

Before the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission

2000 OCT -5 AM 9:32

**APPLICATION 51**  
**MOTOR COMMON CARRIER OF PROPERTY**

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SECRETARY'S BUREAU

1. Meshoppen Stone Inc  
FULL NAME OF APPLICANT (Individual, Partnership or Corporation)

2. \_\_\_\_\_  
TRADE NAME IF ANY  
The trade name, if fictitious, \_\_\_\_\_ been registered with the  
(has or has not)  
Secretary of the Commonwealth on \_\_\_\_\_. Attach a date  
stamped copy of the registration form.

3. FRantz Rd  
Meshoppen Wyoming PA 570-833-2767  
PHYSICAL ADDRESS TELEPHONE NUMBER (REQUIRED)  
(City, County, and Zip Code)

4. PO Box 127 Meshoppen PA 18630  
MAILING ADDRESS IF DIFFERENT FROM PHYSICAL ADDRESS

5. \_\_\_\_\_  
ATTORNEY'S NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER FOR THIS FILING  
(Do not supply an Attorney's name if you want all correspondence and notice of  
process mailed directly to you.)

**DOCKETED**  
OCT 6 2000

ATTORNEY'S ADDRESS

6. APPLICANT does HOLD INTERSTATE OPERATING  
(does or does not)  
AUTHORITY AT DOCKET NUMBER ICC MC 278671-C

7. APPLICANT does HAVE A CURRENT SAFETY RATING  
(does or does not )  
ISSUED BY THE US DOT, PA PUC OR OTHER STATE REGULATORY  
AGENCY. (ATTACH COPY)

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BIPD-OK  
CAR60-OK  
Prop RG

A-00117264

DOCUMENT  
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8. APPROXIMATE NUMBER OF COMMERCIAL VEHICLES TO BE OPERATED IN PENNSYLVANIA: OWNED 20 LEASED 4.

9. CHECK ONE THAT APPLIES TO THIS APPLICATION:

INDIVIDUAL

PARTNERSHIP. ATTACH A COPY OF A PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT AND LIST THE NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF ALL PARTNERS BELOW:

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(Attach a separate sheet if space provided is not sufficient.)

CORPORATION. ORGANIZED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF PA AND QUALIFIED TO DO BUSINESS IN PENNSYLVANIA BY REGISTERING WITH THE SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH ON PA. ATTACH A DATE-STAMPED COPY OF THE APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION OR CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY. INCLUDE A LIST OF CORPORATE OFFICERS WITH TITLES, NAMES OF SHAREHOLDERS AND NUMBER OF SHARES HELD, AND ADDRESSES.

10. ATTACHMENT CHECKLIST:

FOR CORPORATIONS ONLY:

DATE STAMPED COPY OF APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION OR CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY.

LIST OF OFFICERS/TITLES AND DISTRIBUTION OF SHARES.

FOR PARTNERSHIPS ONLY:

COPY OF PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT.

FOR ALL APPLICANTS:

- FICTITIOUS TRADE NAME REGISTRATION (IF APPLICABLE)  
 COPY OF CURRENT SAFETY RATING (IF AVAILABLE)  
 PROOF OF INSURANCE (See item 5 on instruction sheet).  
 CERTIFIED CHECK, MONEY ORDER OR ATTORNEY'S CHECK

**11. CERTIFICATION:**

APPLICANT CERTIFIES THAT IT IS NOT NOW ENGAGED IN ANY INTRASTATE TRANSPORTATION OF PROPERTY FOR COMPENSATION BETWEEN POINTS IN PENNSYLVANIA AND WILL NOT ENGAGE IN SAID TRANSPORTATION UNLESS AND UNTIL AUTHORIZATION IS RECEIVED FROM THE PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION.

APPLICANT FURTHER CERTIFIES THAT IT UNDERSTANDS THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION, ESPECIALLY AS THEY RELATE TO SAFETY AND INSURANCE AND THAT IT MAY BE SUBJECT TO CIVIL PENALTIES, SUSPENSION OR CANCELLATION OF THE CERTIFICATE FOR FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH COMMISSION REQUIREMENTS.

