

PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
Uniform Cover and Calendar Sheet

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| 1. REPORT DATE: July 12, 2005 | 2. BUREAU AGENDA NO. AUG-2005-TSM-0214 R* |
| 3. BUREAU: Transportation & Safety | |
| 4. SECTION(S): M. C. S. & E. | 5. PUBLIC MEETING DATE: August 11, 2005 |
| 6. APPROVED BY: Director: Hoffman: 3-3846 Mgr/Spvr: Minder: 7-1168 Legal Review: | |
| 7. PERSONS IN CHARGE: Fackler 5-0624 | 9. EFFECTIVE DATE OF FILING: August 15, 2005 |
| 8. DOCKET NO.: A-00094076 R-00050835 | |

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

(a) **GLOSE MOVING & STORAGE, INC.**
INCREASE IN RATES

(b) Glose Moving & Storage, Inc. (carrier) furnishes household goods in use services originating in Schuylkill County as more thoroughly described in the official tariff. The carrier has filed 3rd Revised Page 45-A to Tariff Freight Pa. PUC No. 54 on June 14, 2005 and proposes a total increase in intrastate revenues of \$5,351 to cover increased health insurance premiums of \$4,908. The current rates have been in effect since May 28, 2001. Carrier proposes to increase his rates for a van and three man complement charge of \$89.00 to \$94.50, or by 6.2%. The carrier has no outstanding fines or assessments.

(c) The Bureau recommends that 3rd Revised Page 45-A to Tariff Freight Pa. PUC No. 54 be approved to become effective on August 15, 2005.

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11. **MOTION BY:** Commissioner Chm. Holland

SECONDED: Commissioner Cawley

Commissioner Shane - Yes
Commissioner Pizzingrilli - Yes
Commissioner Fitzpatrick - Yes

CONTENT OF MOTION: Staff recommendation adopted.



COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
P.O. BOX 3265, HARRISBURG, PA 17105-3265

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GLOSE MOVING & STORAGE INC
7566 MORRIS COUT
SUITE 350
ALLENTOWN PA 18106

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Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
v.
Glose Moving & Storage, Inc.

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To Whom It May Concern:

This is to advise you that the Commission in Public Meeting on **August 11, 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 August 11, 2005

Commissioners Present:

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

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Glose Moving & Storage, Inc.

ORDER

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BY THE COMMISSION:

Glose Moving & Storage, Inc. (carrier), furnishes household goods in use services originating in Schuylkill County as more thoroughly described in the official tariff.

The carrier has filed 3rd Revised Page 45-A to Tariff Freight Pa. PUC No. 54 on June 14, 2005 and proposes a total increase in intrastate revenues of \$5,351 to cover increased health insurance premiums. The carrier's operating ratio for 2004 was 98.9%. The current rates have been in effect since May 28, 2001.

Carrier proposes an increase in hourly rates for a van and three man complement charge of \$89.00 to \$94.50 per hour or an increase of 6.2%.

Carrier's total 2004 household goods revenue is \$5,291,333, which is composed of interstate revenue of \$2,916,494 and intrastate revenue of \$2,374,839. The revenue affected by the increase in hourly rates is \$5,351.

Carrier has submitted a tariff and documentation in support of its request, as required by 52 Pa. Code §23.67(a), for revenue increases of less than 1%. Currently, the carrier has no outstanding fines or assessments.

ANALYSIS

Carrier proposes to increase his hourly rates for a total increase in intrastate revenues of \$5,351 to cover increased health insurance premiums.

The total premiums for the carrier's health insurance coverage of its employees for the year 2001 were \$13,002; total premiums for the year 2005 is \$17,910. The difference is an increase of \$4,908 or 38%.

In order to generate this revenue increase, carrier proposes to increase its hourly rates in its exception tariff by 6.2%. Additionally, the carrier has sought an increase of .04% in its interstate revenues for an adjustment of \$1,248.

The carrier has provided documentation from his insurance agents affirming the increases in insurance costs. We conclude that the data compiled and submitted by the carrier supports this increase.

Staff review of Commission records reveals that rates are competitive with:

Pottsville Moving & Storage, Inc., 3rd Revised Page 81 to Tariff Freight Pa. PUC No. 54. Pottsville Moving & Storage, Inc. furnishes household goods in use service originating in Schuylkill County and is also seeking the exact van and three (3) man charge of \$94.50 per hour.

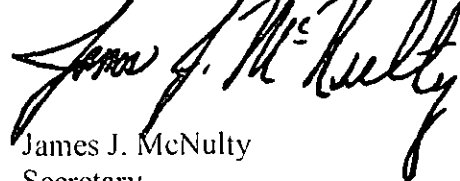
CONCLUSION

We have determined that Glose Moving & Storage, Inc. has submitted the documentary justification to support the proposed revenue increase of \$5,351 and that the increase is not of an excessive amount based on the resulting operating ratio of 98.9%. The carrier avers that the increase will be sufficient to provide safe, dependable and continuous service to the public: THEREFORE,

IT IS ORDERED:

1. That 3rd Revised Page 45-A to Tariff Freight Pa. PUC No. 54 be approved to become effective August 15, 2005.
2. That a copy of this order be served upon the carrier.

BY THE COMMISSION

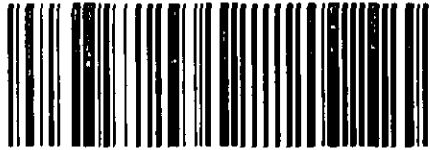

James J. McNulty
Secretary

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ORDER ADOPTED: August 11, 2005

ORDER ENTERED: AUG 11 2005

2. Article Number



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3. Service Type **CERTIFIED MAIL**

4. Restricted Delivery? (Extra Fee) Yes

1. Article Addressed to:

*Globe Moving & Storage Inc.
A-4494576 et al O.*

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| A. Received by (Please Print Clearly) <i>NATASHA WIGLEY 8/12/02</i> | B. Date of Delivery <i>8/12/02</i> |
| C. Signature <i>Natasha Wigley</i> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Agent <input type="checkbox"/> Addressee |
| D. Is delivery address different from item 1? If YES, enter delivery address below: | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No |

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