

LOUISIANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

ORDER NUMBER T-37748

LOUISIANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
VERSUS
NOLA MOVING, LLC

Docket No. T-37748, In re: Alleged violation of 1) Order T-37118 and 2) Louisiana Revised Statutes 45:161 through 180.1 by engaging in activities related to moving household goods prior to complying with the requirements of La. R.S. 45:164 (E) and General Order dated March 16, 2021 and for failure to comply with the requirements of General Order dated April 3, 2008 as amended.

(Decided at the April 15, 2026 Business and Executive Session.)

ORDER

Overview

The Louisiana Public Service Commission (“LPSC” or “Commission”) issued a citation dated October 8, 2025, to Nola Moving, LLC (“Nola Moving” or the “Carrier”) directing the Carrier to appear at a hearing on January 6, 2026, to show cause why it should not be found guilty as alleged. The citation was docketed as the instant proceeding and notice of this proceeding was published in the Commission’s *Official Bulletin* dated October 10, 2025. The hearing was continued on motion of Commission Staff to February 3, 2026. When the hearing was convened on February 3, 2026, Commission Staff appeared through counsel and presented testimonial and documentary evidence in support of its allegations. The Carrier did not appear at the hearing. For the reasons stated herein, we find Nola Moving guilty as alleged.

Applicable Law

The Commission’s jurisdiction over common carriers is established by Article 4, Section 21 of the Louisiana Constitution of 1974, which provides in pertinent part:

The commission shall regulate all common carriers and public utilities and have such other regulatory authority as provided by law. It shall adopt and enforce reasonable rules, regulations, and procedures necessary for the discharge of its duties, and shall have other powers and perform other duties as provided by law.

Louisiana statutes more specifically describe the powers of the Commission over motor carriers operating intrastate, including household goods movers. La. R.S. 45:161 declares that the business of operating motor vehicles for hire is a “business affected with a public interest,” and La. R.S. 45:163 provides that “[t]he Commission has the power and authority necessary to supervise, govern, regulate, and control motor carriers . . . which transport household goods, passengers, or waste and to fix reasonable and just rates, fares, tolls, or charges for the commodities furnished or services rendered by such motor carriers.” La. R.S. 45:162(5)(a) defines “[c]ommon carrier by motor vehicle” as any person . . . , the essential nature of whose business comprises engaging in, soliciting, or accepting household goods, . . . for intrastate transportation for hire, charge or compensation as an employment or holding himself out as so available to the public generally and indiscriminately for such business, . . .”¹

La. R.S. 45:164(E)(l) provides, in part, that “[a]ll intrastate movers of household goods shall be required to apply for and secure a common carrier certificate from the Louisiana Public Service Commission . . . prior to engaging in any activities related to moving household goods.”

¹ La. R.S. 45:162(5)(a).

The Commission's *General Order* dated March 16, 2021¹¹ ("2021 General Order") establishes specific rules and regulations governing household goods carriers, including the requirement that they secure a registration permit from the Commission prior to operating and the prerequisites for the permit. The 2021 General Order declares that any person found guilty of violating the 2021 General Order shall be fined in accordance with the provisions of La. R.S. 45:171. La. R.S. 45:171(A) provides that no person shall violate the provisions of, or Commission orders promulgated under, Title 45, Chapter 4 (Motor Carriers), or operate as a common carrier without obtaining an LPSC certificate. La. R.S. 171(C) states that violators "shall be fined by the [C]ommission at open hearing not less than one hundred dollars nor more than ten thousand dollars for each violation."

The Commission's *General Order* dated April 3, 2008,³ amended by the Commission's *General Order* dated August 21, 2008⁴ (collectively, "2008 General Order"), requires household goods carriers to include their legal and/or registered name, physical address and LPSC certificate number in all advertising. Failure to include the required information shall be subject to revocation of the household goods carrier's authority and/or a fine of not less than \$100, nor more than \$10,000, after notice and hearing.

