



Public Utilities Commission
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

CITATION FOR VIOLATION
OF PUBLIC UTILITIES CODE

To: Johanna Patricia Leon Rodriguez

File: Unlicensed

Date: July 2, 2026

Citation #: T.2026-07-003

Case #: CSE-1028

VIOLATIONS

You are hereby cited with having violated section(s) of the Public Utilities Code (P.U. Code) and California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) General Order (G.O.) as described below. This violation occurred on July 1, 2026.

- **Operated as a charter-party carrier without authority in violation of Pub. Util. Code Section 5371 [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 July 22, 2026. By way of such answer, you may either:

- (1) Pay a fine of \$1,500 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 July 22, 2026, 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.



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CITATION COMPLIANCE AGREEMENT

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I (we) hereby agree to comply with this citation dated July 2, 2026, and herewith pay the fine of \$1,500.

Johanna Patricia Leon Rodriguez



(Signature)

(Title)

(Date)

Payment (cashier 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

Automatic credit and debit card payments are also available. To arrange for autopay, fill out the attached CREDIT OR DEBIT CARD AUTHORIZATION form and email to our Fiscal Office at FiscalOffice-TECitations@cpuc.ca.gov.

INVESTIGATION REPORT

CARRIER: Johanna Patricia Leon Rodriguez

OWNER: Mogollon Gomez Killiam F.

AUTHORITY: Unlicensed

MAILING ADDRESS:

[REDACTED]

PHONE/EMAIL:

[REDACTED]

VEHICLES: 1 (License Plate # [REDACTED], VIN [REDACTED])

EMPLOYEE-DRIVERS: N/A

PL&PD INSURANCE: N/A

**WORKERS'
COMPENSATION
INSURANCE:** N/A

DRUG CONSORTIUM: N/A

INTRODUCTION

On July 1, 2026, I was assigned to investigate the operations and practices of Johanna Patricia Leon Rodriguez because Ms. Rodriguez was observed transporting two passengers from Levis Stadium to Hayward without charter-party carrier authority. This incident occurred during a joint operation with the California Highway Patrol (CHP) and the Santa Clara Police Department on July 1, 2026. Ms. Rodriguez vehicle, with license plate [REDACTED], was then subsequently impounded by CHP [Attachment 1].

VIOLATION

The investigation of Johanna Patricia Leon Rodriguez found the following provisions of the Public Utilities (Pub. Util.) Code and a Commission General Order (GO):

- **Operated as a charter-party carrier without authority in violation of Pub. Util. Code Section 5371 [1 count]**

On July 1, 2026, California Highway patrol (CHP) Officers Tan (Badge #18053) and Officer Robinson (Badge #21499), observed vehicle license plate [REDACTED] picking up two passengers at Levis Stadium's Red Lot 7 parking lot. CHP Officers notified Transportation Enforcement Branch (TEB) Analysis Marry Sekyi-Appiah, Kingsley Melton, and Mingfeng Li to arrive on scene.

Once on scene, TEB analyst Mary Sekyi-Appiah approached and interviewed the driver, Johanna Patricia Leon Rodriguez. Ms. Rodriguez confirmed she was not working for Uber or Lyft and she was transporting two passengers from Levis Stadium to Hayward for \$100 cash. I spoke with passenger [REDACTED] and confirmed they will pay Ms. Rodriguez \$100 cash for her transport service from Levi's Stadium to Hayward. Additionally, I confirmed with the Transportation Licensing and Analysis Branch's (TLAB) database that Ms. Rodriguez has never held any operating authority from the Commission.

Ms. Rodriguez operated a passenger vehicle for compensation without CPUC authority, in violation of California Pub. Util. Code §5371, which requires any charter-party carrier of passengers, to obtain a CPUC certificate or permit before operating for compensation. As a

result, Mary Sekyi-Appiah served an Observation Report and Notice of Cease and Dease **[Attachment 2]** to Ms. Rodriguez for operating without authority. Subsequently, Mary Sekyi-Appiah submitted the Request to Impound Form (CHP 180) to CHP Officer Robinson to impound the vehicle. **[Attachment 3]**.

