Service Date: November 30, 2017

# BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION,

**DOCKET TE-170921** 

Complainant,

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v.

AMY'S LIMOUSINE SERVICE, LLC; ELEGANT LIMO, INC.; GOOD & GOODS, LLC; MIRACLE SEATTLE TOWNCARS AND LIMOUSINE DISPATCH, LLC; DAN D. WILDER,

CANCELLING CHARTER AND
EXCURSION CARRIER
CERTIFICATES FOR FAILURE TO
FILE ANNUAL REPORTS AND
PAY REGULATORY FEES

Respondents.

#### **BACKGROUND**

- On September 8, 2017, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) issued to Amy's Limousine Service, LLC; Elegant Limo, Inc.; Good & Goods, LLC; Miracle Seattle Towncars and Limousine Dispatch, LLC; and Dan D. Wilder (the Companies) a Notice of Intent to Cancel Certification as Charter and Excursion Carrier and Opportunity to Request a Hearing for failure to file a 2016 annual report and pay regulatory fees for 2017 (Notice).
- The Notice informed the Companies that the Commission was taking action due to their failure to comply with Commission statutes and rules. The Notice gave each company the option, within 30 days, to come into compliance with Commission statutes and rules by submitting the delinquent annual report and paying the delinquent regulatory fees, or to request a hearing to demonstrate why its certificate should not be cancelled. The Notice was mailed to the Companies by certified return receipt and first class mail to the address on file with the Commission.
- On October 11, 2017, Commission staff (Staff) filed with the Commission a Status of Compliance of Companies Named in the Notice of Intent to Cancel (Status Report). Staff's Status Report noted that the 30-day period to request a hearing had passed, that none of the Companies had requested a hearing, and that each of the Companies remained out of compliance with annual reporting and/or regulatory fee requirements.

4 Staff recommends the Commission cancel the Companies' charter and excursion carrier certificates for failure to file 2016 annual reports and pay 2017 regulatory fees.

## DISCUSSION AND DECISION

- Every public service company operating in Washington is required to file an annual report that documents the company's operations during the preceding year. Every charter and excursion carrier must also pay a regulatory fee on or before the date specified by the Commission. Commission rules require all certificated charter and excursion carriers to file annual reports and pay regulatory fees by May 1. The Commission may cancel a company's charter and excursion carrier certificate for failure to file an annual safety report.
- Amy's Limousine Service, LLC holds charter and excursion carrier authority in the state of Washington. As such, Amy's Limousine Service, LLC is required to submit an annual report to the Commission and pay regulatory fees. A review of the Commission's files and records shows that Amy's Limousine Service, LLC failed to file its annual report for 2016 and failed to pay regulatory fees. Accordingly, Amy's Limousine Service, LLC's charter and excursion carrier certificate should be canceled.
- Elegant Limo, Inc. holds charter and excursion carrier authority in the state of Washington. As such, Elegant Limo, Inc. is required to submit an annual report to the Commission and pay regulatory fees. A review of the Commission's files and records shows that Elegant Limo, Inc. failed to file its annual report for 2016 and failed to pay regulatory fees. Accordingly, Elegant Limo, Inc.'s charter and excursion carrier certificate should be canceled.
- Good & Goods, LLC holds charter and excursion carrier authority in the state of Washington. As such, Good & Goods, LLC is required to submit an annual report to the Commission and pay regulatory fees. A review of the Commission's files and records shows that Good & Goods, LLC failed to file its annual report for 2016 and failed to pay regulatory fees. Accordingly, Good & Goods, LLC's charter and excursion carrier certificate should be canceled.

<sup>2</sup> WAC 480-30-076.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> RCW 81.04.080.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> WAC 480-30-071(2)(b).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> WAC 480-30-071(2)(d).

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Miracle Seattle Towncars and Limousine Dispatch, LLC holds charter and excursion carrier authority in the state of Washington. As such, Miracle Seattle Towncars and Limousine Dispatch, LLC is required to submit an annual report to the Commission and pay regulatory fees. A review of the Commission's files and records shows that Miracle Seattle Towncars and Limousine Dispatch, LLC failed to file its annual report for 2016 and failed to pay regulatory fees. Accordingly, Miracle Seattle Towncars and Limousine Dispatch, LLC's charter and excursion carrier certificate should be canceled.

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Dan P. Wilder holds charter and excursion carrier authority in the state of Washington. As such, Dan P. Wilder is required to submit an annual report to the Commission and pay regulatory fees. A review of the Commission's files and records shows that Dan P. Wilder failed to file its annual report for 2016 and failed to pay regulatory fees. Accordingly, Dan P. Wilder's charter and excursion carrier certificate should be canceled.

## FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS

- 11 (1) The Commission is an agency of the State of Washington, vested by statute with authority to regulate rates, rules, regulations, practices, and accounts of public service companies, including common carriers such as charter and excursion carriers.
- 12 (2) Amy's Limousine Service, LLC; Elegant Limo, Inc.; Good & Goods, LLC; Miracle Seattle Towncars and Limousine Dispatch, LLC; and Dan D. Wilder are each a "public service company," "common carrier," and "charter and excursion carrier" as those terms are defined and used in RCW Title 81.
- On September 8, 2017, the Commission issued to Amy's Limousine Service, LLC; Elegant Limo, Inc.; Good & Goods, LLC; Miracle Seattle Towncars and Limousine Dispatch, LLC; and Dan D. Wilder a Notice of Intent to Cancel Certification as Charter and Excursion Carrier and Opportunity to Request a Hearing for failure to file a 2016 annual report and pay regulatory fees for 2017. The Notice was properly served on each of the above-named charter and excursion carriers. No party requested a hearing.
- 14 (4) Amy's Limousine Service, LLC; Elegant Limo, Inc.; Good & Goods, LLC; Miracle Seattle Towncars and Limousine Dispatch, LLC; and Dan D. Wilder each failed to file annual reports for 2016 and/or pay regulatory fees for 2017.
- The failure of Amy's Limousine Service, LLC; Elegant Limo, Inc.; Good & Goods, LLC; Miracle Seattle Towncars and Limousine Dispatch, LLC; and Dan

D. Wilder to file their annual reports for 2016 and pay regulatory fees constitutes good cause to cancel their charter and excursion carrier certificates.

#### **ORDER**

- THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT The Commission cancels the charter and excursion carrier certificates held by Amy's Limousine Service, LLC; Elegant Limo, Inc.; Good & Goods, LLC; Miracle Seattle Towncars and Limousine Dispatch, LLC; and Dan D. Wilder for failure to file annual reports for 2016 and pay regulatory fees.
- The Secretary has been delegated authority to enter this order on behalf of the Commissioners under WAC 480-07-904(1)(h).

DATED at Olympia, Washington, and effective November 30, 2017.

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

STEVEN V. KING Executive Director and Secretary

NOTICE TO PARTIES: This is an order delegated to the Executive Secretary for decision. As authorized in WAC 480-07-904(3), you must file any request for Commission review of this order no later than 14 days after the date the decision is posted on the Commission's website.