Pacific Northwest Transportation Services, Inc. (C-862)

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Mr. Dave Danner

Executive Director and Secretary

Washington Utilities & Transportation Commission

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Re: Fuel Surcharge Request and LSN for Pacific Northwest Transportation Services, Inc. (C-862)

Mr. Danner:

The company requests Commission approval to amend its filed Tariff No. 4 on Less Than Statutory Notice to include a Special Fuel Surcharge Tariff Supplement No. 97 to recover the difference in current cost of fuel and the fuel costs embedded in the filed rates.  We respectfully request approval and adoption of the attached “Fuel Surcharge Tariff Supplement” and “Docket A-042090 Fuel Surcharge LSN”, with the LSN effective date of: 05 December 2011, to recover the risen cost of fuel.

“AutoTransFuelSurchargeWorkbook” also proves the need for this fuel surcharge, based upon gallons-based formula, under Order-05.

The proposed fuel surcharge amount is $1.50 per one way passenger fare and $3.00 per round-trip passenger fare.  The percentage amount that rates will change if “Special Fuel Surcharge Tariff Supplement No. 97” becomes effective will be as follows:

**Minimum Percentage**

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| Proposed Surcharge Amount | $1.50 |
| Divided by Highest Fare Amount | $305.00 for 7 passengers from Fare Zone Z |
| Percentage Amount | 3.44% |

**Maximum Percentage**

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| Proposed Surcharge Amount | $1.50 |
| Divided by Lowest Fare Amount | $20.00 |
| Percentage Amount | 7.5% |

Revenue is expected to change, if the proposed rates become effective, as follows:

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| Base Year’s Average Customer Count | 2,866 per month |
| Multiplied by Proposed Surcharge Amount | $1.50 |
| Amount of Revenue | $4,299.00 |

Supporting documentation from our fuel supplier is also provided with this filing as “Fuel Purchase History Through 11-29-11”.

Sincerely,

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