DECLARATION

I have read the foregoing and know the contents thereof and 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 July 2, 2026, in San Francisco, California

Mingfeng Li

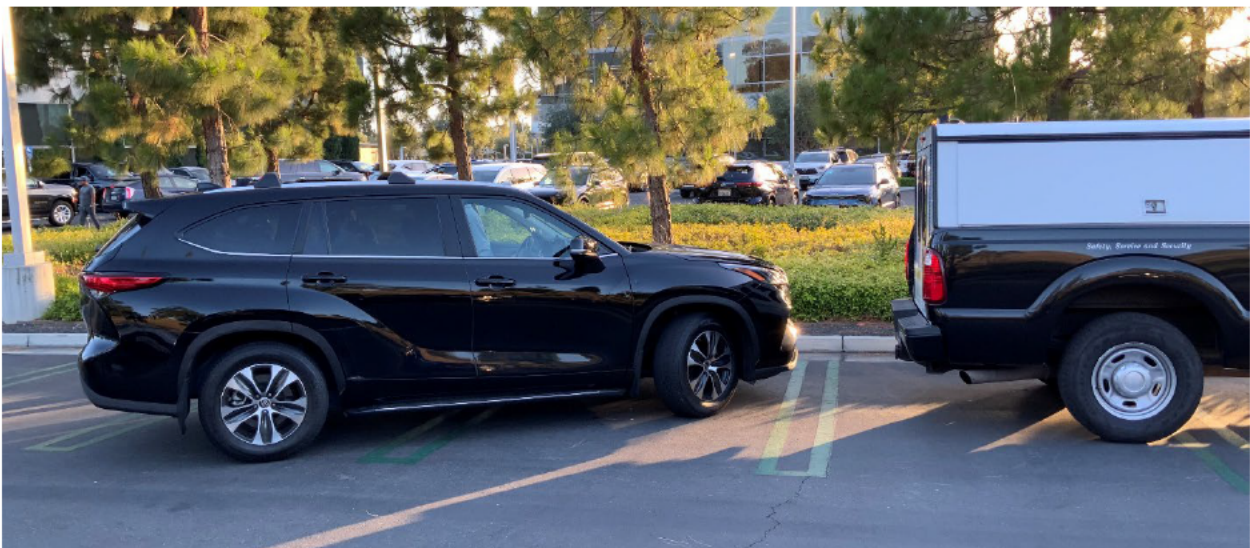
Mingfeng Li, PURA II

List of Attachments

- **Attachment 1** – Images of Vehicle with LP [REDACTED] (Impounded)
- **Attachment 2** – Signed Inspection Observation Report and Cease-and-Desist
- **Attachment 3** – Request for Impound and CHP 180 Forms

ATTACHMENT 1

Images of Vehicle with LP [REDACTED] (Impounded)



ATTACHMENT 2

Signed Inspection Observation Report and Cease-and-Desist

669-296-8671 CALIFORNIA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
INSPECTION OBSERVATION REPORT

Date: 7/1/06

Location: Airport/Other: Levi's Stadium PSC/TCP/TNC: Un Investigator: MS

Prime Carrier: _____ City: _____ Phone#: _____ Zip: _____

Address: _____

Driver: Johanna P. I. Rodriguez CDL#: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Years w/company: _____

Relationship with Carrier: Owner/ Employee/ Sub-carrier/ Other: _____

Comments: _____ Registration Exp.: _____ Seats: _____

License Plate # _____ VIN #: _____

Registered Owner: _____ Leased/Owned (circle one)

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____

Violation(s):

Vehicle:

- ☐ TCP # Not shown on rear/front bumper
- ☐ Vehicle not listed with PUC
- ☐ PSC/TCP # not on side of vehicle*
- ☐ No waybill
- ☐ Driver's Name
- ☐ No. of person in group
- ☐ Transportation arranged by phone or written contract
- ☐ Name of at least 1 passenger in traveling party or identification of traveling party's affiliation

Waybill:

- ☐ No Trade Dress
- ☐ Profile Non-Match
- ☐ Lack Proof of Prearranged Ride
- ☐ Non-State CDL
- ☐ No Airport Permit

TNC OPS:

- ☐ No Trade Dress
- ☐ Front
- ☐ No Violation

Violation(s): ☒ Yes, as noted above and in comments below ☐ No Violation

Law Enforcement Citation No.: _____

Comments: Illegal Solicitation outside the app. 2
Passenger \$1100 to Hayward.



