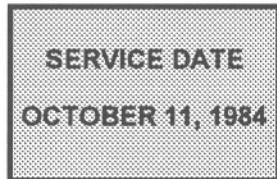


INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION

PERMIT

MC - 44128 SUB 47

EPES TRANSPORT SYSTEM, INC.
RICHMOND, VIRGINIA



This Permit is evidence of the carrier's authority to engage in transportation as a contract carrier by motor vehicle.

This authority will become effective only when the carrier has met the compliance requirements pertaining to insurance coverage for the protection of the public (49 CFR 1043), designation of agents upon whom process may be served (49 CFR 1044), the execution of contracts for contract carriers (49 CFR 1053), and, as applicable, tariffs or schedule (49 CFR 1300 through 1310). The carrier shall also render reasonable continuous and adequate service under this authority. Failure to meet these conditions will constitute sufficient grounds for the suspension, change, or revocation of the authority.

This authority is subject to any terms, conditions, and limitations as are not, or may later be, attached to this privilege.

The transportation service to be performed is described on the reverse side of this document and will be valid as long as the carrier maintains compliance with the above requirements.

By the commission.

(SEAL)

JAMES H. BAYNE
Secretary

NOTE: If there are discrepancies regarding this Permit, please notify the Commission within 30 days.

To operate as a contract carrier, by motor vehicle, in interstate or foreign commerce, over irregular routes, transporting general commodities (except classes A and B explosives, household goods and commodities in bulk), between points in the United States under continuing contract (s) with licensed property brokers, and commercial shippers or receivers of such commodities.