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Motor Carrier Public Liability Surety Bond under Section 18 of the Bus Regulatory Reform Act of 1982

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| SURETY COMPANY                                     |          |                  | MOTOR CARRIER  |                         |                    |
|--|----------|------------------|----------------|-------------------------|--------------------|
| COMPANY NAME                                       |          |                  | COMPANY NAME   |                         |                    |
| STREET ADDRESS                                     |          | CITY             | STREET ADDRESS |                         | CITY               |
| STATE  | ZIP CODE | TELEPHONE NUMBER | STATE          | ZIP CODE                | TELEPHONE NUMBER   |
| (type or print Principal Officer's name and title) |          |                  | (type or p     | print Principal Officer | 's name and title) |

## **PURPOSE**

This is an agreement between the Surety and the Principal under which the Surety, its successors and assignees, agree to be responsible for the payment of any final judgment or judgments against the Principal for public liability, property damage, and environmental restoration liability claims in the sums prescribed herein; subject to the governing provisions and the following conditions.

#### **GOVERNING PROVISIONS**

- 1. Section 18 of the Bus Regulatory Reform Act of 1982.
- 2. Rules and regulations of the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA).

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### **CONDITIONS**

The Principal is or intends to become a motor carrier of passengers subject to the applicable governing provisions relating to financial responsibility for the protection of the public.

This bond assures compliance by the Principal with the applicable governing provisions, and shall insure to the benefit of any person or persons who shall recover a final judgment or judgments against the Principal for public liability or property damage claims (excluding injury to or death of the Principal's employees while engaged in the course of their employment, and loss of or damage to property of the Principal, and the cargo transported by the Principal). If every final judgment shall be paid for such claims resulting from the negligent operation, maintenance, or use of motor vehicles in transportation subject to the applicable governing provisions, then this obligation shall be void, otherwise it will remain in full effect.

Within the limits described herein, the Surety extends to such losses regardless of whether such motor vehicles are specifically described herein and whether occurring on the route or in the territory authorized to be served by the Principal or elsewhere.

The liability of the Surety on each motor vehicle subject to the applicable governing provisions for each accident shall not exceed \$\_\_\_\_\_\_, and shall be a continuing one notwithstanding any recovery hereunder.

| The surety agrees, upon telephone request by an authorized representative of the FMCSA, to verify that the surety bond is in force as of a particular date. The telephone number to call is |  |  |  |
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| This bond is effective from (12:01 a.m., standard time, at the address of the Principal as stated herein) and   |  |  |  |
| shall continue in force until terminated as described herein. The principal or the Surety may at any time terminate this bond by giving   |  |  |  |
| (1) thirty–five (35) days notice in writing to the other party (said 35 day notice to commence from the date the notice is mailed, proof  |  |  |  |
| of mailing shall be sufficient proof of notice), and (2) if the Principal is subject to the FMCSA's registration requirements, by providing   |  |  |  |
| thirty (30) days notice to the FMCSA (said 30 days notice to commence from the date notice is received by the FMCSA at its office in  |  |  |  |
| Washington, D.C.). The Surety shall not be liable for the payment of any judgment or judgments against the Principal for public liability,  |  |  |  |
| property damage, or environmental restoration claims resulting from accidents which occur after the termination of this bond as   |  |  |  |
| described herein, but such termination shall not affect the liability of the Surety for the payment of any such judgment or judgments   |  |  |  |

(affix Motor Carrier corporate seal)

resulting from accidents which occur during the time the bond is in effect.

| SURETY | DATE                        |
|--------|-----------------------------|
| CITY   | STATE                       |
| (Pri   | ncipal Officer's signature) |

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# **ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF SURETY**

|   | COUNTY OF  | STATE OF                            |
|---|--|-------------------------------------|
| On this day of                                    | ,, before me personally came                               | , who,                              |
| being by me duly sworn, did depose and say        | the he resides in; that he/she is                          | of the                              |
| , the   | e corporation described in and which executed the fore     | going instrument; that he knows     |
| the seal of said corporation; that the seal affix | red to said instrument is such corporate seal; that it was | so affixed by order of the board of |
| directors of said corporation; that he/she sigr   | ned his/her name thereto by like order, and he/she duly    | acknowledged to me that he/she      |
| executed the same for and on behalf of the sa     | aid corporation.   |                                     |
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|   |  |                                     |
|   | (type or print Surety                                      | Officer's name and title)           |
|   |  |                                     |
| (affix Surety                                     |  |                                     |
| corporate seal)                                   | (Surety Off  | ficer's signature)                  |
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