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**NOTICE OF PENALTY WAIVER**

RE: *In the Matter of the Penalty Assessment Against Cordia Communications Corp.,* Docket UT-111078

On July 6, 2011, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) issued a penalty assessment against Cordia Communications Corp. (Cordia or Company) in the amount of $100 for failing to file its 2010 Annual Report and to pay its regulatory fee by May 1, 2011, as required under WAC 480-120-382.

Commission Staff (Staff) subsequently became aware that Cordia had previously filed its 2010 Annual Report, although the Company has yet to pay its regulatory fee. Cordia, however, has filed for Chapter 11 bankruptcy protection, and another company is purchasing Cordia’s customer base. Following the consummation of that ownership change, Cordia’s registration as a telecommunications company in Washington will be cancelled. Staff recommends under these circumstances that the penalty assessment against Cordia be waived.

The Commission accepts Staff’s recommendation and waives the penalty assessment against Cordia. This docket is closed.

Sincerely,

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