

**BEFORE THE WASHINGTON STATE
UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION
1-360-664-1222**

In re Application of) DOCKET TV-081724
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) ORDER 03
MOUNTAIN MOVERS, INC.)
) ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION
for permanent authority to operate as a) AND REISSUING HOUSEHOLD
motor carrier of household goods.) GOODS PERMIT
.....)

- 1 On September 30, 2008, Mountain Movers, Inc., (Applicant), filed an application with the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) for permanent household goods carrier authority in the state of Washington under RCW 81.80 and WAC 480-15, rules relating to motor carriers of household goods.
- 2 The application appeared on the October 12, 2008 application docket and was protested by Mountain Trucking Co., Inc., d/b/a Mountain Moving & Storage, due to the company name was deceptively similar. On December 5, 2008, Mountain Movers, Inc., notified the Commission that the company had formally changed its name to Seattle Movers, Inc.
- 3 The Applicant has conducted temporary operations, as required under WAC 480-15-280, and has met the criteria in WAC 480-15-330 for obtaining permanent authority. The Applicant is fit, willing and able to provide the proposed service and it appears that the permanent authority requested will not be detrimental to the interests of the public.
- 4 The Commission, having considered the application and being fully advised, finds that the existing service is needed to satisfy the public convenience and necessity and it would be in the public interest to grant the application under WAC 480-15-330.

ORDER

THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

- 5 (1) The application of Seattle Movers, Inc., for permanent motor carrier of household goods authority in the state of Washington is granted.
- 6 (2) Permit THG-63388 authorizing temporary operations is reissued as unrestricted permanent household goods authority in the state of Washington in permit HG-63388

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

Dated at Olympia, Washington, and effective August 4, 2009.

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

DAVID W. DANNER
Executive Director and Secretary

NOTICE: This is an order delegated to the Secretary for 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 Secretary for decision. You may seek Commission review of this decision. 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 by issuing a notice of hearing to be held before an administrative law judge. The Commission, at its discretion, may consider your request for review in an adjudicative proceeding under RCW 34.05 Part IV, or in a brief adjudicative proceeding under RCW 34.05.482 through .494. Following hearing, the administrative law judge will enter an initial order. If you wish to seek review of the initial order, you may file a petition for administrative review under RCW 34.05.464, or if the matter is heard in a brief adjudicative proceeding, under RCW 34.05.491.

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.

This notice and review process is pursuant to the provisions of RCW 80.01.030 and WAC 480-07-904(2) and (3), and WAC 480-07-905, as amended effective September 22, 2008.