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

Before Commissioners:

Andrew J. French, Chairperson Dwight D. Keen Annie Kuether

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In the Matter of the Investigation of Go Trucking Inc of Garden City, Kansas. Regarding the Violation(s) of the Motor Carrier Safety Statutes, Rules and Regulations and the Commission's Authority to Impose Penalties, Sanctions and/or the Revocation of) Motor Carrier Authority.

Docket No. 25-TRAM-194-PEN

ORDER DESIGNATING PRESIDING OFFICER AND SETTING PREHEARING CONFERENCE

This matter comes before the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas (Commission) for consideration and decision. The Commission finds the following:

1. On January 8, 2025, the Commission issued a Penalty Order against Go Trucking, Inc. of Garden City, Kansas ("Go Trucking"), assessing a \$14,950 penalty; requiring Go Trucking to submit a written, comprehensive corrective action plan within thirty days from the date of the Penalty Order; requiring a representative of Go Trucking to attend a Commissionsponsored safety seminar within ninety days from the date of the Penalty Order; and requiring Go Trucking to submit to one follow-up safety compliance review within eighteen months from the date of the Penalty Order.¹

On January 30, 2025, Go Trucking filed a Request for Hearing.² 2.

3. The Commission may designate a presiding officer to conduct prehearing conferences to address any matters appropriately considered in a prehearing conference, including all items listed in K.S.A. 77-517(b) of the Kansas Administrative Procedure Act

¹ Penalty Order (Jan. 8, 2025).

² Go Trucking's Request for Hearing (Jan. 30, 2025).

(KAPA). Accordingly, the Commission designates Aaron R. Bailey, Assistant General Counsel, Kansas Corporation Commission, 1500 SW Arrowhead Road, Topeka, Kansas 66604-4027, telephone number (785) 271-3198, aaron.bailey@ks.gov, as Presiding Officer in this proceeding.³ The Commission may designate other staff members to serve in this capacity.

4. A Prehearing Conference before the Presiding Officer is scheduled for April 2, 2025 at 9:30 a.m. via Zoom. At the Prehearing Conference, parties shall be prepared to discuss deadlines for filing testimony and briefs, discovery procedures, scheduling of a hearing with the Commission, and any other issues that will promote the orderly and prompt resolution of this proceeding. At the Prehearing Conference, without further notice, this proceeding may be converted into a conference hearing or a summary proceeding for disposition of this matter as provided by the Kansas Administrative Procedure Act (KAPA). Any party that fails to attend or participate in the Prehearing Conference, hearing, or other stage of this proceeding may be held in default under the KAPA.⁴

THEREFORE, THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

A. Aaron R. Bailey is designated as the Presiding Officer in this docket.

B. A Prehearing Conference is scheduled for April 2, 2025 at 9:30 a.m. by Zoom. Any party that fails to attend or participate in the Prehearing Conference, hearing, or other stage of this proceeding may be held in default under the KAPA. ⁵

C. The Commission directs electronic service of all filings in the docket to include service on the Presiding Officer and mailed service of all filings to be directed to the Presiding Officer's attention.

³ K.S.A. 77-514; K.S.A. 77-516; K.S.A. 77-551.

⁴ K.S.A. 77-506; K.S.A. 77-516(c)(7)-(8).

⁵ K.S.A. 77-506; K.S.A. 77-516(c)(7)-(8).

BY THE COMMISSION IT IS SO ORDERED.

French, Chairperson; Keen, Commissioner; Kuether, Commissioner.

Dated: _____

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Abigail D. Emery Acting Secretary to the Commission

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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

first class mail and electronic service on _____03/11/2025

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