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**VIA E-FILING**

Mr. Steven V. King, Executive Director and Secretary

Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission

1300 South Evergreen Park Drive SW

Olympia, WA 98504-7250

Re: Burton Water Company - Sixth Revised Sheet No. 22 Canceling Fifth Revised Sheet No. 22; Fourth Revised Sheet No. 23 Canceling Third Revised Sheet No. 23

Dear Mr. King:

The attached filing constitutes a general rate increase for Burton Water Company. It has been four years since the Company's last general rate increase. The factors leading to this request are increased costs of operation for such things as wages, testing, regulatory compliance, utilities and other matters.

This general rate increase, if granted, would have the following effect on rates. The base rate for all customers, including ready-to-serve customers, will increase by $6.18 per month. There will also be an increase to Rate Block One from $1.83 per hundred cubic feet to $3.63 per hundred cubic feet. The base rate for ¾" meter connections and ready-to-serve customers is increasing by 24.45% and the base rate for 1" meter customers is increasing by 14.69%. Rate Block One is increasing by 98%.

The proposed increase would produce an overall revenue increase of $60,191 which is 27% in overall revenue.

A copy of the customer notice is attached. A Results of Operations statement is also included. The Results of Operations statement shows a calculation of the revenue impact of the proposed rates.

Also enclosed are a balance sheet, income statement, depreciation schedule, and usage statistics.

There is a schedule of adjustments showing restating and pro forma adjustments. The work papers to calculate the amount of the adjustments are included in those schedules.

The Company has no non-regulated operations. The only affiliated transactions that it has that have not previously been disclosed to the Commission are the 2014 wages paid to Mr. Garrison and Mr. Simmons. The fact that Mr. Garrison and Mr. Simmons work for the Company has been known to the Commission for many years. Those amounts are included in the wage total set forth in the Results of Operations. The Water System ID number for the system is 09800L.

The Company respectfully requests that the requested general rate increase be allowed to take effect May 1, 2015.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

RICHARD A. FINNIGAN

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Enclosure

cc: Client (via e-mail)