BEFORE THE PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

IN RE: APPLICATION OF

KINGMAN LUXURY TRANSPORT : Docket No. A-2015-2471416

<u>CORPORATION</u> :

PROTEST OF J & J LEASING & RENTALS, INC.

Comes now, Protestant, J & J Leasing & Rentals, Inc., with address and place of business as 445 Business Park Lane, Allentown, Pennsylvania 18109, by and through its attorney, and in accordance with the Rules of Practice of the Commission, submits this, its Protest, to the above captioned Application, for a certificate of public convenience, and states the basis of which is as follows:

- 1. Applicant's name and docket number of the Application are: Kingman Luxury Transport Corporation, 121 ½ North Franklin Street., Selinsgrove, PA 18102, and Docket No. A-2015-2471416.
- 2. Protestant's business name, address, and telephone are: J & J Leasing & Rentals, Inc., 445 Business Park Lane, Allentown, Pennsylvania 18109, telephone (610) 776-1516.
- 3. Protestant's attorney's name, address, and telephone are: Kenneth A. Olsen, Esq., 33 Philhower Road, Lebanon, NJ 08833, telephone (908) 832-9207, fax (908) 832-5403.
- 4. The name, address, and telephone number of Applicant's attorney is presently unknown.
- 5. The nature of Protestant's interests in the Application and statement of adverse impact upon Protestant and the public is as follows:
 - (A) <u>The nature of Protestant's interests</u> is the scope of authority sought in the application, with respect to Lehigh and Northampton Counties. <u>Applicant</u> <u>seeks authority</u> to transport persons, in limousine service, between points in

the City of Allentown, Lehigh County and within a radius of 150 statute air miles from the boundaries of said city, excluding service which falls under the jurisdiction of the Philadelphia Parking Authority.

Protestant presently holds operating authority from this Commission under Certificate of Public Convenience issued in No. A-00105282, Folder 1, Am-A and Am-C, to transport as a common carrier, by motor vehicle, persons, in limousine service, between points in the counties of Lehigh and Northampton, and from points in said counties to points in Pennsylvania, and return; and from points in the counties of Carbon, Luzerne and Monroe, and from points in said counties to points in Pennsylvania, and return.

- (B) The adverse impact of the Application on Protestant is that, if Applicant is granted the authority to transport persons, in limousine service, in the abovenamed Counties, an area in which Protestant currently renders service, as to Lehigh and Northampton Counties, it will adversely affect Protestant's ability to render a limousine service to the public in its authorized territory. A grant of the Application will jeopardize Protestant's traffic in a substantial portion of its authorized territory, thereby jeopardizing its service to the public.

 There is no need for the certificate of public convenience requested.
- (C) Further, <u>Protestant challenges the Applicant's fitness</u> to perform the proposed service due to: (1) Applicant's failure to demonstrate that it has sufficient capital, equipment, facilities, and other resources necessary to safely and lawfully serve the requested territory; (2) Applicant's failure to demonstrate it and its employees have sufficient technical expertise and

experience to serve the requested territory; (3) Applicant's failure to

demonstrate its ability to secure adequate and continuous insurance coverage;

and (4) Applicant's failure to demonstrate it has appropriate plans or policies

required to comply with Commission orders or regulations, the Commission's

driver and vehicle safety regulations and service standards, and Commission

regulations regarding driver criminal and moral turpitude convictions history.

6. The Commission's docket numbers under which Protestant operates its authorized

limousine service is Certificate No. A-00105282, Folder 1, Am-A and Am-C, (a extract of

which is attached hereto as Exhibit A).

7. A restriction to the Application that would protect Protestant's interest herein and

result in the withdrawal of the instant Protest would be for Applicant to restrict the

Application against servicing Lehigh and Northampton Counties, a geographic territory that

would not adversely impact upon the present operations and authority of Protestant.

8. Pursuant to 66 Pa. C. S. § 333(c), demand is hereby made upon Applicant to

provide Protestant's attorney with a list identifying the names, addresses, and group or

company affiliation of any or all witnesses expected to testify in this Application proceeding,

together with the subject matter of their expected testimony and any supporting documents.

WHEREFORE, the above premises be considered, Protestant respectfully prays this

(corrected) Application be dismissed and denied.

Dated: April 22, 2015

By: s/Kenneth A. Olsen

Kenneth A. Olsen

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served a true copy of the foregoing document,

Protest of J & J Leasing & Rentals, Inc., upon the parties listed below, in accordance with the
requirements of 52 Pa. Code § 1.54 (relating to service by a party).

Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission Commonwealth Keystone Building 400 North Street Harrisburg, PA 17120 (Via eFiling)

Kingman Luxury Transport Corporation 121 ½ North Franklin Street Selinsgrove, PA 18102 (Via First Class Mail, postage prepaid)

Dated: April 22, 2015 By: s/ Kenneth A. Olsen

Kenneth A. Olsen Attorney for Protestant 33 Philhower Road Lebanon, New Jersey 08833 Phone (908) 832-9207 Pennsylvania Attorney ID No. 29681

EXHIBIT A

Certificate No. A-00105282 Folder 1, Am-A and Am-C

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