

Solmar Water System, Inc.  
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June 22, 2016

Washington State Utilities & Transportation Commission  
PO Box 47250  
Olympia WA 98504-7250

Subject: Request for a hearing for the penalty assessment UW-160533 against Solmar Water System, Inc.

Dear Mr. King:

I request a hearing on the matter of violating WAC 480-110-505 (3).

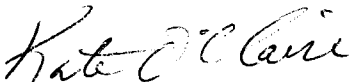
On April 29, 2016, I declare under penalty of perjury that I electronically filed the Solmar Water System, Inc. annual report and paid the regulatory fee. Attached are payment receipts and communications with WUTC staff discussing the limitations of the e-file documentation process.

To submit the annual report electronically, I had to complete an WUTC electronic filing cover page. This document lists each attachment, but the WUTC website doesn't allow for the filer to print the electronic filing cover page nor, according to Lisa Wyse, is the information entered saved by the WUTC. I've attached a blank copy of the electronic filing cover page for your review, which I obtained by using a Microsoft snapshot printing feature.

Based on my conversation with Sean Bennett, a filer can't verify the WUTC has received an electronic filed document from within the WUTC website. Verification can only be obtained by, emailing a staff member, calling the WUTC or receiving and reviewing the fine print on an external email.

Since the WUTC will lobby fines and institute a permanent violation on my company's record based on your submittal process, I contend the WUTC's verification process unsatisfactory and substandard to all other State agencies using electronic filing. Documentation of other agencies verification processes will be supplied at the hearing.

Sincerely,



Kate O'Claire  
President

Attachments

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