

#### **Public Utilities Commission**

#### STATE OF CALIFORNIA

#### CITATION FOR VIOLATION OF PUBLIC UTILITIES CODE

To: SF Star Limo LLC

Attn: Abduvasit Dovidov

File: TCP No. 42739-A Citation #: T.24-07-001 Date: July 17, 2024 Case #: CSE-No. 000131

#### **VIOLATIONS**

You are hereby cited as having violated the California Public Utilities Commission's (CPUC) section of the Public Utilities (Pub. Util.) Code as described below. The violation occurred during the period of April 2, 2024, to May 20, 2024.

(1) Engaged one employee-driver without evidence of Workers' Compensation (WKCP) insurance coverage in effect and on file with the CPUC, in violation of Pub. Util. Code Section 5378.1, [1 count].

#### **STATEMENT OF FACTS**

The above violations are documented in the attached Investigation Report, which consists of the carrier's records and substantiating documents obtained from other sources.

#### **RESPONSE**

You are hereby called upon to answer this citation on or before August 7, 2024. By way of such an answer, you may either:

- (1) Pay a fine of \$2,000 pursuant to Pub. Util. Code Section 5378. Submit your check or money order payable to California Public Utilities Commission using the attached *Citation Agreement*. Upon payment, the fine will be deposited in the State Treasury to the credit of the General Fund and the CPUC staff will deem the matter closed, or
- (2) Contact the Supervisor below to make payment arrangements, or
- (3) Contest this Citation by filing an Appeal. See the attached document "How to File an Appeal and Instructions for Filing a Notice of Appeal and Certificate of Service for a Citation Appeal."

If you fail to respond by August 7, 2024, you will be in default and will have forfeited your right to appeal the Citation. In addition, your operating authority will be immediately suspended and may be subsequently revoked pursuant to Resolution ALJ-187. The CPUC may also act through a civil or criminal proceeding to recover any unpaid fine and ensure compliance with applicable statutes and CPUC orders.

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#### **INVESTIGATION REPORT**

**CARRIER:** SF Star Limo LLC

California Secretary of State, Entity # 202252910796, A California

Case: <u>CSE-000131</u>

Limited Liability Company (Active)

MEMBERS: Abduvasit Dovidov, Managing Member

Ilyos Kayimov, Managing Member

**AUTHORITY:** TCP 42739-A

**MAILING ADDRESS:** 

PHONE/EMAIL:

(415) 910-5767 /

VEHICLES: 3

**EMPLOYEE-DRIVERS:** 1

PL&PD<sup>1</sup> Gateway Insurance Company

**INSURANCE:** Policy #:

Effective Date: January 18, 2024

**WORKERS'** 

**COMPENSATION** 

**INSURANCE:** Not on file with CPUC<sup>2</sup>

**DRUG CONSORTIUM:** Test On Time

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Public Liability and Property Damage (PL&PD)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC)

#### **INTRODUCTION**

On April 30, 2024, I was assigned to investigate the operations and practices of SF Star Limo LLC (hereinafter referred to as SF Star) due to an Observation Report issued during a joint Operation at the San Francisco International Airport (SFO), which alleged that SF Star was operating without Workers' Compensation (WKCP) insurance coverage.

#### **VIOLATIONS**

I investigated SF Star for April 2, 2024, to May 20, 2024, and found violations of the following provisions of the Public Utilities (Pub. Util.) Code and CPUC's General Order (G.O.):

• Engaged one employee-driver without evidence of WKCP insurance coverage in effect and on file with the CPUC, in violation of Pub. Util. Code Section 5378.1. [1 count]

CPUC's Transportation and Licensing Analysis Branch (TLAB) records show that SF Star does not have an active WKCP insurance policy in effect and on file with the CPUC [Attachment 1].

On April 2, 2024, Enforcement Analyst Aaron Pete issued an Observation Report [Attachment 2] to driver for operating without WKCP insurance during the SFO joint operation. My investigation disclosed that SF Star operated for one day without evidence of WKCP insurance.

#### **DECLARATION**

I have read the foregoing and know the contents thereof and I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct, except as to those matters stated on information and belief, and to those matters, I believe to be true.

Executed on July 17, 2024 at Los Angeles, California.

