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The Honorable Christine Gregoire
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Dear Governor Gregoire:

Pursuant to RCW 47.64.220, the Washington State Marine Employees' Commission has completed its biennial survey of wages, hours, benefits and conditions of employment of ferry system and shipyard employees. This report is prepared for the Washington State Ferry System and the thirteen labor organizations that represent state ferry system employees prior to negotiating biennial labor contracts. We are submitting this copy for your interest and information.

Respectfully submitted,

John R. Swanson
Chairman

cc: The Honorable Ed Murray
The Honorable Mary Margaret Haugen