BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILTIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

In re Application of)	DOCKET TV-111671
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FOUR STAR TRUCKING, INC.,)	ORDER 01
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for a permit to operate as a common)	ORDER DENYING APPLICATION
carrier.)	FOR PERMANENT AUTHORITY
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- On August 30, 2011, Four Star Trucking, Inc. (Four Star Trucking or Applicant) filed with the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) an application requesting authority to operate as a common carrier in the state of Washington under RCW 81.80 and WAC 480-14. The application was signed by Darlene Rojas, President of Four Star Trucking.
- Staff reviewed and investigated Four Star Trucking's application as well as compliance reports related to 7 Star Transport, LLC, another company owned and operated by one or more of the same individuals who own and operate Four Star Trucking. The Washington State Patrol and the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Association (FMCSA) have issued out-of service orders to both Four Star Trucking and 7 Star Transport, LLC. As a result of its review, Staff recommends that the Commission deny the application.
- On June 21, 2012, the Commission issued a Notice of Intent to Deny Four Star Trucking's application for permanent authority (Notice), which is attached and incorporated by reference in this order. Paragraphs 6-13 of the Notice set forth Staff's factual allegations supporting the proposed denial of the application. The Notice also provided Four Star Trucking with an opportunity to request a hearing by July 6, 2012, to contest those factual allegations. Four Star Trucking did not request a hearing by that date or otherwise respond to the Notice.

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ORDER

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

The application filed by Four Star Trucking, LLC, on August 30, 2011, in Docket TV-111671 for a permit to operate as a common carrier in the state of Washington is denied.

The Commission has delegated authority to the Secretary to enter this Order under RCW 80.01.030 and WAC 480-07-905(1)(k).

DATED at Olympia, Washington, and effective July 24, 2012.

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

DAVID W. DANNER
Executive Director and Secretary

NOTICE TO PARTIES: This is an order delegated to the Executive Secretary for decision. Under WAC 480-07-904(3), you may seek Commission review of this decision. In addition to serving you a copy of the decision, the Commission will post on its Internet Web site for at least 14 days a listing of all matters delegated to the Executive Secretary for decision under WAC 480-07-904(1). You must file a request for Commission review of this order no later than fourteen (14) days after the date the decision is posted on the Commission's Web site. The Commission will schedule your request for review for consideration at a regularly scheduled open meeting. The Commission will notify you of the time and place of the open meeting at which the Commission will review the order.

The Commission will grant a late-filed request for review only on a showing of good cause, including a satisfactory explanation of why the person did not timely file the request. A form for late-filed requests is available on the Commission's Web site.