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WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

PENALTY ASSESSMENT TE-170635

PLEASE NOTE: You must complete and sign this document, and send it to the Commission within 15 days after you receive the penalty assessment. Use additional paper if needed.

I have read and understand RCW 9A.72.020 (printed below), which states that making false statements under oath is a class B felony. I am over the age of 18, am competent to testify to the matters set forth below and I have personal knowledge of those matters. I hereby make, under oath, the following statements.

[] 1. Payment of penalty. I admit that the violations occurred. I have:

[] Enclosed \$ _____ in payment of the penalty

[] Submitted my payment of \$ _____ online at www.utc.wa.gov. My confirmation number is _____.

[] 2. Contest the violation. I believe that one or more of the alleged violations did not occur, for the reasons I describe below (if you do not include reasons supporting your contest of the violations here, your request will be denied):

[] a) I ask for a hearing to present evidence on the information I provide above to an administrative law judge for a decision

OR

[] b) I ask for a Commission decision based solely on the information I provide above.

~~X~~ 3. Application for mitigation. I admit the violations, but I believe that the penalty should be reduced because the violations occurred due to circumstances beyond my control, as explained below (if you do not include reasons that support your application for mitigation here, your request will be denied):

SEE ATTACHED

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OR

~~X~~ b) I ask for a Commission decision based solely on the information I provide above.

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I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington that the foregoing, including information I have presented on any attachments, is true and correct.

Dated: 6/27/2017 [month/day/year], at Bremerton, WA [city, state]

Jeremy N Hicks
Name of Respondent (company) – please print

[Signature]
Signature of Applicant

RCW 9A.72.020:

“Perjury in the first degree. (1) A person is guilty of perjury in the first degree if in any official proceeding he makes a materially false statement which he knows to be false under an oath required or authorized by law. (2) Knowledge of the materiality of the statement is not an element of this crime, and the actor’s mistaken belief that his statement was not material is not a defense to a prosecution under this section. (3) Perjury in the first degree is a class B felony.”

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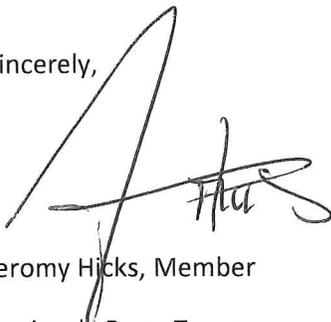
To Whom It May Concern,

We are asking the Commission to consider a reduction or elimination of our fine. Peninsula Brew Tours is a small company which operates one vehicle and less than \$3500 in annual profit. While we do admit and recognize that the annual report is our responsibility we simply overlooked submission this year. We have also identified that email addresses listed by your organization are not received by our mail server (Yahoo).

We have a great history of no compliance issues and hope that you are willing to consider our request. Changes have been made to ensure that this situation does not happen again.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J. Hicks', written over a large, stylized letter 'A'.

Jeremy Hicks, Member

Peninsula Brew Tours

360-275-8200