The Commission's *General Order* dated June 7, 2006⁵ ("2006 General Order"), authorizes the imposition of a \$25 citation fee when a citation is issued to a Commission-jurisdictional motor carrier.

In Order No. T-37118,⁶ dated July 10, 2024, the Commission found Nola Moving guilty of violating La. R.S. 45:164(E)(1) by engaging in activities related to moving household goods intrastate prior to complying with the requirements of La. R.S. 45:164(E)(1) and the 2021 General Order, namely holding itself out in online advertising as a household goods mover; found Nola Moving guilty of violating the 2008 General Order by failing to include an LPSC number in its advertising; fined Nola Moving \$1,000; and, assessed a \$25 citation fee. Order No. T-37118 adopts the *Final Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge* issued in the form of a *Draft Order* on May 28, 2024, after a full hearing on the merits.

The Commission Staff's Case

At the hearing Commission Staff alleged that Nola Moving violated Order No. T-37118 by failing to pay the \$1,025 in fines and fees ordered therein; engaged in activities related to moving household goods prior to complying with La. R.S. 45:164(E) and the 2021 General Order, specifically online advertising; and that Nola Moving failed to comply with the 2008 General Order as the advertisements do not contain an LPSC. Commission Staff seeks an order: 1) finding the Carrier guilty as alleged; 2) fining Nola Moving \$2,000 pursuant to La. R.S. 45:171(C); 3)

¹ Order Number 3-16-2021 (R-35848), (Docket No. R-35848, *In re Possible amendments to the General Order dated May 4, 2017 regarding Commission approval for Household Goods Carriers operating as Transportation Service Providers for the United States Department of Defense to include affiliated companies on their Common Carrier Certificates while operating under Tender of Service Agreements with the United States Department of Defense's Non-temporary Storage Program.*).

³General Order dated April 3, 2008 (Docket No. R-30507[.]) *In re: An Order by the Commission requiring all household goods carriers, operating intrastate in Louisiana, to include their legal and/or registered name, physical address and Louisiana Public Service Commission certificate number in all advertising, including but not limited to all telephone directory advertising and to provide for the disconnection of telephone service (wireline, wireless or any other technology) of any household goods carrier, which violates the order.*).

⁴ General Order dated August 21, 2008 (Docket No. R-30507[.]) *In re: An Order by the Commission requiring all household goods carriers, operating intrastate in Louisiana, to include their legal and/or registered name, physical address and Louisiana Public Service Commission certificate number in all advertising, including but not limited to all telephone directory advertising and to provide for the disconnection of telephone service (wireline, wireless or any other technology) of any household goods carrier, which violates the order.*) which , amends General Order dated April 3, 2008.

⁵ General Order dated June 7, 2006, *In re: Revisions to the Transportation Bond Schedule and Transportation Fee Schedule.*

⁶ Order No. T-37118 dated July 10, 2024, *Louisiana Public Service Commission v. Nola Moving, LLC (Docket No. T-37118, In re: Alleged violation of La. R.S. 45:161 through 180.1, by engaging in activities related to moving household goods prior to complying with the requirements of La. R.S. 45:164 (E) and General Order dated March 16, 2021 and for failure to comply with the requirements of General Order dated April 3, 2008 as amended. ("Order No. T-37118").*

assessing a \$25 citation fee as authorized by 2006 General Order; 4) ordering Nola Moving to pay the \$1,025 in fines and fees required by Order No. T-37118; 5) requiring all fines and fees to be paid within 30 days of the order issuance date; and, 6) requiring that within 60 days of the issuance of an order, that Nola Moving cease all advertising for moving household goods and provide proof of such cancellation to the Commission, or, in the alternative, within 60 days of the issuance of an order, that Nola Moving obtain Commission authority to operate as a household goods mover.⁷ In support of the requested \$2,000 fine, Commission Staff cited Order No. T-36184,⁸ and argued that: it was Nola Moving's second offense, that Nola Moving has a history of non-compliance, that Nola Moving did not cooperate with the investigation, the impact upon regulated carriers that comply with the Commission's rules, and the impact on the public—particularly the impact of a potentially uninsured household goods mover. In support of its allegations, the Commission Staff presented the testimony of Transportation Administrator Tammy Burl.

