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Sent electronically to Laura Ewan at ewan@workerlaw.com

Subject: Initial Hearing (Case Status Review Hearing) After Opening a Formal Investigation, UniteHere Local 8 PAC, PDC Case 55345

Dear Laura Ewan:

After conducting a preliminary review and assessment of a complaint filed July 23, 2019 by Tallman Trask, concerning Unite Here Local 8 PAC. PDC staff opened a formal investigation and held a case status review, referred to as an initial hearing, on October 14, 2019, pursuant to RCW 42.17A.755, and WACs 390-37-060 and 390-37-071.

At the hearing it was noted that the case status review is not an adjudicative proceeding, and that RCW 42.17A.755 provides PDC staff with additional tools to resolve complaints through the use of alternatives to full, formal adjudication, or referral to the Attorney General's Office, and I am encouraging you to work with staff on resolving this matter.

If you have questions, please contact Phil Stutzman, Sr. Compliance Officer, by replying to the latest staff email concerning this matter or by calling Mr. Stutzman at 360-664-8853.

Sincerely,



Peter Lavalley
PDC Executive Director