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PARTY/COMPLAINANT: TRANSPORTATION & SAFETY, BUREAU OF

RESPONDENT/APPLICANT: METRO MOVING AND STORAGE, INC.

COMP/APP COUNTY: UTILITY CODE: 702126

ALLEGATION OR SUBJECT

COMPLAINT AGAINST METRO MOVING AND STORAGE INC FOR VARIOUS VIOLATIONS.

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BEFORE THE PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION, BUREAU OF TRANSPORTATION AND SAFETY

V.

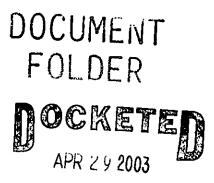
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Metro Moving and Storage, Inc.

COMPLAINT

The Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission (Commission) is a duly constituted agency of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania empowered to regulate public utilities within the Commonwealth. The Commission has delegated its authority to initiate proceedings which are prosecutory in nature to the Bureau of Transportation and Safety and other bureaus with enforcement responsibilities. Pursuant to that delegated authority and Section 701 of the Public Utility Code, the Bureau of Transportation and Safety Prosecutory Staff hereby represents as follows:

- 1. That Metro Moving and Storage, Inc., respondent, maintains its principal place of business at 700 Grant Avenue, Duquesne, PA 15110.
- 2. That respondent was issued a certificate of public convenience by this Commission on February 14, 1997, at Application Docket No. A-00113363.
- 3. That respondent, on August 19, 2002, transported the household goods of Jackie Lavette for compensation from Ambridge, Beaver County, Pennsylvania to New Brighton, Beaver County, Pennsylvania. Respondent's operating authority does not allow it to transport household goods for compensation between the aforementioned points.
- 4. That respondent, in performing the acts described in Paragraph 3, violated the Public Utility Code, 66 Pa. C.S. §1102(a)(1)(i), by rendering service within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to a different territory than that authorized by its certificate of public convenience. The penalty is \$250.00



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WHEREFORE, the Bureau of Transportation and Safety Prosecutory Staff hereby requests that the Commission fine metro Moving and Storage, Inc. the sum of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00) for the illegal activity described in this complaint and order such other remedy as the Commission may deem to be appropriate.

Respectfully submitted.

Michael E. Hoffman, Director Bureau of Transportation and Safety

P.O. Box 3265

Harrisburg, PA 17105-3265

VERIFICATION

I, Michael E. Hoffman, hereby state that the facts above set forth are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief and that I expect to be able to prove the same at any hearing held in this matter. I understand that the statements herein are made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa. C.S. §4904 relating to unsworn falsification to authorities.

Date:

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NOTICE

A. You must file an answer within twenty (20) days of the date of service of this complaint. The date of service is the mailing date as indicated at the top of the Secretarial cover letter for this complaint and notice, 52 Pa. Code §1.56(a). An answer is a written explanation of circumstances wished to be considered in determining the out come. The answer shall raise all factual and legal arguments that you wish to claim in your defense and must include the reference number of this complaint. Your answer must be verified and the original and three (3) copies sent to:

James J. McNulty, Secretary Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission P.O. Box 3265 Harrisburg, PA 17105-3265

- B. If you fail to answer this complaint within twenty (20) days, the Bureau of Transportation and Safety will request that the Commission issue a Secretarial Letter imposing a penalty. The penalty could include a fine, the suspension or revocation of your certificate of public convenience or other remedy.
- C. You may elect not to contest this complaint by paying the fine proposed in this complaint by certified check or money order. Payment must be made to the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission, P.O. Box 3265, Harrisburg, PA 17105-3265. Your payment is an admission that you committed the alleged violation and an agreement to cease and desist from further violations. Upon receipt of your payment, the complaint proceeding shall be closed.
- D. If you file an answer which either admits or fails to deny the allegations of the complaint, the Bureau of Transportation and Safety will request that the Commission issue a Secretarial Letter imposing a penalty (see B).
- E. If you file an answer which contests the complaint, the matter will be assigned to an administrative law judge for hearing and decision. The judge is not bound by the optional fine set forth in C, above.
- F. Alternative formats of this material are available, for persons with disabilities, by contacting the Technical Unit at (717) 783-5945.

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Date of Service:

APRIL 29, 2003

Docket Number:

A-00113363C0301

METRO MOVING AND STORAGE INC 700 GRANT AVENUE DUQUESNE PA 15110

Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission Bureau of Transportation and Safety v. METRO MOVING AND STORAGE INC

Dear Sir/Madam:

The Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission has delegated its authority to initiate prosecutory proceedings to several bureaus in the Commission with enforcement responsibilities.

Pursuant to this delegated authority and Section 701 of the Public Utility Code, the Bureau of Transportation and Safety Prosecutory Staff has filed the attached complaint against you.

Please refer to the Notice page at the conclusion of this complaint for detailed instructions on how to proceed. Alternative formats of this material are available for persons with disabilities.

Any questions may be directed to the Technical Review Section of the Bureau of Transportation and Safety at (717) 787-1168.

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Very truly yours,

James J. McNulty

Secretary

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