

**STATE OF WASHINGTON**

UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

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September 6, 2013

**NOTICE DENYING APPLICATION FOR MITIGATION**

RE: NET TALK.COM, Inc., Application for Mitigation of Penalty Assessment

Docket UT-130835

TO ALL PARTIES:

On August 2, 2013, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) issued and served Penalty Assessment UT-130835 against NET TALK.COM, Inc. (NET TALK.COM or Company) in the amount of $1,800, alleging a violation of WAC 480-120-382, which requires telecommunications companies to file annual reports with the Commission by May 1 each year and pay regulatory fees annually on that date.

On August 9, 2013, NET TALK.COM filed with the Commission a request for mitigation on the form provided by the Commission. NET TALK.COM checked the box on that form indicating that the Company admits that one or more of the violations occurred for which penalties were assessed and that it believes that the penalty should be reduced.

The form, however, conditions the application for mitigation on NET TALK.COM providing a written statement of the reasons the Company believes the alleged penalty should be reduced. NET TALK.COM did not provide any information or reasons supporting its request. Accordingly, the Company has failed to state any grounds for mitigation.

**THE COMMISSION GIVES NOTICE That NET TALK.COM’s application for mitigation is denied.**

**THE COMMISSION GIVES FURTHER NOTICE That the penalty of $1,800 assessed against NET TALK.COM is due and payable to the Commission within 15 days following the service date of this Notice.**

STEVEN V. KING

Executive Director and Secretary