

Public Utilities Commission STATE OF CALIFORNIA

CITATION FOR VIOLATION OF PUBLIC UTILITIES CODE

To: See Hollywood Tour, Inc. File: TCP 35888-A

Attn: Movses Khachik Marjanian Date: August 15, 2024

Citation #: T.24-08-006

Los Angeles, CA 90038 Case #: CSE-226

VIOLATIONS

You are hereby cited with having violated sections of the Public Utilities Code (P.U. Code) and California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) General Order (G.O.) as described below. These violations occurred during the period from June 9, 2024, through July 11, 2024.

- (1) Operated as a charter-party carrier after revocation of its authority in violation of Pub. Util. Code Section 5379 and CVC 14602.9 [1 count];
- (2) Advertised as a charter-party carrier without a valid authority in violation of Pub. Util. Code Section 5414.5 [2 counts];
- (3) Failed to include pertinent information on a waybill in violation of Pub. Util. Code Section 5381 and General Order 157-E, Part 3.01 [1 count].

STATEMENT OF FACTS

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

RESPONSE

TEB used the Penalty Assessment Methodology adopted in Resolution M-4846 and considered mitigating and exacerbating factors in setting the fine.

You are hereby called upon to answer this citation on or before September 6, 2024. By way of such answer, you may either:

- (1) Pay a fine of \$5,000.00 pursuant to P.U. 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 Commission 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 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 September 6, 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 Commission may also act through a civil or criminal proceeding to recover any unpaid fine and ensure compliance with applicable statutes and Commission orders.

Rahmon Momoh

Rahmon Momoh, Program and Project Supervisor Consumer Protection and Enforcement Division Transportation Enforcement Branch Telephone number (415) 816-5754 E-mail address <u>Rahmon.Momoh@cpuc.ca.gov</u>

Attachments

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CITATION COMPLIANCE AGREEMENT

I (we) hereby agree to comply with this citation dated August 15, 2024, and herewith pay the fine of \$5,000.00.

Movses Khach See Hollywood Los Angeles, C	
(Signature)	(Title)
(Date)	

Payment (cashier's check or money order) should be made payable to *California Public Utilities Commission* and sent to:

California Public Utilities Commission Attn: Fiscal Office 505 Van Ness Avenue San Francisco, CA 94102-3298

INVESTIGATION REPORT

CARRIER: See Hollywood Tour, Inc.

OFFICER: Movses Marjanian, CEO, Secretary, CFO

AUTHORITY: TCP 35888-A, revoked 7/15/2024 (Suspended 4/16/2024)

ADDRESS:

Los Angeles, CA 90038

PHONE/EMAIL:

VEHICLES: 3

DRIVERS: 7

PL&PD

INSURANCE:

Policy#

Effective Dates:

WORKERS'

COMPENSATION

INSURANCE:

Policy#

Effective Dates:

DRUG

CONSORTIUM:

REVENUE:

2022: \$

2023: \$

2024: \$

INTRODUCTION

On August 13, 2024, I was assigned to investigate the operations and practices of See Hollywood Tour, Inc. (hereinafter referred to as See Hollywood Tour) because the Transportation Enforcement Branch (TEB)impounded See Hollywood Tour's vehicles (license plate) for operating after revocation at a joint compliance inspection with the Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) in Hollywood on August 11, 2024.

VIOLATIONS

The investigation for August 11, 2024, disclosed violations of the following provisions of the Public Utilities (Pub. Util.) Code and a Commission General Order (GO):

• Operated as a charter-party carrier without valid authority in violation of Pub. Util. Code Section 5379 and CVC 14602.9 [1 count].

