

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

Before Commissioners: Pat Apple, Chairman
Shari Feist Albrecht
Jay Scott Emler

In the Matter of the Emergency Suspension of)
Operating Authority of **G P Express Wrecker**)
and Repair Service, LLC of Fort Scott, Kansas,) Docket No. 17-TRAM-410-OOS
for Failure to 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. 2016 Supp. 66-1,108b, 66-1,111, 66-1,112, 66-1,114, 66-1,114b 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.S.A. 2016 Supp. 66-1,108, 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. 2016 Supp. 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. 2016 Supp. 66-1,129(a)(7), the Commission has adopted motor carrier transportation regulations (K.A.R. 82-4-1 *et seq.*) consistent with the federal motor carrier safety assistance program and other federal requirements concerning transportation of hazardous waste.

II. BACKGROUND

4. G P Express Wrecker and Repair Service, LLC is a motor carrier as defined in K.S.A. 2016 Supp. 66-1,108 that operates commercial motor vehicle(s) in both intrastate and interstate commerce in a manner that requires authority.

5. G P Express Wrecker and Repair Service, LLC is registered as a motor carrier with the U.S. Department of Transportation (USDOT) and operates under USDOT Number 2855936.

6. The Commission received notice from the U.S. Department of Transportation, Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration that G P Express Wrecker and Repair Service, LLC's New Entrant Registration had been revoked effective March 14, 2017, for failure to comply with safety requirements.

7. Pursuant to the above authority, on March 28, 2017, the Commission entered an Emergency Suspension of Operating Authority Order on G P Express Wrecker and Repair Service, LLC in the above-referenced docket, until such time that Staff recommended reinstatement.

III. STAFF'S RECOMMENDATION

8. On April 3, 2017, 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 G P Express Wrecker and Repair Service, LLC 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. 2855936 has been approved and the carrier's authority to operate in interstate operations has been reinstated. See attached FMCSA reinstatement documentation.

9. Based on the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration's reinstatement, it is Staff's recommendation to reinstate G P Express Wrecker and Repair Service, LLC's motor carrier operating authority in Kansas.

IV. CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

10. The Commission finds it has jurisdiction over G P Express Wrecker and Repair Service, LLC because it is a motor carrier as defined in K.S.A. 2016 Supp. 66-1,108.

11. Based on the available facts, the Commission finds that Staff's recommendation to reinstate G P Express Wrecker and Repair Service, LLC's operating authority in Kansas is reasonable.

THE COMMISSION THEREFORE ORDERS THAT:

(A) G P Express Wrecker and Repair Service, LLC's certificate, permit or license that is necessary to carry on the business of a private and/or public motor carrier in Kansas is hereby reinstated.

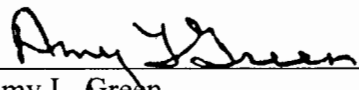
(B) G P Express Wrecker and Repair Service, LLC remains obligated to attend a Commission-sponsored safety seminar pursuant to the Emergency Suspension of Operating Authority Order at paragraph B., entered on March 28, 2017.

(C) The Commission retains jurisdiction over the subject matter and parties for the purpose of entering such further Orders as it may deem necessary and proper.

BY THE COMMISSION IT IS SO ORDERED.

Apple, Chairman; Albrecht, Commissioner; Emler, Commissioner

Dated: APR 06 2017



Amy L. Green
Secretary to the Commission

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March 28, 2017

In reply refer to:
USDOT Number: **2855936**
MC Number: MC956284

Acceptance of Corrective Action

A safety audit was conducted on your company, which resulted in a failed safety audit. Following the safety audit, your company was advised to submit a written response outlining your company's corrective action plan (CAP) or your company's New Entrant registration would be revoked. G P EXPRESS WRECKER AND REPAIR SERVICE LLC submitted a CAP designed to ensure compliance with the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations (FMCSRs) and/or the Hazardous Materials Regulations (HMRs).

After reviewing your response, the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA) has determined your corrective action plan is acceptable.

FMCSA will continue to monitor and evaluate G P EXPRESS WRECKER AND REPAIR SERVICE LLC's safety management practices and on-road performance to ensure G P EXPRESS WRECKER AND REPAIR SERVICE LLC has basic safety management controls that are operating effectively and is complying with Federal requirements including the FMCSRs and applicable HMRs. Failure to comply with applicable requirements may result in the revocation of G P EXPRESS WRECKER AND REPAIR SERVICE LLC's USDOT New Entrant or permanent registration.

If your New Entrant registration was revoked and its interstate operations placed out-of-service, you may reapply no earlier than 30 days after the date of revocation as follows: In order to reapply, your company must begin the application process from the beginning by submitting an updated Motor Carrier Identification Report (MCS-150), and restart the 18-month new entrant monitoring period. Reapplication may be made via the FMCSA web site (<http://safer.fmcsa.dot.gov>) or by submitting a MCS-150 form. The form may be obtained by calling FMCSA support services at 1-800-832-5660 or via the FMCSA web site at <http://www.fmcsa.dot.gov>. Additional instructions can be found in the enclosure entitled "Instructions for Electronic Re-application."

Please be aware, if G P EXPRESS WRECKER AND REPAIR SERVICE LLC requires motor carrier operating authority in addition to a USDOT New Entrant registration number, or if reinstatement of operating authority is necessary, G P EXPRESS WRECKER AND REPAIR SERVICE LLC is required to apply for and be granted such operating authority before conducting any transportation as a motor carrier in interstate commerce. Information on applying for motor carrier operating authority may be found at FMCSA's Web site, <http://www.fmcsa.dot.gov>.

Should you have any questions or need additional information, please contact a New Entrant Transportation Specialist at Telephone No.: 708-283-3564.

Sincerely,

Davina L. Farmer
Service Center Director

Enclosure:
Instructions for Electronic Re-application

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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I, the undersigned, certify that the true copy of the attached Order has been served to the following parties by means of first class mail/hand delivered on APR 06 2017.

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