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From: Jack Mckernan [mailto:jmck@williamsportmoving.com]

Sent: Monday, April 13, 2015 11:53 AM

To: Schalles, Scott R.

Subject: PUC final rule making comments

Good afternoon Mr. Schalles,

Please see the attached letter in opposition to the PUC final rulemaking regulation scheduled for a hearing later this week.

I do plan on being at the hearing on Thursday.

Thank you,

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PENNSYLVANIA MOVING & STORAGE ASSOCIATION

Independent Regulatory Review Committee 2015 APR 13 PM 1: 20 Mr. John Mizner, Esquire

Chairman 333 Market Street Harrisburg, PA 17101

April 13, 2015

Re: Regulation #57-298 (IRRC #3041) (L-2013-2376902)

Dear Mr. Mizner & Committee,

I am writing on behalf of my companies; Williamsport Moving Co, Williamsport, PA and Keystone Relocation, LLC State College, PA and Mr. Todd Cellitti, President of Cellitti Moving & Storage, Sunbury, PA and Mr. Thomas Roan, President of Roan Transfer & Storage. Williamsport, PA.

The above PUC certificated holders are opposed to the changes the PUC has proposed. In particular we disagree with paragraph two of the executive summary for this final rulemaking. The PUC eliminating the need requirement due to the "competitive nature of the industry" makes absolutely no sense! There are over 300 movers in Pennsylvania. These 300 moving companies have a sizeable investment in trucks and personnel. Instead of opening the flood gates for new movers to pop up on every corner it would only be fair to do this in a gradual manner. The PUC should have commissioned an industry panel to help make this transition! It is not too late for the IRRC to stop this and ask the PUC to work with our industry to make changes to an almost hundred year old industry.

We are also concerned with two other areas: insurance for liability and workman compensation are critical to protect the consumer and the employee. The PUC must police these areas. Second, the need for certificated carriers to be located (their physical structure) in Pennsylvania is important to protect our industry and the consumer.

In summary we ask the IRRC to recommend that the PUC work with the moving and storage industry to work through this in order to find common ground.

Respectfully submitted,

On behalf of

R. Jack McKernan

President

Todd Cellitti Cellitti Moving & Storage

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