Testimony of Tammy Burl

Ms. Burl testified that as Transportation Administrator she supervises the day-to-day operations of the Commission's Transportation Division, including investigations into carriers that may be operating without authority. Ms. Burl testified further that she was familiar with Nola Moving as it had been cited by the Commission previously. She stated Nola Moving was not registered with the LPSC, and she received a complaint from a registered carrier—one with a name very similar to Nola Moving—that Nola Moving was continuing to advertise as a moving company. Ms. Burl then opened an investigation into Nola Moving, which included reviewing several websites.

Ms. Burl identified a printout, dated September 29, 2025, from <https://www.nola-moving.company> and described its contents in detail, including that it offers residential moving services in New Orleans and lists a phone number. Ms. Burl stated that she discovered a Yelp page for Nola Moving, identified a printout dated September 29, 2025, describing it as that Yelp page, and discussed its contents. She noted that the Yelp page was "Claimed", offers in-state moving services, lists the owner as "Ricky N.", lists the phone number from <https://www.nola-moving.company>, states its location is 958 Hickory Ave., [Harahan], Louisiana 70123, and lists its website, [nola-moving.company](https://www.nola-moving.company). Ms. Burl identified another printout dated September 29, 2025, which she described as a Facebook page for Nola Moving. Ms. Burl described its contents, noting that it lists the 958 Hickory Ave., Harahan, Louisiana address; gives the same phone number; states it is a home mover; and, contains multiple posts from September 2025 offering moving services (including a post made one hour prior to Ms. Burl printing the webpage).

Ms. Burl identified a printout from the Commercial Division of the Louisiana Secretary of State for Nola Moving, noting that the date of printing on the document was cut off; however, she recalled printing it the same day as she printed the webpages or the next day, and stated that it looked like it may be dated September 30, 2025. She stated that the printout shows the address for Nola Moving's Registered Agent, Corporate Service Center, Inc., 1340 Poydras Street, Suite 1770, New Orleans, Louisiana 70112-5204; and, the address shared by Nola Moving and its Officer, Ricky Naquin, 5153 Antioch Road, Apt. B[#] 17, Tickfaw, Louisiana 70466. She also stated that the printout shows Nola Moving was registered [with the Secretary of State] on September 15, 2023, and was active, but had not filed an annual report.

⁷ In support of this request, Commission Staff cited *Order No. T-34258*, issued May 4, 2017, *Louisiana Public Service Commission v. Supermovers, LLC* (Monroe, Louisiana) (Docket No. T-34258, *In re: Alleged violation of La. R.S. 45:161.1 through 180.1, be engaging in activities related to moving household goods prior to complying with the requirements of La. R.S. 45:164(E) and General Order dated May 17, 2004; and for failure to comply with the requirements of General Order dated April 3, 2008.*).

⁸ *Order No. T-36184*, dated May 17, 2022, *Louisiana Public Service Commission v. Supermovers, LLC* (Docket No. T-36184, *In re: Alleged violation of 1) La. R.S. 45:161 through 180.1, by operating Intrastate without LPSC authority; 2) by engaging in activities related to moving household goods prior to complying with the requirements of La. R.S. 45:164 (E) and General Order dated March 16, 2021; 3) for failure to comply with the requirements of General Order dated April 3, 2008 as amended and 4) contempt of Commission Order No. T-34258.*)

Per Ms. Burl, after reviewing the websites, she searched the Commission’s Valence system which showed that Nola Moving had been cited previously in Docket No. T-37118 and in [Order No. T-37118] Nola Moving had been found guilty, fined \$1,000 and assessed a \$25 citation fee.⁹ Ms. Burl testified that Nola Moving had not paid the \$1,025 in fines and fees.

