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August 4, 2025

A-6428134  
A-2025-3056439

K & J EXPRESS LLC  
98 SOUTH HAZLE STREET  
HAZLETON PA 18201

**RE: Application of K & J Express LLC**

To Whom It May Concern:

On July 23, 2025, the application of K & J Express LLC, at A-2025-3056439, as a motor carrier was accepted for filing and docketed with the Public Utility Commission. In order for the Commission to proceed with the application, additional information is required.

Please forward the information to the Secretary of the Commission at the following address **within ten (10) working days** from the date of this letter.

Matthew L. Homsher, Secretary  
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission  
Commonwealth Keystone Building  
400 North Street  
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17120

**ALL Parties to proceedings pending before the Commission are advised to open and use an e-filing account through the Commission's website, OR you may submit your filing by mail. If a filing contains confidential or proprietary material, the filing is required to be submitted by overnight delivery.**

**Your answers should be verified per 52 Pa Code § 1.36.** Accordingly, you must provide the following statement with your responses:

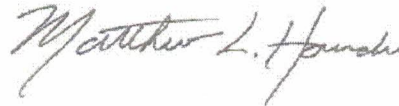
I, Yomaira Colon hereby state that the facts above set forth are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, and that I expect to be able to prove the same at a hearing held in this matter. I understand that the statements herein are made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa.C.S.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

The blank should be filled in with the name of the appropriate company representative, and the signature of that representative should follow the statement.

Failure to comply with this request within 10 working days from the date of this letter will result in the denial of the application.

Please direct any questions to David Canzoneri, Bureau of Technical Utility Services at (717) 346-9738. Faxed or emailed filings are **not** accepted.

Sincerely,



Matthew L. Homsher  
Secretary

Enclosure

Docket No. A-2025-3056439  
K & J Express LLC

Request for Information

- 1.) You failed to adequately answer all aspects of question #5 of the Verified Statement of Applicant. **Please review Title 52 Pa Code §29.501-509 Driver Regulations to see what is required of motor carriers.**
  - a. Your system for conducting criminal background checks; **(Title 52 Pa Code §29.505 – Criminal History)**
    - i. What type of things in their criminal background check would disqualify them from employment? In your response to our previous data request you stated that applicants would be disqualified if they had “any felony or misdemeanor conviction under the law of the Commonwealth or another jurisdiction within the past 7 years, and any conviction for crimes involving violence, DUI, or drug-related convictions within the past 5 years. While Title 52 Pa. Code §29.505(a)(3) does not specifically state time periods for given offenses like Title 52 Pa. Code §29.505(b)(1) does, it would right to assume should offenses be mentioned that they be in line with the time periods specified in Title 52 Pa. Code §29.505(b)(1). As such, please revise the time periods for the given offenses to comply with Commission regulations.

**PLEASE PROVIDED A THOROUGH TYPED RESPONSE TO THESE QUESTIONS ON A SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER**

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**Requested information on 8/4/2025**

In accordance with Title 52 Pa. Code §29.505, our company requires all driver applicants to undergo a thorough criminal background check before being permitted to operate as a driver. This background check is conducted either by our company or through a third-party screening service.

**Disqualifying Offenses:**

We disqualify any applicant who has been convicted of the following offenses, in accordance with the timeframes set forth in Title 52 Pa. Code §29.505

**1. Within the preceding 7 years:**

- Driving under the influence of drugs or alcohol.
- A felony conviction involving theft.
- A felony conviction for fraud.
- A felony conviction for a violation of *the Controlled Substances, Drug, Device, and Cosmetic*.

**2. Within the preceding 10 years:**

- Use of a motor vehicle to commit a felony.
- Burglary or robbery.

**3. At any time (lifetime disqualifications):**

- A sexual offense under 42 Pa.C.S. § 9799.14(c) or (d) (relating to sexual offenses and tier system) or similar offense under the laws of another jurisdiction or under a former law of the Commonwealth.
- A crime of violence as defined in 18 Pa.C.S. §5702.
- An act of terror.