

[Service Date August 16, 2012]

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**NOTICE DENYING REQUEST FOR HEARING  
AND  
NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO SUBMIT REASON(S) IN SUPPORT OF  
APPLICATION FOR MITIGATION  
(By Thursday, August 23, 2012)**

RE: Always Able Moving Service, LLC, Request for Mitigation of Penalty  
Assessment, Docket TV-120910

TO ALL PARTIES:

On July 23, 2012, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) issued and served Penalty Assessment TV-120910 against Always Able Moving Service, LLC (Always Able Moving or Company) in the amount of \$2,100, alleging a violation of WAC 480-15-480, which requires permitted household goods companies to file annual reports with the Commission by May 1 each year and pay regulatory fees annually on that date.

On August 10, 2012, Always Able Moving filed with the Commission a request for hearing on the form provided by the Commission. Always Able Moving checked the boxes on that form indicating that the Company believes that one or more of the violations did not occur for which penalties were assessed. The form, however, conditions the opportunity for hearing on Always Able Moving providing a written statement of the reasons the Company believes the alleged violation did not occur. Because Always Able Moving failed to provide a basis for its request for a hearing, the Commission denies that request. The Commission nevertheless will consider the Company's request for mitigation of the assessed penalty on the basis of a written submission of the reasons supporting such mitigation if the Commission receives that submission no later than one week from the date of this Notice.

**THE COMMISSION GIVES NOTICE That Always Able Moving's request for hearing is denied.**

**THE COMMISSION GIVES FURTHER NOTICE That the Commission will consider Always Able Moving's request for mitigation provided the Company files a written statement of the reason(s) in support of its request by 5:00 p.m., Thursday, August 23, 2012.**

GREGORY J. KOPTA  
Director, Administrative Law Division