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June 24, 2014

NOTICE: The Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) will consider a petition for forbearance from rate regulation during its July 10, 2014, open public meeting that begins at 9:30 a.m., at 1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. SW, in Olympia. RCW 81.68.015 provides auto transportation companies' the opportunity to petition the Commission requesting forbearance from rate regulation. The Commission is accepting written comments regarding this proposal. **Written comments must be submitted to the Commission no later than July 3 by 5 p.m.** or comments may be presented during the scheduled open public meeting. Please identify the comments by using Docket TC-141124. You may send your comments to the Commission at P.O. Box 47250, Olympia, WA 98504 or by email to [records@utc.wa.gov](mailto:records@utc.wa.gov).

1. **San Juan Transit Tours & Charters, LLC (Cert. C-1006)** (San Juan Transit or Company) in Docket No. TC-141124 requests forbearance from rate regulation pursuant to RCW 81.68.015. San Juan Transit proposes to provide auto transportation between San Juan Island, Orcas Island, and Lopez Island.

San Juan Transit holds an auto transportation certificate C-1006 authorizing regulated passenger service between Friday Harbor and Roche Harbor via the following routes: Front Street, Spring Street, San Juan Valley Road, Douglas Road, Harrison Street, Mullis Road, Turn Point Road, Pear Point Road, Little Road, Bailer Hill Road, West Side Road, Mitchell Bay Road, West Valley Road, Roche Harbor Road and Tucker Road and all intermediate points.

On May 22, 2014, San Juan Transit filed an application requesting to expand its certificated authority to provide auto transportation services to Orcas and Lopez Islands. The company modified its request on June 12, 2014, further asking for forbearance from service and rate regulation as the company asserts the service currently provided on San Juan Island and as proposed for Orcas and Lopez Islands are solely for recreation and would not adversely affect the operations of any other auto transportation company (RCW 81.68.015).

The company proposes to provide service between San Juan Island, Orcas Island, and Lopez Island to county, state, and federal parks, trailheads and public boat launches, DNR and BLM public lands; resorts, spas, hotels, motels, Inns, Bed and Breakfasts, and shopping centers; art galleries and museums, wineries/vineyards, working farms, farmer's markets, gardens of merit, and beach access points.

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