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PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
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1. <u>REPORT DATE:</u> September 14, 2005	2. <u>BUREAU AGENDA NO.</u> OCT-2005-TSM-0263 R*
3. <u>BUREAU:</u> Transportation & Safety	5. <u>PUBLIC MEETING DATE:</u> October 6, 2005 <i>A-00091452</i>
4. <u>SECTION(S):</u> M. C. S. & E.	9. <u>EFFECTIVE DATE OF FILING</u> October 10, 2005
6. <u>APPROVED BY:</u> Director: Hoffman: 3-3846 Mgr/Spvr: Minder: 7-1168 Legal Review:	7. <u>PERSONS IN CHARGE:</u> Deitrich 214-7155
8. <u>DOCKET NO.:</u> A-00109593 et al (See Attached List) R-00051027	

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10. (a) CAPTION (abbreviate if more than 4 lines)
 (b) Short summary of history & facts, documents & briefs
 (c) Recommendation

- (a) Motor Carrier rate increase in accordance with 52 PA Code §23.67. Tristate Household Goods Conference, Inc., on behalf of all participating members of Washington County. Four (4) carriers are subject to this tariff.
- (b) 9th Revised Page 63 to Tariff Freight Pa. PUC No. 50, applies to all participating carriers furnishing household goods in use service originating in the Washington county and transported distances of forty (40) miles or less as more thoroughly described in the official tariff. Tristate Household Goods Conference, Inc. is requesting a 9.2% increase in the hourly charges to cover projected increases in carrier's wage and fringe benefits expense. The proposed rates are to become effective October 10, 2005.
- (c) The Bureau recommends that 9th Revised Page 63 to Tariff Freight Pa. PUC No. 50, as filed by Tristate Household Goods Conference, Inc. be permitted to become effective October 10, 2005.

11. MOTION BY: Commissioner Chm. Holland
 Commissioner Shane - Yes
 Commissioner Pizzigrilli - Yes
 Commissioner Fitzpatrick - Yes

SECONDED: Commissioner Cawley

CONTENT OF MOTION: Staff recommendation adopted.

TSM-0263*

A-00109593	Anderson Transfer, Inc.
A-00094528	Fife Moving & Storage, Inc.
A-00086317	Starck Van Lines, Inc.
A-00091652	McKean & Burt, Inc., t/d/b/a All Ways Moving & Storage

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TRISTATE HOUSEHOLD GOODS
TARIFF CONFERENCE INC.
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MT LAUREL NJ 08054-7385
ATTN: KEN SATALOFF

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v.
Tristate Household Goods Conference
Representing 4 carriers in Washington County PA

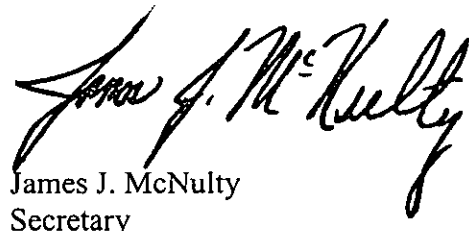
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To Whom It May Concern:

This is to advise you that the Commission in Public Meeting on **October 6, 2005** has adopted an Order in the above entitled proceeding.

An Order has been enclosed for your records.

Very truly yours,


James J. McNulty
Secretary

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PENNSYLVANIA
PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17105-3265

Public Meeting held October 6, 2005

Commissioners Present:

- Wendell F. Holland, Chairman
- James H. Cawley, Vice Chairman
- Bill Shane
- Kim Pizzingrilli
- Terrance J. Fitzpatrick

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ORDER

BY THE COMMISSION:

Tristate Household Goods Tariff Conference, Inc. (Tristate) has filed 9th Revised Page 63 to Tariff Freight Pa. PUC No. 50 on June 29, 2005 and proposes a total increase in revenues of \$59,258 to cover increased wage and fringe benefits for carriers in Washington County. The current rates have been in effect since September 2, 2002.

Tristate proposes to increase the hourly 3 men and vehicle normal complement charge by 9.2%. The current hourly rate for Washington County is \$87.00 per hour. Tristate proposes an increase to \$95.00 per hour.

Four (4) carriers are subject to the 9th Revised Page 63 to Tariff Freight Pa. PUC No. 50 for Washington County. These carriers include:

- A-00109593 Anderson Transfer, Inc.
- A-00094528 Fife Moving & Storage, Inc.
- A-00086317 Starck Van Lines, Inc.
- A-00091652 McKean & Burt, Inc., t/d/b/a All Ways Moving & Storage

Tristate has submitted a wage/fringe benefit cost studies for Washington County in support of the proposed hourly increase indicating that the increase is necessary to cover the cost of operating. Employee wages and fringe benefits have increased from an average of \$19.17 per hour in 2002 to \$22.77 per hour in 2004 for a total 18.85% increase in labor cost.

ANALYSIS

In order to generate this revenue increase, carrier proposes to increase its 3 men and vehicle normal complement charge of \$87.00 per hour to \$95.00 per hour. We conclude that the data compiled and submitted by the carrier supports this increase.

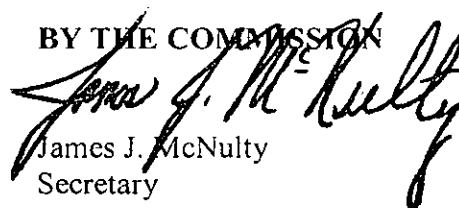
CONCLUSION

We have determined that Tristate has submitted the documentary justification to support the proposed revenue increase of \$59,258 and that the increase is not an excessive amount based on the increase in operating expenses. Tristate avers that the increase will be sufficient for the carrier to provide safe, dependable and continuous service to the public: THEREFORE,

IT IS ORDERED:

1. That 9th Revised Page 63 to Tariff Freight Pa. PUC No. 50 be approved to become effective October 10, 2005.
2. That a copy of this order be served upon Tristate Household Goods Tariff Conference, Inc.

BY THE COMMISSION

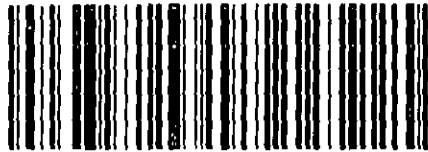

James J. McNulty
Secretary

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ORDER ADOPTED: October 6, 2005

ORDER ENTERED: OCT 06 2005

2. Article Number



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3. Service Type **CERTIFIED MAIL**

4. Restricted Delivery? (Extra Fee) Yes

1. Article Addressed to:

*McKean & Burt Inc.
338 W. Maiden St.
Washington PA 15301
A-0091652 et al O.*

COMPLETE THIS SECTION ON DELIVERY

A. Received by (Please Print Clearly) <i>Charlotte Evans</i>	B. Date of Delivery <i>10/11/05</i>
C. Signature <i>x Charlotte Evans</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Agent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Addressee
D. Is delivery address different from item 1? If YES, enter delivery address below:	
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