

**THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF KANSAS**

Before Commissioners: Andrew J. French, Chairperson
 Dwight D. Keen
 Annie Kuether

In the Matter of the Emergency Suspension of)
Operating Authority of **Town & Country**)
Sheetmetal Inc of Shawnee, Kansas, for Failure to) Docket No. 12-TRAM-039-OOS
Comply with New Entrant Safety Requirements as)
Required by the Motor Carrier Safety Statutes,)
Rules and Regulations.)

ORDER REINSTATING MOTOR CARRIER OPERATING AUTHORITY

The above-captioned matter comes on for consideration and determination by the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas (Commission) upon its own motion. The Commission, being fully advised in the premises, finds as follows:

I. JURISDICTION

1. Pursuant to K.S.A. 66-1,108b, 66-1,111, 66-1,112g and 66-1,115, and amendments thereto, the Commission is given full power, authority and jurisdiction to supervise and control motor carriers, as defined in K.A.R. 82-4-3f, doing business or procuring business in Kansas, and is empowered to do all things necessary and convenient for the exercise of such power, authority, and jurisdiction.

2. Pursuant to K.S.A. 66-1,129a, 66-1,130, and 66-1,142b, and amendments thereto, the Commission may suspend operations, revoke, or amend certificates, and initiate sanctions or fines against every motor carrier and every person who violates any provision of Kansas law in regard to the regulation of such motor carriers and persons, or who fails to obey any order, decision, or regulation of the Commission.

3. Pursuant to K.S.A. 66-1,129(a)(7), the Commission has adopted motor carrier transportation regulations (K.A.R. 82-4-3f) consistent with the federal motor carrier safety assistance program and other federal requirements concerning transportation of hazardous waste.

II. BACKGROUND

4. Town & Country Sheetmetal Inc is a motor carrier as defined in 49 C.F.R. 390.5 as adopted by K.A.R. 82-4-3f that operates commercial motor vehicle(s) in both intrastate and interstate commerce in a manner that requires authority.

5. Town & Country Sheetmetal Inc is registered as a motor carrier with the U.S. Department of Transportation (USDOT) and operates under USDOT Number 2071927.

6. The Commission received notice from the U.S. Department of Transportation, Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration that Town & Country Sheetmetal Inc's New Entrant Registration had been revoked effective July 11, 2012, for failure to comply with safety requirements.

7. Pursuant to the above authority, on July 21, 2011, the Commission entered an Emergency Suspension of Operating Authority Order on Town & Country Sheetmetal Inc in the above-referenced docket, until such time that Staff recommended reinstatement.

III. STAFF'S RECOMMENDATION

8. On November 3, 2014, the Staff of the Transportation Division of the Kansas Corporation Commission (Staff) received notice from the U.S. Department of Transportation, Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration, that Town & Country Sheetmetal Inc has submitted evidence of compliance with safety requirements as required in 49 C.F.R. 385.329. As a result, the carrier's reapplication for New Entrant registration under USDOT No. 2071927 has been

approved and the carrier's authority to operate in interstate operations has been reinstated. See attached FMCSA reinstatement documentation, a copy of which is attached hereto as Attachment "A" and is hereby incorporated by reference.

9. On October 16, 2025, Staff determined Town & Country Sheetmetal Inc's intrastate motor carrier operations could be reinstated after a review of the relevant records.

10. Based on the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration's reinstatement, it is Staff's recommendation to reinstate Town & Country Sheetmetal Inc's motor carrier operations in Kansas.

IV. CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

11. The Commission finds it has jurisdiction over Town & Country Sheetmetal Inc because it is a motor carrier as defined in 49 C.F.R. 390.5 as adopted by K.A.R. 82-4-3f.

12. Based on the available facts, the Commission finds that Staff's recommendation to reinstate Town & Country Sheetmetal Inc's motor carrier intrastate motor carrier operations in Kansas is reasonable.

THE COMMISSION THEREFORE ORDERS THAT:

A. Town & Country Sheetmetal Inc's intrastate motor carrier operations in Kansas are hereby reinstated. This order does not confer on Carrier any certificate, permit or license that is necessary to carry on the business of a private and/or public motor carrier in Kansas, but instead simply removes its designation as suspended.

BY THE COMMISSION IT IS SO ORDERED.

French, Chairperson; Keen, Commissioner; Kuether, Commissioner

Dated: 10/21/2025



Celeste Chaney-Tucker
Executive Director

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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I, the undersigned, certify that a true copy of the attached Order has been served to the following by means of electronic service on 10/21/2025.

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