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July 30, 2009

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: July 2009 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 July 2009, pursuant to my appointment as Water Master for the Lummi Decree.

Date	Description	Amount					
Services Rendered							
July 24	Prehearing Conference Call & Order, <i>In re</i> John Rusin dba Hutzpah Holdings, LLC, No. WM 09- 06	\$50.00					
	Total of .25 hour @ \$200 per hour						
July 24	Prehearing Conference Call & Order, <i>In re</i> Steve H. Hovander, No. WM 09-05 Total of .25 hour @ \$200	\$50.00					
	per hour						

July 24	Prehearing Conference	\$50.00
	Call & Order, <i>In re</i> Julie	
	Littleton and Monte R.	
	Littleton, No. WM 09-04	
	Total of .25 hour @ \$200	
	per hour	
July 24	Prehearing Conference	\$50.00
	Call & Order, <i>In re</i>	
	Concetta J. Blaine, No. WM 09-07	
	Total of .25 hour @ \$200	
	per hour	
July 29	Administrative matters	\$200.00
	(annual report follow-up,	
	mailing lists, document	
	management)	
	Total of 1.0 hour @ \$200	
	per hour	
	Subtotal	\$400.00
	Expenses Incurred	
June 17	Copies (not previously claimed)	\$4.20
July 24	Conference Call Fees	\$9.81
	(prehearing conference	
	calls), WM 09-04, 09-05,	
	09-06, 09-07*	
July 28	Postage, Orders following	\$2.51
	Prehearing Conferences*	
July 29	Self-inking stamps for	\$57.99
	filing & exhibits	
	Subtotal	\$ 74.51

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.

Sincerel	у,		

/s/John E. Thorson

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