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September 1, 2023

Kathy Hunter, Executive Director and Secretary  
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission  
P.O. Box 47250  
Olympia, Washington 98504-7250

RE: *Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. Americam Mover LLC*  
Commission Staff Recommendation to Impose Suspended Penalties of Order 01  
Docket TV-210275

Dear Ms. Hunter:

On June 14, 2021, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) entered Order 01, Granting Mitigation to \$1,400; Imposing and Suspending Penalties Subject to Conditions in Docket TV-210275. Order 01 granted Americam Mover LLC's (Americam Mover or Company) request for mitigation, assessed a penalty of \$1,400 and suspended a \$700 portion of the penalty for two years, and then waived, subject to the following conditions:

- (1) Americam Mover must pay the \$700 portion of the penalty that is not suspended or file with Commission staff (Staff) a proposed payment arrangement within 10 days of the effective date of Order 01;
- (2) Staff conduct a follow-up investigation two years after the effective dates of Order 01; and
- (3) The Company may not incur any repeat violations of critical regulations upon reinspection.

On August 10, 2021, Americam Mover paid the \$700 non-suspended portion of the penalty in full.

On August 28, 2023, Staff completed the follow-up safety investigation as required in Order 01. During the investigation, Staff identified 42 repeat violations of a critical regulation. The repeat violations were documented as follows:

- Forty-two violations of 49 C.F.R. § 391.45(a) – Using a driver not medically examined and certified.

Staff finds that Americam Mover failed to satisfy each requirement of Order 01 by incurring repeat violations of critical regulations and recommends that the Commission impose the \$700 suspended penalty.

If you have any questions, please contact Jason Sharp, Motor Carrier Safety Supervisor, Transportation Safety at [jason.sharp@utc.wa.gov](mailto:jason.sharp@utc.wa.gov) or at (360) 701-1603.

Sincerely,

Jason Sharp  
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