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Via electronic filing

Mr. Mark L. Johnson, Executive Director and Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission 1300 South Evergreen Park Drive SW Olympia, WA 98504-7250

Re: **2018 ETC Certification** – Eligible Telecommunications Carriers' Annual Re-certification on High Cost Fund Support Pursuant to WAC 480-123-060, 070 and 080

Dear Mr. Johnson:

On June 26, 2018, Pursuant to WAC 480-123-060, Inland Telephone Company ("Company") requested that the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission certify to the Federal Communications Commission and the Universal Service Administrative Company that the Company has met the requirements of 47 C.F.R. § 54.314 for eligibility for continued receipt of federal high-cost funds.

At that time, the NECA1 Report required to be filed as part of WAC 480-123-070(1)(a) (Report 1) was not completed or sent to the National Exchange Carrier Association ("NECA"). Attached is the NECA1 Report that was submitted to NECA. If you should have any questions or need further information, please call me at (509) 649-2211.

Sincerely,

dames K. Brooks Treasurer/Controller

Enclosure