Transportation Licensing and Analysis Branch records show that See Hollywood Tour's TCP permit (TCP 35888-A) was suspended on April 16, 2024, and subsequently revoked on July 15, 2024 [Attachment 1]. On August 7, 2024, Enforcement Analyst LaTasha James emailed and mailed a Notice to Cease and Desist to See Hollywood Tour (Case: CSE-202) [Attachment 2]. On August 11, 2024, the TEB's Field Enforcement Unit was conducting a joint compliance inspection with the LAPD in Hollywood when we observed a See Hollywood Tour bus (license plate) operating with 15 passengers. LAPD pulled the vehicle over, and TEB Enforcement Analyst Mary Sekyi-Appiah issued a Notice to Cease and Desist and an Inspection Observation Report to , Driver (CDL:), and he signed both documents. The vehicle, displayed TCP 35888A (license plate), was impounded for operating after revocation, and the vehicle is being held for 30 days at Towing Service per CVC 14602.9 [Attachment 3].

• Advertised as a charter-party carrier without a valid authority in violation of Pub. Util. Code Section 5414.5 [2 counts].

On August 11, 2024, I found See Hollywood Tour advertising illegally with a sign on Hollywood Blvd in Hollywood and their website,

[Attachment 4]. See Hollywood Tour's TCP-35888 permit was revoked on July 15, 2024.

• Failed to include pertinent information on a waybill in violation of Pub. Util. Code Section 5381 and General Order 157-E, Part 3.01 [1 count].

My review of See Hollywood Tour's waybill (Driver's Vehicle Inspection Report) disclosed that it was lacking the following information as required by G.O. 157-E, Part 3.01: [Attachment 5]:

- 1. TCP number.
- 2. Name and address of the person requesting or arranging the charter.
- 3. Time and date when the charter was arranged
- 4. Whether the transportation was arranged by telephone, written contract, or electronic communication.
- 5. Number of persons in the charter group.
- 6. Name of at least one passenger in the traveling party or identifying information of the traveling party's affiliation.
- 7. Points or origination and destination.

DECLARATION

I have read the foregoing and know the contents thereof. 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 August 15, 2024, in Los Angeles, California.
Steve Esquerra
Steve Esguerra, TEB Enforcement Analyst

List of Attachments

Attachment 1	Order of Suspension (4/16/2024) and Order of Revocation (7/15/2024)
Attachment 2	Notice to Cease and Desist #1 (8/7/2024, Case: CSE-202)
Attachment 3	Notice to Cease and Desist #2, Inspection Observation Report, driver's CDL, LAPD Impound Report and photo of the impounded vehicle (8/11/2024, Case: CSE-226)
Attachment 4	Two advertisements: Sign on Hollywood Blvd sidewalk and Website: (8/11/24)
Attachment 5	See Hollywood Tour's waybill (Driver's Vehicle Inspection Report), 8/11/24

ATTACHMENT 1

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

505 Van Ness Avenue San Francisco, CA 94102-3298



DBA: PSG0035888

ATTN:SEE HOLLYWOOD TOUR INC

LOS ANGELES CALIFORNIA 90038

CPUC Order of Suspension

This is notice from the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) that the **TCP CLASS A CERTIFICATE** listed on this letter is suspended.

The table below lists the reason(s) for suspension; the effective date of the suspension(s); and the date the permit/certificate will be revoked if the reason(s) for suspension are not resolved.

Suspe	ension Reasons	
Reason	Suspension Date	Revocation Date
	April 16, 2024	July 15, 2024

While voluntary suspensions may stay in effect until the permit or certificate expires, it may be revoked sooner for other reasons including failing to pay transportation user fees (PUCTRA) or failing to submit your annual CHP terminal safety inspection request(s).

After the cancellation or revocation of a permit or certificate, or during the period of its suspension, or after the expiration of its permit or certificate, it is unlawful for a Passenger Stage Corporation (PSC) or a Transportation Charter-Party carrier (TCP) of passengers to conduct any operations as a carrier. (California Public Utilities Code §§ 1045, 5379). Unlawful operations are subject to fines and penalties as set forth in the California Public Utilities Code and may include permanent revocation of your operating authority or being permanently barred from receiving an operating authority.

