



Public Utilities Commission
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

CITATION FOR VIOLATION
OF PUBLIC UTILITIES CODE

To: Comedy Limo
ATTN: Raed Khalil Ibrahim
[REDACTED]
San Bruno, CA 94066

File: TCP 17704-P (Expired)
Date: August 11, 2026
Citation #: T.2026-08-007
Case #: CSE-1067

VIOLATIONS

You are hereby cited with having violated a section of the Public Utilities (Pub. Util.) Code as described below. This violation occurred on August 7, 2026.

- **Operated as a charter-party carrier after expiration in violation of Pub. Util. Code Section 5379 [1 count].**

*Statutory Authority: Pub. Util. Code 5411 and 5411.5, and CVC 14602.9.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

The above violation is 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 August 31, 2026. By way of such answer, you may either:

- (1) Pay a fine of \$3,000 pursuant to Pub. Util. Code Section 5378. Submit your payment online via TCP Portal (<https://tcpportal.cpuc.ca.gov/s/login/>) using a credit card, ACH, or check. 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 August 31, 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.

Eric Hooks

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA

CITATION COMPLIANCE AGREEMENT

File No.: TCP 17704-P (Expired)

Citation #: T.2026-08-007

Date: August 11, 2026

Case #: CSE-1067

I (we) hereby agree to comply with this citation dated August 11, 2026, and herewith pay the fine of \$3,000

Raed Khalil Ibrahim
Dba Comedy Limo
[REDACTED],
San Bruno, CA, 94066

(Signature)

(Title)

(Date)

INVESTIGATION REPORT

CARRIER: Raed Khalil Ibrahim dba Comedy Limo

OWNER: Raed Khalil Ibrahim

AUTHORITY: TCP 17704-P (Expired in 2023)

MAILING ADDRESS: [REDACTED], San Bruno, CA 94066

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 August 10, 2026, I was assigned to investigate the operations and practices of Raed Khalil Ibrahim, doing business as (dba) Comedy Limo (hereinafter referred to as Mr. Ibrahim), after he was observed soliciting two passengers for compensation. This incident occurred during a joint operation with the California Highway Patrol (CHP) and the San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency (SFMTA) on August 7, 2026. Mr. Ibrahim's Ford Explorer, with license plate [REDACTED], was subsequently impounded by CHP [Attachment 1].

HISTORY OF ENFORCEMENT

Prior Case (PSG-5867): On August 16, 2023, Enforcement Analyst Aaron Pete served Raed Khalil Ibrahim with citation T.23-08-001 in the amount of \$10,000 for operating as a Charter-party carrier after expiration and failure to follow airport rules and regulations [Attachment 2]. Mr. Ibrahim has not paid the citation.

VIOLATION

I investigated Mr. Ibrahim for the period of August 7, 2026, and found a violation of the following provision of the Public Utilities (Pub. Util.) Code.

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

***Statutory Authority: Pub. Util. Code 5411 and 5411.5, and CVC 14602.9.**

On August 7, 2026, Officer Greg Kraft (Badge #20534) and I observed Mr. Ibrahim standing outside of his vehicle and appearing to solicit passengers. We then observed two passengers entering the vehicle and approached to investigate further. I asked Mr. Ibrahim who he was working for or whether he was on the Uber or Lyft application (App). Mr. Ibrahim could not provide a waybill, stated he knew the passengers, and claimed he was providing them with a

free ride. I spoke with the passengers while they were in the vehicle and asked if they knew the driver; both shook their heads no. As I continued engaging in conversation with Mr. Ibrahim, both passengers exited the vehicle and told Officer Kraft that they agreed to pay Mr. Ibrahim \$20 for the ride.

I searched the Transportation Licensing and Analysis Branch's (TLAB) database using Mr. Ibrahim's vehicle license plate [REDACTED], which returned no results. After obtaining Mr. Ibrahim's name and email address, I used that information, and it showed his TCP 17704-P permit expired in 2023.

Mr. Ibrahim operated a passenger vehicle for compensation after expiration, in violation of California Pub. Util. Code §5379. As a result, I issued an Observation Report and Cease-and-Desist **[Attachment 3]** to Mr. Ibrahim, which he refused to sign, for operating without authority. Subsequently, I submitted the Request to Impound Form (CHP 180) to CHP Officer Tam (Badge #18053) to impound the vehicle **[Attachment 4]**.