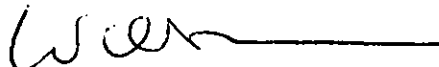
APPLICANT FURTHER CERTIFIES THAT IT UNDERSTANDS THAT IT IS SUBJECT TO AN ANNUAL ASSESSMENT BASED UPON ITS REPORTED GROSS PENNSYLVANIA INTRASTATE REVENUES; SAID ASSESSMENT TO HELP DEFRAY EXPENSES INCURRED IN REGULATING MOTOR COMMON CARRIERS OF PROPERTY; AND ACKNOWLEDGES THAT FAILURE TO REPORT REVENUE AND PAY ITS ANNUAL ASSESSMENT MAY RESULT IN CIVIL PENALTIES, SUSPENSION OR CANCELLATION OF THE CERTIFICATE.

**VERIFICATION OF APPLICATION**

I/WE HEREBY STATE THAT THE STATEMENTS MADE IN THIS APPLICATION IS/ARE TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY/OUR KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF.

THE UNDERSIGNED UNDERSTANDS THAT FALSE STATEMENTS HEREIN ARE MADE SUBJECT TO THE PENALTIES OF 18 Pa. C.S. SECTION 4904 RELATING TO UNSWORN FALSIFICATION TO AUTHORITIES.

WILLIAM RUARK  
(PRINT NAME)

  
(SIGNATURE)

9/29/00  
(DATE)

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THE VERIFICATION OF THE APPLICATION MUST BE COMPLETED BY THE APPLICANT APPEARING ON LINE 1 OF THE APPLICATION BY THE NAMED INDIVIDUAL, ALL PARTNERS IF A PARTNERSHIP OR BY THE PRESIDENT OR SECRETARY IF A CORPORATION.

MINIMUM LIMITS OF INSURANCE  
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION AUTHORIZED  
CARRIERS OF PROPERTY

General Commodities and/or Household goods in use.

Bodily Injury:

\$300,000 per accident per vehicle to cover liability for bodily injury, death or property damage incurred in an accident.

Insurance coverage of motor carriers of property shall meet the requirements of 75 PA C.S. Ss. 1711 (relating to required benefits).

Cargo:

\$5,000 for loss or damage to cargo being transported.

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Cargo Insurance may be waived if you meet any one of three criteria:

1. All transportation will be provided in dump trucks.
2. All transportation will be limited to farm products, garbage, ashes, rubbish, coal debris, earth, crushed stone, amesite, and similar construction materials.
3. The value of any one load being transported will not be more than \$500.00 in value.

**SERVICE DATE**  
**April 26, 1999**

FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION

CERTIFICATE

MC 278671 C

MESHOPPEN STONE INC.  
MESHOPPEN, PA, US

This Certificate is evidence of the carrier's authority to engage in transportation as a common carrier of property (except household goods) by motor vehicle in interstate or foreign commerce.

This authority will be effective as long as the carrier maintains compliance with the requirements pertaining to insurance coverage for the protection of the public (49 CFR 387), and the designation of agents upon whom process may be served (49 CFR 366). The carrier shall also render reasonably continuous and adequate service to the public. Failure to maintain compliance will constitute sufficient grounds for revocation of this authority.

Thomas T. Vining  
Chief, Licensing and Insurance Division

**NOTE:** Willful and persistent noncompliance with applicable safety fitness regulations as evidenced by a DOT safety fitness rating of "Unsatisfactory" or by other indicators, could result in a proceeding requiring the holder of this certificate or permit to show cause why this authority should not be suspended or revoked.

