies, and to facilitate quotations from the comments. Comments may be submitted by electronic mail to the Commission's Records Center at records@wutc.wa.gov. Please include:

- The docket number of this proceeding (UT-040015)
- The commenting party's name
- The title and date of the comment or comments

An alternative method for submitting comments may be by mailing/delivering an electronic copy on a 3 ½ inch, IBM-formatted, high-density disk, in .pdf Adobe Acrobat format or in Word 97 or later. Include all of the information requested above. The Commission will post on the Commission's web site all comments that are provided in electronic format. The web site is located at <<http://www.wutc.wa.gov/040015>>.

If you are unable to file your comments electronically or to submit them on a disk, the Commission will always accept a paper document. Questions may be addressed to Sharyn Bate at (360) 664-1295 or e-mail at <sbate@wutc.wa.gov>.

Your participation is welcomed via written comments and stakeholder workshops. Opportunity for further comment is anticipated. Information about the schedule and other aspects of the rulemaking, including comments, will be posted on the Commission's web site as it becomes available. If you wish to receive further information on this rulemaking you may (1) call the Commission's Records Center at (360) 664-1234, (2) e-mail the Commission at <records@wutc.wa.gov>, or (3) mail written comments to the address below. When contacting the Commission, please refer to Docket No. UT-040015 to ensure that you are placed on the appropriate service list. The Commission's mailing address is:

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Sincerely,

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