

MEMORANDUM

October 12, 2005

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TO: Gene Eckhardt, Regulatory Services
Assistant Director, Transportation and Water Section

FROM: Bonnie Allen, Regulatory Analyst [Signature]

SUBJECT: Application No. GA-79389 - Docket No. TG-051203

Applicant Transferee: Eric K. Holt, Zachary C. Holt, and Keith C. Holt (Holt & Holt)
d/b/a Newman Lake Garbage Service
PO Box 395
Newman Lake WA 99025

Applicant Transferor: Eric K. Holt
d/b/a Newman Lake Garbage Service
PO Box 395
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Discussion

The partnership of Eric K. Holt, Zachary C. Holt, and Keith C. Holt (Holt & Holt) and Eric K. Holt, sole proprietor, filed joint application GA-79389 in docket TG-051203. GA-79389 is an application for transfer of all rights under Solid Waste Collection Certificate No. G-171 from Eric K. Holt, d/b/a Newman Lake Garbage Service, to Eric K. Holt, Zachary C. Holt, and Keith C. Holt (Holt & Holt), d/b/a Newman Lake Garbage Service. The application appeared on the Commission's August 15, 2005, application docket. No one filed a protest during the 30-day protest period. No one filed a petition to intervene.

Certificate No. G-171 authorizes garbage collection services in a portion of Spokane County. The application includes a copy of a partnership agreement signed March 17th, 2005. The business and affairs of the partnership are to be managed exclusively by Eric K. Holt.

Under the provisions of RCW 81.77.040, the Commission may grant an application with or without hearing when there is no existing certificate holder authorized to provide solid waste collection service in the territory requested. Further, any certificate may be sold, assigned, leased, transferred, or inherited as property, but only on authorization by the Commission.

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The transferee will adopt the transferor's tariff.

Recommendation

No hearing is required in this application and there are no issues that suggest staff should ask the Commission to set the application for hearing. Therefore, I recommend this application be forwarded to Licensing Staff to process and prepare an order to grant the application without a hearing.