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October 11, 2021

NOTICE CANCELLING BRIEF ADJUDICATIVE PROCEEDING

and

SETTING DEADLINE FOR WRITTEN SUBMISSION

(due by Friday, October 15)

RE: *Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. ASD Ventures, Inc. d/b/a College Hunks Hauling Junk & Moving, Docket TV-210654*

TO ALL PARTIES:

In August 2021, motor carrier staff (Staff) of the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) conducted a compliance review of ASD Ventures, Inc. d/b/a College Hunks Hauling Junk & Moving (ASD Ventures or Company) and notified the Company of Staff's resulting proposed conditional safety rating. Based on its investigation and the proposed conditional safety rating, Staff recommended that the Commission cancel ASD Ventures's provisional household goods carrier permit based on its failure to obtain a satisfactory safety rating in either of the compliance reviews conducted by Staff during the Company's extended provisional period.

On September 13, 2021, the Commission issued a Notice of Intent to Cancel Permit as a Household Goods Carrier (Notice) informing ASD Ventures that the Commission will cancel the Company's household goods carrier permit effective October 20, 2021, unless the Company obtains Commission approval of a safety management plan prior to that date. The Notice required ASD Ventures to file a proposed safety management plan by September 28, and set a brief adjudicative proceeding for October 12, 2021.

On October 11, 2021, Staff informed the presiding officer that the Company had submitted to Staff a proposed safety management plan, which Staff accepted. Staff requested jointly with

the Company that the Commission cancel the brief adjudicative proceeding, allow Staff to file its recommendation regarding the safety management plan in the docket, and consider the remainder of this matter on a paper record.

Staff also explained that it confirmed that the Company waives its right to a hearing. Based on the joint requests by the parties, as well as Staff's acceptance of the Company's safety management plan, the Commission finds good cause to cancel the brief adjudicative proceeding set for October 12, at 1:30 p.m., require Staff to file its evaluation in this docket by 5 p.m. on Friday, October 15, 2021, and enter an order based on a written record.

THE COMMISSION GIVES NOTICE That the brief adjudicative proceeding in docket TV-210654 set for October 12, at 1:30 p.m. is canceled.

THE COMMISSION GIVES NOTICE That Staff must file in this docket its evaluation of the Company's safety management plan by 5 p.m. on Friday, October 15, 2021.

ANDREW J. O'CONNELL
Administrative Law Judge