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VIA E-FILING

Mr. Steven V. King, Acting Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
1300 South Evergreen Park Drive SW
Olympia, WA 98504-7250

Re: Hood Canal Telephone Co., Inc. - Sixth Revision of Sheet No. 103 Canceling
Fifth Revision of Sheet No. 103

Dear Mr. King:

Attached you will find the above-referenced tariff sheet. The primary purpose of this filing is to increase the monthly residential rate to \$14.00 from its current rate of \$13.75 effective May 1, 2013. This is an increase of less than two percent. This will generate less than \$2,000 in additional annual revenue.

This filing conforms the Company's tariff to the "urban rate floor" provisions of FCC Order No. 11-161. In the course of that Order, the Federal Communications Commission adopted new rules concerning the universal service program. The effect of those rules is to penalize any company whose residential rate is less than \$14.00 on June 1, 2013. The penalty is a dollar-for-dollar reduction in universal service support for the Company's operations.

In Docket UT-110858, the Company filed financial information concerning its operations. In discussion with Commission Staff, this filing will be based upon the information that the Company has filed in Docket UT-110858.

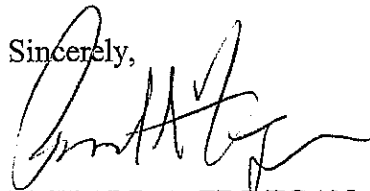
As a result of using the financial information filed by the Company in Docket UT-110858, the Company is requesting a waiver of the filing requirements of WAC 480-07-160.

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The Notice to customers is attached and includes additional information concerning the filing. The Notice was mailed to customers on March 28, 2013.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Richard A. Finnigan', written in a cursive style.

RICHARD A. FINNIGAN

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Enclosures

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