Ms. Burl explained that a citation was then issued to Nola Moving on October 8, 2025, directing it to appear at a hearing on January 6, 2026. She stated that the citation was mailed on October 9, 2025, to Nola Moving at the following: the Harahan address from the Yelp and Facebook advertisement, the Tickfaw address for Nola Moving/Ricky Naquin from the Secretary of State records; and, Nola Moving’s Registered Agent, Corporate Service Center, Inc., at its address listed with the Secretary of State. Ms. Burl listed the documents that were attached to the citation. She confirmed that notice of the citation was published in the Commission’s *Official Bulletin* dated October 10, 2025.

Ms. Burl then identified a *Ruling on Motion to Continue and Notice of Rescheduled Hearing* (“Ruling”) issued by Chief Administrative Law Judge Melanie Verzwylt on November 25, 2025, granting a motion by Commission Staff to continue the January 6, 2026 hearing, along with the citation and its attachments. Ms. Burl pointed out a notation on the bottom of the Ruling, indicating that she sent the Ruling along with the citation and its attachments by USPS certified mail to the same three addresses as the original citation.

Ms. Burl stated that the certified mailing sent to Corporate Service Center, Inc. as Nola Moving’s Registered Agent was claimed. She identified a signed certified mail return receipt for tracking number ending in 613932, noting that tracking number corresponded to the certified mail receipt number in her notation on the Ruling for the mailing addressed to Corporate Service Center, Inc. Ms. Burl also noted that the signed certified mail return receipt had a printed name, indicated “agent”, listed a delivery date of December 3, 2025, and was stamped received by the Transportation Division on December 10, 2025. According to Ms. Burl, the certified mailings sent to Nola Moving at both the Harahan and Tickfaw addresses were unclaimed and returned to the Commission.

Ms. Burl testified regarding the relief Commission Staff is seeking in this matter. With regard to the factors referenced by Commission Staff in support of the \$2,000 fine, she stated that neither she nor her staff had been in contact with the Carrier. She stated further that Nola Moving has never submitted an application to register as a household goods mover. Therefore, because Nola Moving has never submitted an application and does not have authority, there is no way for Commission Staff to know if Nola Moving carries any of the insurance required by the Commission to operate as a household goods mover—cargo, auto liability, workers’ compensation, and a surety bond. She testified that she did not see any reference on the websites she reviewed that Nola Moving was bonded or insured.

In conjunction with her testimony, Ms. Burl identified the following exhibits which were admitted:

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| Staff Exhibit 1 | Printout dated September 29, 2025 from https://www.nola-moving.com . |
| Staff Exhibit 2 | Printout dated September 29, 2025, from https://www.yelp.com/biz/nola-moving-harahan-3 . |
| Staff Exhibit 3 | Printout dated September 29, 2025, from https://www.facebook.com/Nolamoving/ . |
| Staff Exhibit 4 | Printout of Louisiana Secretary of State Commercial Division record for Nola Moving. |

⁹ The Court took judicial notice of Order No. T-37118 (H’ing Tr. at 35:7-17.).

Staff Exhibit 5, *in globo* Citation issued to Nola Moving on October 8, 2025, with attachments (documents admitted as Staff Exhibits 1 through 4 and Order No. T-37118).