NOTICE TO CEASE AND DESIST

Date: 7/11/26
Carrier: Johanna Rodriguez
TCP number, if any N/A Operating Status: _____

The California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) has determined that you are operating without valid authority.

YOUR COMPANY MUST IMMEDIATELY CEASE AND DESIST FROM ANY AND ALL OPERATIONS, INCLUDING ADVERTISING, UNTIL YOU MEET ALL LICENSING REQUIREMENTS AND RECEIVE VALID OPERATING AUTHORITY FROM THE CPUC.

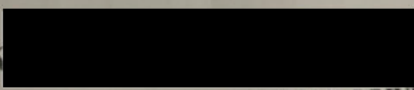
ANY OPERATIONS, INCLUDING ADVERTISING, WHILE OPERATING IN A SUSPENDED, CANCELLED, REVOKED, OR DENIED STATE IS UNLAWFUL.

This letter places your company on notice that any activity without the required permit or certificate is a violation and may result in civil or criminal prosecutions, possible fines, and possible termination of telephone service. To acknowledge receipt of this notice, please call 800-894-9444 within 5 business days of receipt.

☒ **OPERATION WITHOUT AUTHORITY**
Public Utilities Code Sections 5371 and 5387 (TCP)/Section 1031 (PSC) - Circle One

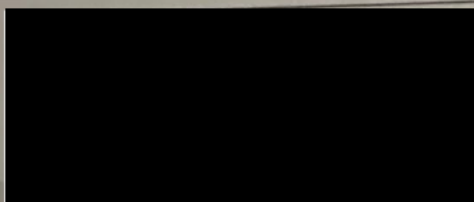
☐ **OPERATION AFTER: SUSPENSION/REVOCATION/EXPIRATION/DENIAL OF AUTHORITY**
Public Utilities Code Section 5379 (TCP)/Section 1045 (PSC) - Circle One

☐ **ADVERTISEMENT WITHOUT AUTHORITY**
Public Utilities Code Section 5414.5 (TCP)/Section 1037 (PSC) - Circle One

Signature:  TITLE: _____

*****IF DRIVER IS NOT RESPONSIBLE, DRIVER IS TO GIVE NOTICE TO RESPONSIBLE OWNER*****

COMMENTS: Soliciting off-app

 Form for more detail.

ATTACHMENT 3

Request for Impound and CHP 180 Forms



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Request to Impound

Indicate seating capacity of vehicle (including driver): 7
Indicate number of passengers (including driver): 3

One of the following is required:

- ☒ No TCP permit or certificate issued
- ☐ TCP/PSC: _____ (circle one) pending, suspended, revoked, expired, or denied.
- ☐ Driver does not possess a valid and current CDL for vehicle operated license class, endorsement, or required certificate

Name of CPUC Enforcement Analyst requesting impound: Mary Sekji

Charge one of the following:

- ☒ PU Code Sections 5411/1037 ref PU Code Sections 5371/1031 -
Misdemeanor/Unlawful to operate without proper PUC operating authority.
- ☐ PU Code Sections 5411/1037 ref PU Code Sections 5379/1045 -
Misdemeanor/Unlawful to operate with suspended, revoked, or expired authority.

In body of citation indicate: "Vehicle impounded per 14602.9 CVC."

Name of person, who within 2 DAYS, notified the legal owner of the impound by certified mail: Johanna P. L. Rodriguez

Citing/Arresting Officer Name: Officer Robinson

Allied Agency Case Number: 1630

Date: 7/1/26

Reason for stop and additional notes on back of this form.

Johanna P. L. Rodriguez

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
DEPARTMENT OF CALIFORNIA HIGHWAY PATROL

VEHICLE REPORT

CHP 180 (Rev. 4-16) OPI 061

30 DAY

NOTE: CHP 180 IS FURNISHED TO ALL...

