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Hon. Thomas S. Zilly  
Senior Judge  
United States District Court  
Western District of Washington  
United States Courthouse  
700 Stewart Street, Suite 15229  
Seattle, WA 98101  
Attn: Kathryn Kim

Re: August 2011 Claim, Water Master, *United States & Lummi Indian Nation v. Department of Ecology*, No. C01-0047Z

Dear Judge Zilly:

The following is my statement for services rendered and reasonable costs incurred for August 2011, pursuant to my appointment as Water Master for the Lummi Decree.

| <b>Date</b>                     | <b>Description</b>  | <b>Amount</b> |
|---------------------------------|---|---------------|
| <b><i>Services Rendered</i></b> |   |               |
| Aug. 2, 5, 10-11, 15-17, 18, 26 | Correspondence & administrative matters related to Lummi Decree proceedings, finances & website*<br><br>Total of 2.0 hours @ \$200 per hour | \$400.00      |
| Aug. 10                         | Order re Summary Judgment & Injunction, WM 11-01, <i>In re</i> Ysaguirre-Boersma<br><br>Total of 1.0 hour @ \$200                           | 200.00        |

|   |   |                 |
|---|---|-----------------|
|   | per hour  |                 |
| Aug. 16, 27   | Order re Scoping of Issues; Scheduling Order, WM 11-03, Updating Service List<br><br>Total of 1.0 hour @ \$200 per hour                   | 200.00          |
| Aug. 18   | Order to Show Cause, WM 11-04, <i>In re</i> Ysaguirre-Boersma (2010-11 Eligible Landowner Fee)<br><br>Total of 0.25 hour @ \$200 per hour | 50.00           |
| Aug. 18   | Order to Show Cause, WM 11-05, <i>In re</i> Ficca (2010-11 Eligible Landowner Fee)<br><br>Total of 0.25 hour @ \$200 per hour             | 50.00           |
| Aug. 18   | Order to Show Cause, WM 11-06, <i>In re</i> Randmel (2010-11 Eligible Landowner Fee)<br><br>Total of 0.25 hour @ \$200 per hour           | 50.00           |
| <b>Subtotal</b>   |   | <b>\$950.00</b> |
| <b><i>Expenses Incurred</i></b>   |   |                 |
| Aug. 11   | Postage, WM 11-01, <i>In re</i> Ysaguirre-Boersma   | \$6.87          |
| Aug. 18   | Postage, WM 11-04, <i>In re</i> Ysaguirre-Boersma   | 6.37            |
| Aug. 18   | Postage, WM 11-05, <i>In re</i> Ficca   | 7.02            |
| Aug. 18   | Postage, WM 11-06, <i>In re</i> Randmel   | 6.67            |
| <b>Subtotal</b>   |   | <b>\$26.93</b>  |
| <b>Total Claim</b>  |   | <b>\$976.93</b> |
| *The Water Master maintains detailed records of time and expenses incurred on individual proceedings and collection activities. |   |                 |

This claim has been published to the Water Master's website and sent by e-mail to the principal parties.

Please contact me if you have any questions about this claim.

Sincerely,

*/s/ John E. Thorson*

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