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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: December 2016 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 during December 2016, pursuant to my appointment as Water Master for the *Lummi Decree*.

Date	Description	Expenses	Fee
Dec. 15	Correspondence & administrative matters related to Lummi Decree proceedings, finances & website Total of 1.0 hour @ \$200 per hour		\$200
	Subtotal	\$00.00	\$200.00
	TOTAL CLAIM		\$200.00

Note: 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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