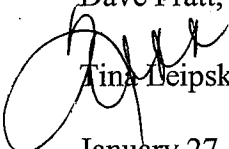


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TO: Dave Pratt, Assistant Director, Transportation Safety
FROM:  Tina Leipski, Transportation Specialist 3
DATE: January 27, 2010
SUBJECT: Docket TV-090860; Application for Permanent Authority

On June 5, 2009, AMS Moving & Storage of Portland, Inc., filed Docket TV-090860 requesting permanent household goods authority within Clark County, Washington only.

The commission granted the company temporary authority subject to conditions pending a decision on its application for permanent authority. The company has operated under Household Goods Carrier Permit No. THG-63665, since July 31, 2009.

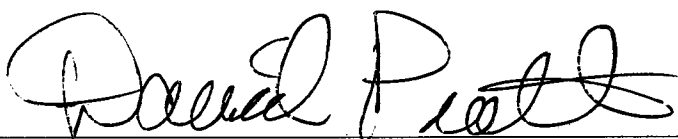
Under WAC 480-15-330, the commission will grant or deny an application for permanent authority after conducting a complete review of the application filings, supporting statements, reports, or other information necessary to determine fitness, public interest, and current or future public convenience and necessity.

Compliance staff worked with the company providing technical assistance during its temporary operations. Investigator Bruce Grimm completed a Safety Compliance Review, a Household Goods Technical Assistance and Records Review Checklist. Investigator Grimm found the company in general compliance and on December 15, 2009, he recommended the applicant be considered for permanent authority.

The current provisional permit THG-63665 is in order as follows:

- Records Center does not have an annual report on file since the company wasn't issued authority until 7/31/09.
- Financial Services reports the company has paid appropriate regulatory fees.
- The commission does not have any outstanding penalty or other fine against THG-63665.
- Consumer Affairs does not have a pending consumer complaint.
- Transportation Safety does not have a pending compliance action.

I recommend the commission grant TV-090860 without hearing and reissue Permit HG-63665 to AMS Moving & Storage of Portland, Inc., as unrestricted permanent authority to operate as a household goods carrier within Clark County, Washington.


Approved by _____ Date 1/29/10