Staff Exhibit 6, *in globo* The following documents:

- *Ruling on Motion to Continue and Notice of Rescheduled Hearing Date* issued by Chief Administrative Law Judge Melanie Verzwylt on November 25, 2025, with notation added “[r]e-mailed by Certified mail on November 26, 2025 with a copy of the citation to the following addresses: . . .
Certified Mail Receipt #
9586 0710 5270 4532 6139 32
Corporate Service Center, Inc.
Registered Agent for Nola Moving, LLC
1340 Poydras St, Ste. 1770
New Orleans, LA 70112
- Citation issued to Nola Moving with attachments (Staff Exhibit 5, *in globo*). And,

Staff Exhibit 7 Front and back of a certified mail return receipt addressed to Corporate Service Center, Inc. with USPS certified mail tracking number 9589 0710 5270 1532 6139 32; in the section titled “Complete this Section on Delivery”: a signature, the box labeled “Agent” selected, a printed name, date of delivery of “12/3/25”; and, stamped received by the Commission on December 10, 2025.

Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law

Having considered applicable law and the evidence presented in this case, the Commission makes the following findings of fact and conclusions of law:

Findings of Fact

1. In Order No. T-37118, issued July 10, 2024, the Commission fined Nola Moving \$1,000 and assessed a \$25 citation fee for its violation of La. R.S. 45:164(E)(1), the 2021 General Order, and the 2008 General Order for advertising as a household goods mover without LPSC authority in online advertising and because that advertising did not contain an LPSC number. The Commission’s findings were made after an evidentiary hearing at which Nola Moving did not appear.
2. As of the date of the hearing, Nola Moving had not paid the \$1,025 in fines and fees ordered in Order No. T-37118.
3. As of the date of the hearing, Nola Moving had never applied for Commission authority to operate as an intrastate household goods mover; thus, has never held such authority, including on September 29, 2025.
4. On or about September 29, 2025, Ms. Burl began an investigation into Nola Moving.
5. On September 30, 2025, Louisiana Secretary of State records specify that Nola Moving:
 - a. initially registered on September 15, 2023;
 - b. was active and not in good standing for failure to file an Annual Report;
 - c. lists 51563 Antioch Road, Apt# B17, Tickfaw, Louisiana 70466 as its domicile and mailing address;
 - d. lists Ricky Naquin as its Registered Officer (Manager) at the same address as the domicile and mailing address; and
 - e. lists Corporate Service Center, Inc. as its Registered Agent at 1340 Poydras St., Ste. 1770, New Orleans, Louisiana 70112-5204.
6. On September 29, 2025, Nola Moving was advertising intrastate household goods moving services for hire on the following websites/webpages:

- a. <https://www.nola-moving.company>;
 - b. <https://www.yelp.com/biz/nola-moving-harahan-3>; and,
 - c. <https://www.facebook.com/Nolamoving/>.
7. None of the printouts from the websites listed in Paragraph (6) (Staff Exhibits 1, 2, and 3) contain an LPSC number.
8. On October 8, 2025, Ms. Burl issued a citation with attachments to Nola Moving. The citation directs Nola Moving to appear at a hearing on January 6, 2026, to show cause why it should not be found guilty as alleged and for further orders as may be deemed necessary. Notice was published in the Commission's *Official Bulletin* dated October 10, 2025.
9. On November 24, 2025, Commission Staff filed a motion requesting to continue the January 6, 2026 hearing to February 3, 2026. The motion was granted in the Ruling issued on November 25, 2025.
10. Ms. Burl modified the Ruling with a notation at the bottom and mailed the Ruling along with the citation and its attachments (Staff Exhibit 6, *in globo*) via USPS certified mail to three separate addresses for Nola Moving, including to the address on file with the Louisiana Secretary of State for its Registered Agent, Corporate Service Center, Inc. (certified mail receipt number ending in 613932).
11. On December 10, 2025, the Commission received the signed return receipt (receipt number ending in 613932) for the certified mail sent to Corporate Service Center, Inc. indicating that the certified mailing was claimed on December 3, 2025.
12. Commission Staff did not have any contact with Nola Moving.
13. Nola Moving did not appear at the hearing on February 3, 2026.

