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The following comments are provided with regard to the Commission's Errata Notice, TV-971477, dated October 27, 1998:

WAC 480-15-660(2) - What rates must I use to prepare a supplemental estimate?

The WMC nonconcurrs in your provision that a HHG carrier must use the same rates as used in determining charges for the original estimate.

Our reason for nonconcurrence is there is no exception for when the cause for a supplemental estimate is due to fault on the part of the property owner which creates additional work by the moving company. Example: The property owner told the Estimator early on that they would be taking care of the contents of the garage and/or the basement/attic prior to the moving day. However, on the day of the move and at the last minute, they request the moving company to handle the extra workload.

In this circumstance, the moving company should be allowed to charge rates they choose that are contained in the published WUTC Tariff.

Once again, you are attempting to penalize the moving company by this proposed rule.

Jim Tutton

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