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 August 11, 2026, in San Francisco, California

Destiny Graham

Destiny Graham, PURA IV

List of Attachments

- **Attachment 1** – Images of Vehicle with LP 
- **Attachment 2** – Prior Case (PSG-5867) Citation T.23-08-001
- **Attachment 3** – Unsigned Inspection Observation Report and Cease-and-Desist
- **Attachment 4** – Request for Impound and CHP 180 Forms

ATTACHMENT 1

Images of Vehicle with LP [REDACTED]



ATTACHMENT 2

Prior Case (PSG-5867) Citation T.23-08-001



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To: Raed Khalil Ibrahim
Doing Business As (Dba) Comedy Limo
[REDACTED]
San Bruno, CA 94066

File: TCP 17704
Citation #: T.23-08-001
Date: August 16, 2023
Case #: PSG-5867

VIOLATIONS

You are hereby cited with having violated section(s) of the Public Utilities (Pub. Util.) Code and a Commission General Order (G.O.) as described below. These violations occurred during the period January 13, 2023, through February 26, 2023.

- (1) Operated as a charter-party carrier after expiration of authority, in violation of Pub. Util. Code section 5379. [3 counts]
- (2) Failure to follow airport rules and regulations in violation of Pub. Util. Code section 5381 & G.O. 157-E Part 3.02 [3 counts]

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

You are hereby called upon to answer this citation on or before August 16, 2023. By way of such answer, you may either:

- (1) Pay a fine of \$10,000 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
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Attachments



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Citation #: T.23-08-001
Date: August 16, 2023
Case #: PSG-5867

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Raed Khalil Ibrahim
Doing Business As (DBA) Comedy Limo
[REDACTED]
San Bruno, CA 94066

(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 mail to the above address.

ATTACHMENT 3

Unsigned Inspection Observation Report and Cease-and-Desist

CALIFORNIA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
INSPECTION OBSERVATION REPORT

Date: 9/17/20
PSC/TCP/TNC: Unknown Investigator: DGA

Location: Airport/Other: _____
Prime Carrier: _____
Address: _____
City: _____
State: CA Class: _____
Driver: Road Khalil Ibrahim _____
Address: _____
Phone: _____
Relationship with Carrier: Owner/ Employee/ Sub-carrier/ Other: _____
Comments: _____
License Plate: _____ VIN #: _____
Registration Exp.: _____
Seats: _____
Registered Owner: _____
Address: _____
City: _____
Zip: _____
Phone: _____

Violation(s):
☒ TCP # Not shown on rear/front bumper
☐ Vehicle not listed with PUC
☐ PSC/TCP # not on side of vehicle*
☐ No Trade Dress
☐ Carrier's name not on side of vehicle*

Waybill:
☐ 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

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

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

Law Enforcement Citation No.: _____

Comments: Soliciting 2 passengers for \$20

Richard M. Sign
Signature and Title

NOTICE TO CEASE AND DESIST

Date: 9/9/20
Carrier: Raed Khalil Ibrahim
TCP number, if any: _____ Operating Status: Not Unlicensed

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

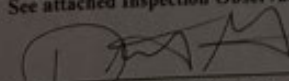
☐ **ADVERTISEMENT WITHOUT AUTHORITY**
Public Utilities Code Section 5414.5 (TCP) Section 1037 (PSC). - Circle One

Signature Refused to sign TITLE _____

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

COMMENTS: Solicited 2 passengers and 20

See attached Inspection Observation Report Form for more detail.


Enforcement Analyst Signature

CPUC COPY

ATTACHMENT 4

Request for Impound and CHP 180 Forms


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STATE OF CALIFORNIA
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: Dorothy Graham

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: _____

Citing/Arresting Officer Name: Officer Tim

Allied Agency Case Number: 2372

Date: 8/7/26

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

VEHICLE REPORT

CHP 180 (Rev. 4-16) OPI 061

NOTE: CHP 180 IS FORWARDED TO ALL FIELD OFFICERS BY THE CALIFORNIA HIGHWAY PATROL

[REDACTED]

REMARKS

[LIST PROPERTY, TOOLS, VEHICLE DAMAGE, ARRESTS]

DRIVER'S NAME RAED KHALIL IBRAHIM	ARRESTED / SECTION? ☐ YES ☒ NO	REPORTED BY GG-C202	CARGO / TYPE? ☐ YES ☒ NO	VALUE \$ /
			☐ BILL OF LADING ATTACHED	

[REDACTED]

FRONT	LEFT SIDE	RIGHT SIDE	REAR	TOP
SIGNATURE OF OFFICER TAKING REPORT TAM		I.D. NO. 18053	SUPERVISOR R. LUAN	REQUIRED NOTICES SENT TO REGISTERED AND LEGAL OWNERS PER 22852 CVC? ☐ YES ☒ NO
				DATE NOTIFIED