A carrier whose certificate or permit is suspended due to failing to pass a vehicle inspection by the California Highway Patrol (CHP) (California Public Utilities Code § 5378.5, Commission Resolution TL-18336) may obtain a reinspection of its terminal and vehicles by the CHP by submitting a written request for reinstatement to CPUC and paying a reinstatement fee of one thousand dollars (\$1,000). (California Public Utilities Code § 5378.5(b)). Upon receipt of a written recommendation from CHP to suspend a carrier's operating authority, a carrier may request a hearing of the suspension by making a written request to CPUC and the CHP showing cause why the suspension should not be continued.

If your suspension is due to failing to maintain insurance, you must contact your insurance provider to reinstate your policy on-file with the CPUC.

Date: Apr 16, 2024

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION STATE OF CALIFORNIA

licensing@cpuc.ca.gov

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505 Van Ness Avenue San Francisco, CA 94102-3298



DBA: PSG0035888

ATTN:SEE HOLLYWOOD TOUR INC

LOS ANGELES CALIFORNIA 90038

TCP CLASS A CERTIFICATE

Order of Revocation

This is notice from the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) that the operating authority listed on this letter is revoked effective **July 15, 2024**.

After the cancellation or revocation of a permit or certificate, or during the period of its suspension, or after the expiration of its permit or certificate, it is unlawful for a Passenger Stage Corporation (PSC) or a Transportation Charter-Party carrier (TCP) of passengers to conduct any operations as a carrier. (California Public Utilities Code §§ 1045, 5379). Unlawful operations are subject to fines and penalties as set forth in the California Public Utilities Code and may include permanent revocation of your operating authority or being permanently barred from receiving an operating authority.

There is a ninety (90) day period in which a revoked carrier may apply to reinstate the revoked operating authority unless it was permanently revoked.

Date: Jul 15, 2024

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION STATE OF CALIFORNIA

licensing@cpuc.ca.gov

Revocation Reasons

Reason	Revocation Date
	July 15, 2024

ATTACHMENT 2

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

505 Van Ness Avenue San Francisco, California, 94102



Email:

August 7, 2024

TCP: 35888 A (Revoked) Case No.: CSE-000202

See Hollywood Tour Inc. Movses Marjanian

Los Angeles, CA 90038

NOTICE TO CEASE AND DESIST

Dear Movses Marjanian:

On July 15, 2024, your Charter-Party Carrier (TCP) authority was revoked for failure

Public Utilities (Pub. Util.) Code Section 5379 states in part that it is unlawful for a TCP to conduct any operations after cancellation or revocation, or during the period of its suspension, or after the expiration of its authority. Pub. Util. Code Section 5414.5 states that it is unlawful to publish or advertise without a valid authority. Advertisements include, but are not limited to, advertising in local directories or Yellow Pages, business cards, websites, etc.

See Hollywood Tour Inc. must immediately cease and desist from all unlawful operations, including advertising. Pub. Util. Code Section 5411 states in part that any carrier which operates without a valid authority is guilty of a misdemeanor and is punishable by a fine of not less than \$1,000.

This letter places See Hollywood Tour Inc. on notice that continued violations of the law without the required authority may result in enforcement actions, including criminal prosecutions. There will be no further warnings.

For information on obtaining a permit or certificate, go to: http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/transportationlicensing/.

Please contact me within five days of receiving this notice at the telephone number and email address listed below.

Sincerely,

La Tasha James

LaTasha James, Enforcement Analyst California Public Utilities Commission Consumer Protection and Enforcement Division Transportation Enforcement Branch Email: Latasha.James@cpuc.ca.gov

