

## STATE OF WASHINGTON

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Mark L. Johnson, Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission P.O. Box 47250 Olympia, WA 98504-7250

RE: Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. Chris Robert Miller, d/b/a Silver Limousine and Silver Transportation
Commission Staff's Recommendation to Cancel Payment Arrangement
Docket TE-180455

Dear Mr. Johnson:

On April 24, 2020, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) entered Order 02, which assessed a \$10,000 penalty against Chris Robert Miller, d/b/a Silver Limousine and Silver Transportation, (Silver Limousine or Company) for violations of RCW 81.70.220(1).

On June 9, 2020, the Commission entered Order 03, which granted a payment arrangement consisting of 40 monthly installments of \$250 and delayed the initial payment to November 18, 2020.

On January 11, 2021, the Commission issued a letter in the docket canceling the payment arrangement due to Silver Limousine's failure to comply with the terms of Order 03. On January 14, 2021, Silver Limousine submitted a Request for Reconsideration to reinstate the payment arrangement and grant an extension due to economic hardship caused from the COVID-19 pandemic.

On January 28, 2021, the Commission issued Order 04, which reinstated the payment arrangement consisting of 40 monthly installments of \$250 and extended the initial payment to July 19, 2021. Order 04 further held that if Silver Limousine "fails to pay any installment by 5 p.m. on the date it is due without having filed an extension request in advance, the entire unpaid balance will immediately become due and payable without further order by the Commission."

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Docket TE-180455, Order 04, ¶ 12.

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To date, Silver Limousine has failed to pay the first three installments of \$250 as outlined in Order 04.<sup>2</sup> Silver Limousine has also failed to file any extension request in advance of the installment dates. Therefore, Staff recommends the Commission cancel the payment arrangement and make the entire \$10,000 penalty immediately due and payable.

If you have any questions, please contact Jason Hoxit, Compliance Investigator, Motor Carrier Safety, at (360) 867-8305, or by email at jason.hoxit@utc.wa.gov.

Sincerely,

Digitally signed by Jason Sharp Date: 2021.09.24 12:03:24 -07'00'

Jason Sharp

Motor Carrier Safety Supervisor, Transportation Safety

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Installment Dates: July 19, 2021, August 18, 2021, and September 20, 2021.