BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Investigation of

MARSIK MOVERS, LLC.

For Compliance with WAC 480-14-300, WAC 480-15-560, and WAC 480-15-590

DOCKET TV-231020

ORDER 02

GRANTING MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE; GRANTING MOTION FOR EXEMPTION.

BACKGROUND

- *I* On February 28, 2024, the presiding officer in this proceeding issued Order 01 disapproving the proposed safety management plan and cancelling provisional authority for permit THG-068754.
- 2 On March 4, 2024, Commission staff (Staff) gave notice of its intent to file a motion for clarification of the initial order pursuant to Washington Administrative Code (WAC) 480-07-825(3).
- 3 Due to the short timeline contemplated by the rules, Staff also requested an exemption under WAC 480-07-110 from the normal five-day notice requirement of WAC 480-07-385(3)(a).

DISCUSSION

- 4 Motions for clarification are normally due "within five days after the commission serves the order." WAC 480-07-385(3).
- 5 Modification of Commission rules are appropriate when such modification is consistent with the public interest, the purposes underlying the regulations, and applicable statutes. WAC 480-07-010(1).
- 6 In light of Marsik Movers, LLC's (Marsik Movers or Company) late filing of its SMP; the length of Order 01; and the general press of business, Staff's request for additional time to prepare its motion is reasonable. Further, clarification of any errors contained in Order 01 clearly serves the public interest.

FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS

7 The Commission finds good cause to extend the deadline for Staff to respond to the Company's proposed safety management plan until March 22, 2024, at 5:00 p.m.

ORDER

THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

- 8 (1) Commission Staff's motion for exemption from the notice requirements of WAC 480-07-825(3) is granted.
- 9 (2) Commission Staff's motion for a continuance is granted; Staff may file its contemplated motion for clarification to Order 01 by 5:00 p.m. on Friday, March 22, 2024.

DATED at Lacey, Washington, and effective March 6, 2024.

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

/s/ *Bijan Hughes* BIJAN HUGHES Administrative Law Judge

cc: All Parties