# Meshoppen Stone, Inc.

Flagstone, Fieldstone, & Building Stone

Box 127

Meshoppen, Pennsylvania 18630

Phone  
570-833-2767  
1-800-836-1269  
FAX 570-833-2180

10/2/00

Officers of Meshoppen Stone Inc

William M. Ruark  
RD 2 Box 282  
Meshoppen PA 18630

President —  
Vice President  
Secretary  
Treasurer

100% of Shares

The rating below is current as of: 09/23/2000 Review Information:

Rating date: 03/15/1988

Date: 01/14/1988

Rating: Satisfactory

Type: Safety Review

**ID/Operations | Inspections/Crashes | Safety Rating | Insurance**

Insurance information last updated: 09/27/2000

MC 278671

If you believe that the following operating authority information is incorrect and you would like it corrected, please contact a duty officer at (202) 358-7028, (202) 358-7106, or (202) 358-7108. For all other concerns contact the SAFER help desk at (703) 280-4001.

<b>Name on Operating Authority Documents:</b> MESHOPPEN STONE INC.					
<b>Docket Number:</b> MC 278671					
<b>Operating Authority Status:</b>					
<b>Common Authority</b>		<b>Contract Authority</b>		<b>Broker Authority</b>	
Active		Active		None	
<b>Insurance Requirements and Status:</b>					
<b>Liability Insurance</b>		<b>Cargo Insurance</b>		<b>Bonds or Trust Fund</b>	
Required: \$750,000		Required		Not Required	
OK		OK			
<b>Insurance Profile (For-hire carriers only)</b>					
<b>Insurance Type</b>	<b>Insurance Carrier</b>	<b>Policy Number</b>	<b>Effective Date</b>	<b>Coverage Amount</b>	
LIABILITY	LIBERTY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE CO.	AT2-131-485788-03	04/22/1999	\$0 -	\$1,000,000
CARGO	LIBERTY MUTUAL INSURANCE CO.	K01-131-485788-09	04/22/1999	\$0 -	\$5,000*
* If a carrier is in compliance, the amount of coverage will always be shown as the required Federal minimum (\$5,000 for cargo insurance and \$10,000 for bond/trust fund). The carrier may actually have higher levels of coverage.					

MOTOR TRUCK CARGO-LIABILITY DECLARATIONS



Liberty Mutual Insurance Company

ACCOUNT	BUN-ACCT. NO.						
48 87 88	0000						
POLICY NO.	YSICD	SALES OFFICE	CODE	SALES REPRESENTATIVE	CODE	N/A	1ST YR.
KO1-131-485788-090	42/2	Wilkes-Barre	328	Webb	6236	2	97

NAMED INSURED AND MAILING ADDRESS Meshoppen Stone, Inc.  
Frantz Road, P.O. Box 127  
Meshoppen, PA 18690

FIRST NAMED INSURED

POLICY PERIOD: From 01/01/00 to 01/01/01  
at 12:01 A.M. STANDARD TIME AT YOUR MAILING ADDRESS ABOVE

SCHEDULE OF LIMITS

Item 1. The Limits of liability are as follows:

(a) Any One Vehicle \$ 100,000

TERMINAL SCHEDULE

(b) Any One Terminal or as specified below: \$ 100,000

LOCATIONS:

CATASTROPHE LIMIT

(c) Any One Catastrophe \$ 100,000

Item 2. Freight Charges  
Freight Charges, any one catastrophe \$ 5,000

Item 3. Each loss shall be adjusted on the basis of a deductible of \$ 1,000.

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*Matt Stinson*  
Account Service Rep.  
Allentown Business Sales

**PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

RECEIPT

The addressee named here has paid the PA P.U.C. for the following bill:

MESHOPPEN STONE INC  
PO BOX 127  
MESHOPPEN PA 18630

DATE 10/13/00  
RECEIPT # 197674

DOCKETED DOCUMENT  
OCT 16 2000  
FOLDER

IN RE: Application fees for MESHOPPEN STONE INC

Docket Number A-00117264..... \$100.00

REVENUE ACCOUNT: 001780-017601-102

CHECK NUMBER: PNB PMO 503022

CHECK AMOUNT: \$100.00

C. Joseph Meisinger  
(for Department of Revenue)