Manal Antabli

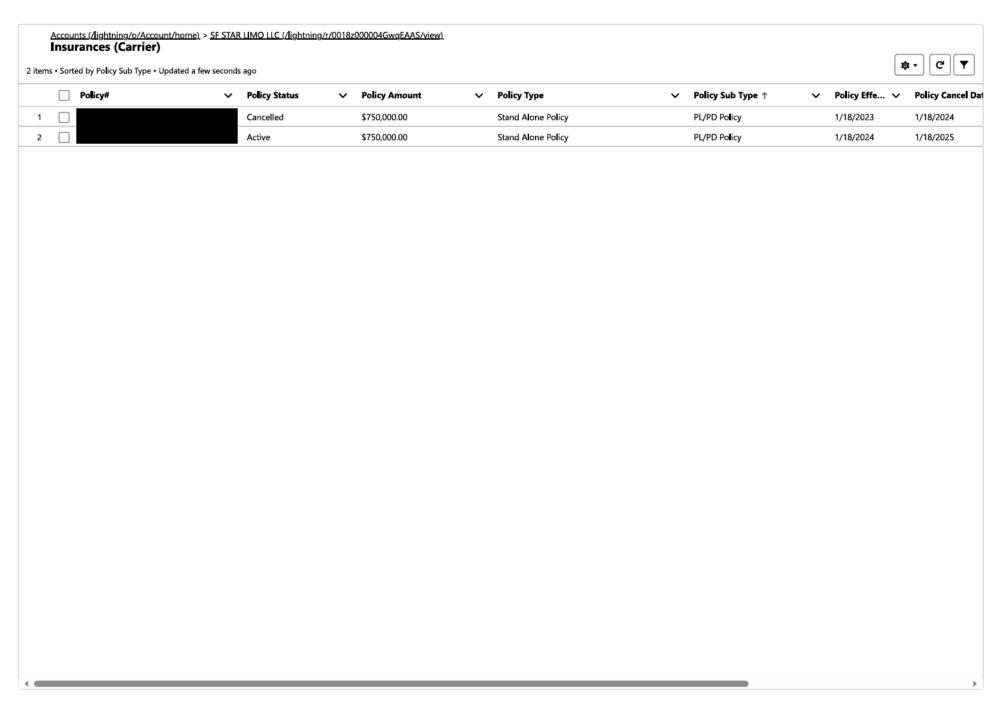
Manal Antabli, Enforcement Analyst

#### **List of Attachments**

- Attachment 1. Salesforce Insurance Page
- Attachment 2. Observation Report issued on April 2, 2024

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## **ATTACHMENT 1**



## **ATTACHMENT 2**

### CALIFORNIA PUBLIC UTILITIES COM INSPECTION OBSERVATION REPORT Location: Airport/Other: 576 PSC/TCP/TNC: 42719 Investigator: PETE Prime Carrier: SF STAR LIMO, LLC Address: Phone#: City: **Driver:** State: CA Class: A Address: City: \_ Phone: Years w/company: 2 week Prime Carrier: Relationship with Carrier: Owner/ Employee/ Sub-carrier/ Other: (circle one) Comments: ORIVER HOS HIS OWN TOP BUT COUDING PROVIDE TOP THE License Plate #: VIN#: Registration Exp.: \_\_\_\_\_ Seats: Registered Owner: Leased/Owned (circle one) Address: City: Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: Violation(s): Vehicle: ☐ TCP # Not shown on rear/front bumper ☐ Vehicle not listed with PUC ☐ No Trade Dress ☐ Front ☐ Rear ☐ PSC/TCP # not on side of vehicle\* ☐ Carrier's name not on side of vehicle\* \*exempt for vehicles < 15 passengers incl. driver or leased < 30 days ☐ Carrier Name /TCP# ☐ Vehicle License Plate # Waybill: □ No waybill ☐ Time/Date Charter arranged ☐ Origin/Destination ☐ Driver's Name □ Name/address of persons arranging charter □ No. of person in group ☐ Transportation arranged by phone or written contract □ Name of at least 1 passenger in traveling party or identification of traveling party's affiliation ☐ Rear □ No Trade Dress ☐ Front TNC OPS: ☐ Profile Non-Match □ Lack Proof of Prearranged Ride ☐ Non-State CDL □ No Airport Permit Violation(s): Yes, as noted above and in comments below □ No Violation Law Enforcement Citation No.: \_ INSURANCE Signature and Title