Telephone: 213-605-0652

cc: Eric Hooks, Program and Project Supervisor

ATTACHMENT 3



Date: 8/1/24 NOTICE TO CEASE AND DESIST

Date: of 11/2	
Carrier: 500	Hollywood Town 35888 Operating Status: Revoked
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authority.	Utilities Commission (CPUC) has determined that you are operating without valid
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	S, INCLUDING ADVERTISING, WHILE OPERATING IN A SUSPENDED, OKED, OR DENIED STATE IS UNLAWFUL.
This letter places your	Company on notice that
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CALIF	ORNIA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION INSPECTION OBSERVATION REPORT
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Driver:	CDL#:
Address:	City: Zip:
Phone:	Relationship with Carrier: Owner Employee Sub-carrier
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	 □ No Decal or Temp. Decal Letter □ PSC/TCP # not on side of vehicle * □ Carrier's name not on side of vehicle *
*exempt for vehicles < 15 pass	sengers incl. driver or leased < 30 days
Waybill:	□ No waybill □ Carrier Name /TCP # □ Vehicle License Plate # □ Driver's name □ Time/Date Charter arranged □ Origin/Destination □ No. of person in the group □ Name/address of person arranging charter □ Transportation arranged by phone or written contract □ Name of at least 1 passenger in traveling party or identification of traveling party's affiliation
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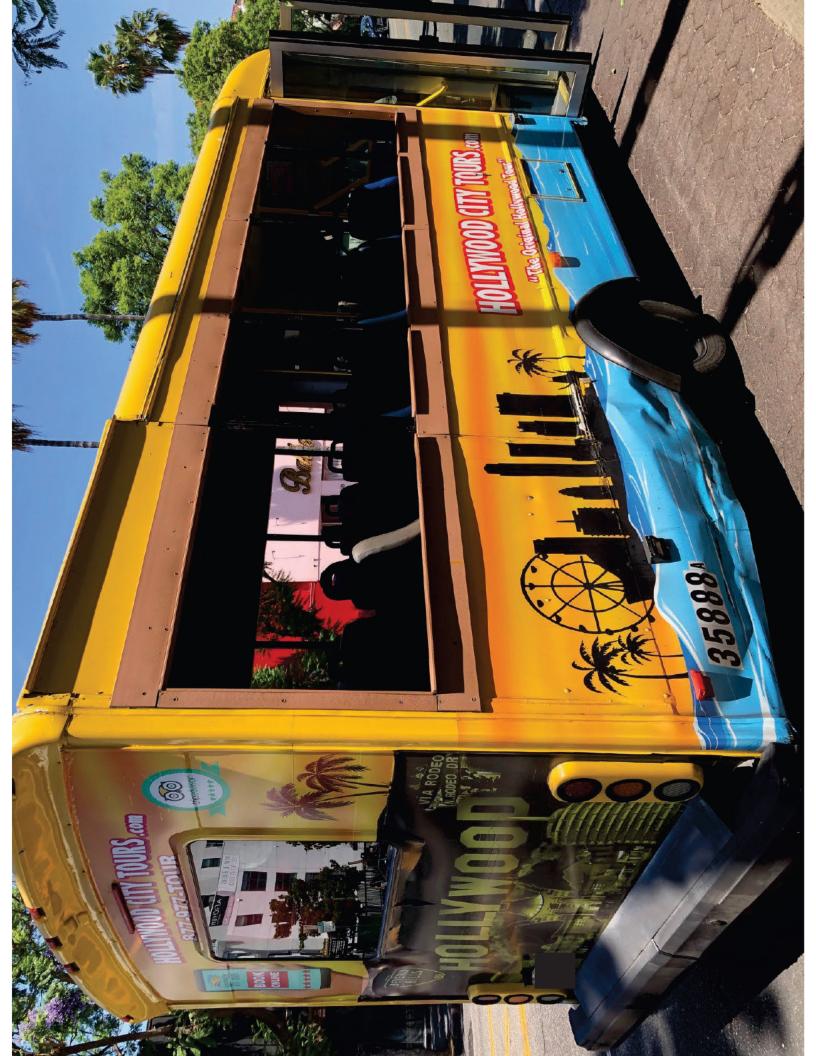
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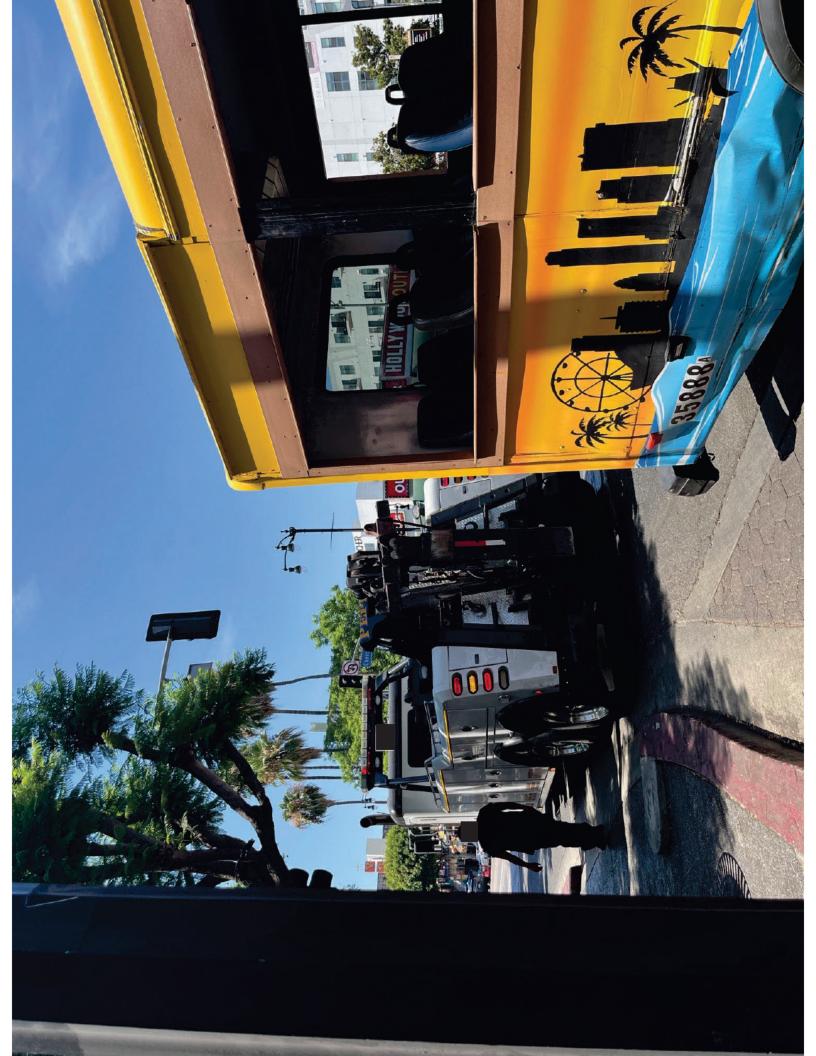
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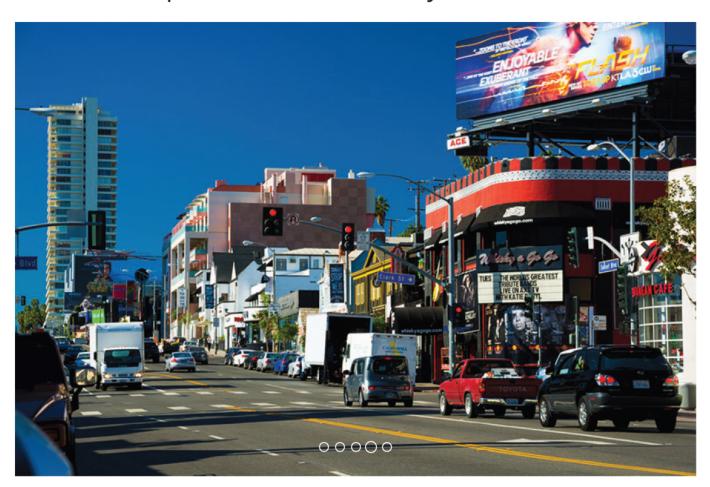




