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October 9, 2014

Noam Z. Kalzan d/b/a Neighborhood Movers 810 Harrison Street, Apt. D Seattle, WA 98109-5127

RE: Docket No. TV-140664

Dear Mr. Kalzan:

On June 19, 2014, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission or UTC) granted temporary authority under permit THG-65449 to provide household goods on a provisional basis for at least six months under RCW 81.80 and WAC 480-15.

On July 8, 2014, Neighbors Moving & Storage of Seattle, LLC, filed a protest stating that your trade name is too similar to their name. They believe the name will cause confusion to the public. According to WAC 480-15-390, a household goods carrier may not operate under a name that is similar to that of another carrier without that carrier's written permission or Commission approval.

The UTC will not proceed with reviewing your application for permanent household goods authority until you change the trade name of your company, or, receive written permission from Neighbors Moving & Storage of Seattle, LLC, to continue to use the trade name of Neighborhood Movers. The trade name is too similar and may mislead the public.

Please respond to this letter by November 7, 2014, or the Commission will cancel your provisional authority to operate under THG-65449 and dismiss your application for permanent authority. If you have questions, please contact me at (360)664-1224 or <u>sstillwe@utc.wa.gov</u>.

Sincerely,

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Suzanne Stillwell Licensing Services Manager

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Enclosure – WAC 480-15-390