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Amanda Maxwell
Executive Director/Secretary
Washington Utilities & Transportation Commission
621 Woodland Square Loop SE
Olympia, WA 98503

RE: Request for Exemption under WAC 480-07-110 and requesting waiver from WAC 480-70-351(2)

Dear Ms. Maxwell:

Sound Disposal Holdings, Inc. dba Sound Disposal, Inc. (G-82) is now filing to adjust its commodity rates due to volatile processing expenses incurred over the last six months. In so doing, the company is also requesting less than statutory notice for this filing with an effective date of October 1, 2023.

Due to the volatility in the recycling commodity markets, we are respectfully requesting a waiver from WAC 480-70-351(2). The calculation submitted uses the most recent six-month historical period to estimate the recycling commodity processing expense/commodity adjustment. We also request a six-month payback period, expiring March 31, 2024.

This filing is being submitted in compliance with Order 01 in Docket TG-230085. Due to some significant health issues, however, the company's consultant was unavailable during part of June and July and inadvertently overlooked the indicated due date for this filing. Consequently, no commodity rates will be assessed for Sound customers after August 31, 2023, until revised commodity rates are approved and implemented pursuant to this filing.

If there are any questions, please call or email me.

Yours truly,

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