

BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Penalty Assessment  
Against DANIEL JOHN BUSBY d/b/a  
CAREFUL MOVERS, in the amount of  
\$2000.00

DOCKET TV-072234

COMMISSION STAFF'S RESPONSE  
TO CAREFUL MOVERS'  
APPLICATION FOR MITIGATION

1 Pursuant to WAC 480-07-370(1)(c), Commission Staff submits this response<sup>1</sup> to Daniel John Busby d/b/a Careful Movers' (Careful Movers) Application for Mitigation.

2 On December 6, 2007, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission assessed a penalty of \$2,000 against Careful Movers for violating RCW 81.80.070 and RCW 81.80.357. Careful Movers filed an Application for Mitigation on December 18, 2007, requesting a hearing. Staff will appear at a hearing. Staff respectfully requests that any hearing on this matter be set in conjunction with the classification proceeding currently scheduled in a related docket, TV-071670, as they share common parties and issues.

DATED this 19<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2007.

Respectfully submitted,

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<sup>1</sup> Please note that this response does not come from the commission but from commission Staff. Commission Staff is a party in this case and is separate from the commission. The commission will be the ultimate decision maker in this matter. An Administrative Law Judge will consider the Company's statements and commission Staff's statements and will issue a decision. The commission may accept, modify, or reject that decision.