Conclusions of Law

1. At the hearing in this matter, the Commission Staff had the burden of proving its allegations against Nola Moving. Because Nola Moving did not appear at the hearing, the Commission Staff also had the burden of demonstrating that the Carrier was provided fair notice of the hearing and the opportunity to present a defense.¹⁰
2. The Louisiana Constitution of 1974, Article 4, Section 21(B) mandates that the Commission regulate common carriers; adopt and enforce reasonable rules, regulations, and procedures; and, shall have other powers as provided by law. La. R.S. 45:163 states that the powers of the Commission shall include the power to adopt and enforce reasonable rules. La. R.S. 45:171(A) provides that no person shall violate any orders of the Commission promulgated under Title 45, Chapter 4 (Motor Carriers). Accordingly, the Commission has constitutional and statutory authority to enforce its rules and orders. La. R.S. 45:171(C) states that whoever violates Title 45, Chapter 4 shall be fined by the Commission at open hearing not less than \$100 and not more than \$10,000.
3. Pursuant to its constitutional and statutory authority, the Commission adopted the Rules of Practice and Procedure. Commission Rules 7 and 19 provide for notice of non-criminal proceedings through publication in the Commission's *Official Bulletin*, as well as service "through any means whereby proof of receipt or unclaimed status can be shown" to "the last known place of address of the person entitled to receive such notice"¹¹
4. Pursuant to constitutional and legislative mandate, and Commission orders adopted pursuant thereto, the Commission has the authority to regulate intrastate household goods movers. La. R.S. 45:162(5)(a) defines "[c]ommon carrier by motor vehicle" as any person . . . , the essential nature of whose business comprises engaging in, soliciting, or accepting . . . household goods, . . . for intrastate transportation for hire, charge or compensation as an

¹⁰ E.g., *Order No. T-36678* dated December 12, 2023 at 10, *Louisiana Public Service Commission v. Clark Moving Specialists, LLC* (Docket No. T-36678, *In re: Alleged violation of La. R.S. 45:161 through 180.1, by engaging in activities related to moving household goods prior to complying with the requirements of La. R.S. 45:164 (E) and General Order dated March 16, 2021 and for failure to comply with the requirements of General Order dated April 3, 2008 as amended.*).

¹¹ *Special Order No. 72-2021* dated November 22, 2021, Louisiana Public Service Commission, ex parte, *In re: Possible implementation of Interim Rule 7 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (Service of Process) and possible revision to the Commission's Rules.*

employment or holding himself out as so available to the public generally and indiscriminately for such business, ...”

5. La. R.S. 45:164(E)(1) provides that intrastate movers of household goods must obtain authority from the Commission “prior to engaging in any activities related to moving household goods.” The Commission’s 2021 General Order establishes specific rules and regulations governing household goods carriers, including the requirement that they secure a registration permit from the Commission prior to operating and the prerequisites for the permit. The 2021 General Order declares that any person found guilty of violating the 2021 General Order shall be fined in accordance with the provisions of La. R.S. 45:171. The Commission’s 2008 General Order requires household goods carriers operating intrastate to include a Commission certificate number in all advertising.
6. The Commission Staff demonstrated that Nola Moving received notice of the hearing and the Commission’s allegations. In accordance with Commission Rules 7 and 19, the Commission’s Transportation Division mailed the Ruling and the citation with attachments via certified mail return receipt requested to the address registered with the Louisiana Secretary of State for its Registered Agent, Corporate Service Center, Inc. The signed certified mail return receipt indicates that mailing was delivered on December 3, 2025, providing notice. Thus, the Carrier had the opportunity to appear and present a defense at the hearing.
7. The Commission Staff proved that Nola Moving violated Order No. T-37118 by failing to pay the \$1,000 fine and \$25 citation fee ordered therein.
8. The Commission Staff proved that Nola Moving violated La. R.S. 45:164(E)(1) and the 2021 General Order by engaging in activities related to moving household goods - by holding itself out as an intrastate household goods carrier in online advertisements - without first having obtained authority from the Commission to operate as a household goods carrier. Commission Staff proved that Nola Moving’s online advertising did not list a Commission certificate number in violation of the 2008 General Order.
9. In accordance with La. R.S. 45:171(C), the 2021 General Order, and the 2008 General Order, a carrier that violates the requirements of Title 45 and/or the 2021 and 2008 General Orders is subject to a fine of not less than \$100 and not more than \$10,000. The Commission’s practice has been to consider each case on its own merits, taking into consideration the magnitude of the offense, the carrier’s history of compliance, the carrier’s cooperation in the investigation, the impact of the offense on regulated carriers, the impact of the offense on the public, and the existence of any reasonable defense.