ATTACHMENT 4



Experience The Best Hollywood Tour!



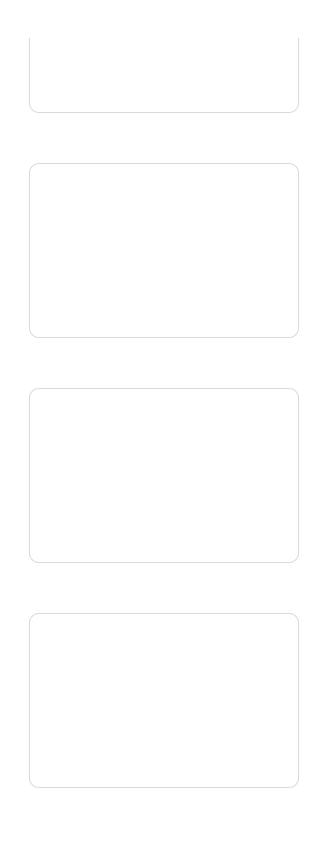


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The Best Hollywood Tour Experience

1 1/2 Hour Tour!



The best Hollywood & LA Sightseeing Experience!

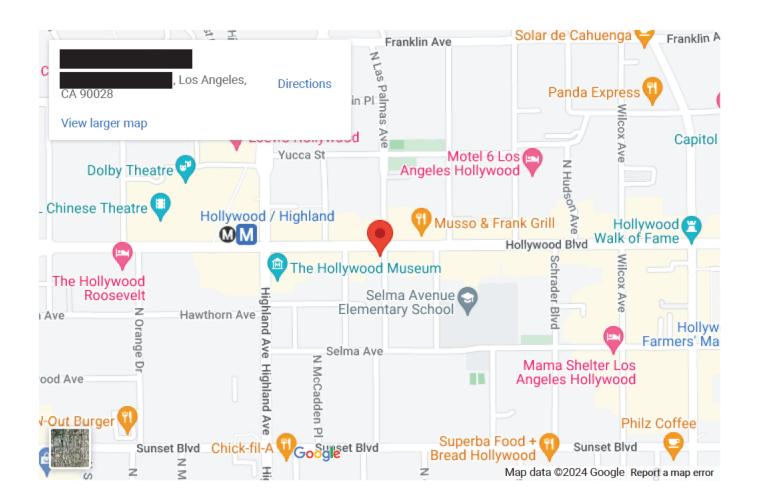
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•	Capitol Records	•	Chinese Theatre
•	Dolby Theater	•	Laugh Factory
•	Sunset Strip	•	Route 66
•	Filming Locations	•	And Many More

Adults \$48 / Children \$38

Book Now

Call (

Los Angeles, CA 90028



Frequently Asked Questions

Are snacks and drinks allowed on the bus?

Is there parking available?

What times do the tours run?

Where do tours Start & Finish?

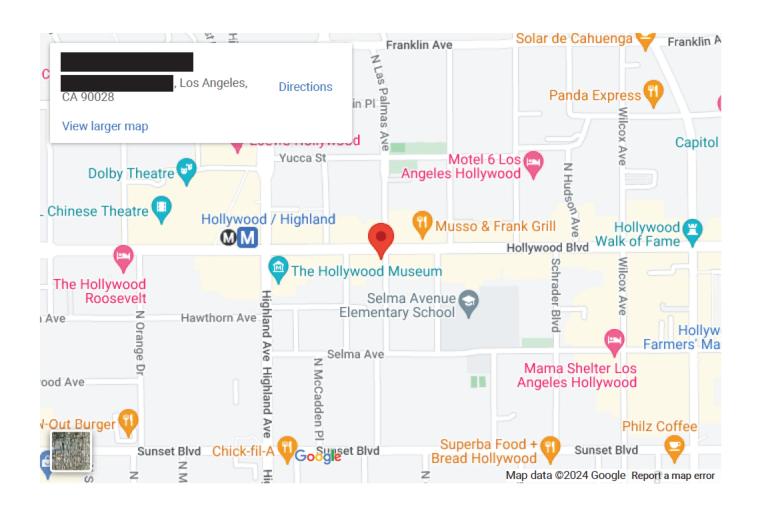
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How do I make a Reservation?

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ATTACHMENT 5

DRIVER'S VEHICLE INSPECTION REPORT

UNIT#_	END TIME	TOTAL HOURS
LICENSE #	ODOMETER READING	
CHECK ANY DEF	ECTIVE ITEM AND GIVE DETAILS	
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