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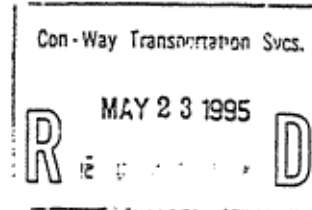
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May 22, 1995

Mr. Scott J. Engers
Vice President, Corporate Counsel
and Assistant Secretary
Con-Way Transportation Services, Inc.
2882 Sand Hill Road, Suite 210
Menlo Park, California 94025-7022



Dear Mr. Engers:

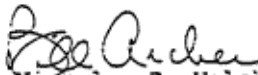
This is in response to your inquiry of this office regarding the safety rating which would be assigned to your company as a result of the recent merger involving Con-way Transportation Services, Inc., and several other entities.

Upon review of the information provided, I have determined that your safety rating was inherited from the latest compliance review conducted on the Con-Way Central Express, which is the company whose U.S. DOT number is being used by all transportation divisions, branches and terminals resulting from the merger.

Discussions with Transportation Specialist Dorothy Deem of our Washington D. C. Information Management office has determined that Con-Way Transportation Services, Inc., will assume the U. S. DOT number of Con-Way Central Express, Inc., which was 241829, and its safety rating, which is Satisfactory as of the latest review.

If you have any questions about the rating, please contact Federal Programs Manager Bill Archer at 415-744-2638.

Sincerely,


Nicholas R. Walsh
Regional Director
for Motor Carriers