In this case, the Commission Staff requested a \$2,000 fine asserting that it is Nola Moving’s second offense, that Nola Moving has a history of non-compliance, that Nola Moving has not cooperated with the Commission, citing the impact on regulated carriers that abide the Commission’s rules, and the impact on the public—particularly the impact of a potentially uninsured household goods mover. Considering the factors enumerated above as applied to the facts of this case and previous Commission orders, namely Order No. T-36184 cited by Commission Staff, we find that Commission Staff has more than demonstrated sufficient cause for the requested \$2,000 fine.

10. Commission Staff requested that Nola Moving be required to pay a \$25 citation fee in accordance with the 2006 General Order. We find the \$25 citation fee is warranted.
11. Commission Staff requested that the Commission, in this docket, enforce payment of the \$1,025 in fines and fees ordered in Order No. T-37118. Order No. T-37118 is enforceable in its own right, and no additional action need be taken by the Commission here to make it so. That said, we have concluded that Nola Moving has not paid those fines and fees and has continued the same unlawful actions for which it was adjudicated guilty in Order No. T-37118. Therefore, we recognize that the fines and fees ordered by Order No. T-37118 remain due and payable, in addition to any fines and fees required by the instant order.
12. Commission Staff also requested, citing Order No. T-37258, that Nola Moving be ordered to cease advertising for moving household goods and provide proof of cancellation to the Commission, or, in the alternative, obtain Commission authority to operate as household goods mover, within 60 days of the issuance of an order in this docket. In review of Order No. T-37258, the advertising at issue was both print advertising (Yellow Pages) and online. Given that the advertising at issue in the instant docket is all online, we find that 30 days

is more than sufficient to cease all advertising and provide proof to the Commission. Additionally, given that Nola Moving is not precluded from initiating an application for household goods moving authority prior to the issuance of an order in this docket, we find 30 days is reasonable for obtaining authority, as the alternative.

Conclusion

In accordance with the findings of fact and conclusions of law stated above,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. Nola Moving, LLC is guilty of violating Order No. T-37118 for failing to pay the \$1,000 fine and \$25 citation fee ordered therein.
2. Nola Moving, LLC is guilty of violating La. R.S. 45:164(E)(1) by engaging in activities related to moving household goods intrastate, through online advertising, prior to complying with the requirements of La. R.S. 45:164(E)(1) and the 2021 General Order.
3. Nola Moving, LLC is guilty of violating the 2008 General Order by failing to include a Commission certificate number in its online advertising.
4. Nola Moving, LLC shall pay a \$2,000 fine pursuant to La. R.S. 45:171(C) for its violation of La. R.S. 45:164(E)(1), the 2021 General Order, and the 2008 General Order.
5. Nola Moving, LLC shall pay a \$25 citation fee pursuant to the 2006 General Order.
6. Nola Moving, LLC shall pay all fines and fees within 30 days of the issuance date of this order. With the instant order and Order No. T-37118, Nola Moving, LLC owes fines totaling \$3,000 and fees totaling \$50. And,
7. Within 30 days of the issuance date of this order, Nola Moving, LLC shall either cease all advertising for moving household goods intrastate and provide proof of such to the Commission, or obtain Commission authority to operate as an intrastate household goods mover.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION
BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA
April 30, 2026



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