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RE: UTC Fine on Orion NW

To whom it may concern;

Dear Sir,

I am writing to you today regarding a fine that was assessed to my company. I filed my annual report on 03/20/2016 and I mailed it to your office on same day along with my check #298 for \$77.00 which was cashed a few days later that month. Since I was leaving for Greece I forgot everything about it until my return in April, when I received a notice from your office that my report was not complete. I needed to actually rewrite my name and contact number as a contact person for Orion NW when I already had written all my contact info under the first box of the owner. Since my company is a sole proprietor one, owned and operated by me by definition at the state of Washington I didn't think of it as necessary to write it again. I was also told by your very helpful agent Amber that I needed to put the number 0 after I replied NO to interstate traveling. She kindly emailed me a copy of my report to fix it. I did and mailed it back. Never heard of you but feeling uncomfortable my wife emailed her again to find out if she got it and everything was OK. On May 2nd she replied that she did and yes everything was fine. About a month later I received your notice of the penalty which is three times the amount that I had already paid for a report that was already received.

I certainly didn't ignore my responsibilities filing and paying the report in due time, and I find it a little unfair to get such a steep fine. I am sure the law is not trying to punish people like me for instances like this, but blunt violators of the letter and meaning of this law.

Please kindly let me know of your fair judgement to my appeal and instructions as how to proceed.

Thank you

Nicholas Papadimas

Orion NW

Owner/operator

