

STATE OF CONNECTICUT

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION



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NOTICE OF CITATION HEARING

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Thursday, February 9, 2016 at 10:00 a.m.

DOCKET NO. 1601-C-1-L

CTESSENTIAL Limo, LLC 225 Beechwood Avenue Bridgeport, CT 06604

The records of the department indicate you are the holder of Permit No. 3295. The records of the department further indicate that you are in violation of the following Connecticut General Statutes (CGS) and/or Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies (RCSA) CGS Section 13b-102, 13b-103, 13b-106 as amended, by violating the terms of the permit which requires the permit holder to comply with all pertinent motor vehicle laws and other statutes, and/or rules, regulations and orders of the Department.

More specifically:

- 1. On December 15, 2015, Carlos Redick, Connecticut Department of Transportation (ConnDOT) Vehicle Inspector, called department headquarters to verify CTESSENTIAL Limo, LLC's permit authority. It was at this time that the Department noticed that CTESSENTIAL Limo, LLC has five (5) vehicles registered with "Z" plates and no Federal Motor Carrier Safety Authority (FMCSA). They are using MC#723423-C, belonging to Noel Tardiel, the owner of CTESSENTIAL Limo, LLC. This MC# 723423-C is inactive with no insurance on file. The FMCSA was revoked December 19, 2011. This is a direct violation of Connecticut General Section 13b-102(2b) which provides that a permit holder must register its authorization from the Federal Highway Administration with the Connecticut Department of Transportation for interstate operation.
- 2. Further investigation found that CTESSENTIAL Limo, LLC cancelled their insurance policy. This is a direct violation of Connecticut General Statute Section 14-29 which requires operators of motor vehicles in livery service to furnish insurance.
- 3. This information prompted the department to mail CTESSENTIAL Limo, LLC a letter giving them 14 days to resolve these issues. Two letters were mailed, one certified and one regular mail, on December 17, 2015 with no response.

Therefore, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes Section 4-182, as amended, you are hereby directed to appear at the Newington office of the Department of Transportation, 2800 Berlin Turnpike, Newington, Connecticut, Conference Room A on Thursday, February 9, 2016 at 10:00 a.m. for a citation hearing to show cause why this permit should not be revoked or suspended or a civil penalty imposed for failure to comply with the applicable provisions of the Connecticut General Statutes and/or the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies as stated above.

Dated at Newington, Connecticut on this 8th day of January 2016.

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Linda Dillon, Secretary Administrative Law Unit

Bureau of Finance and Administration