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October 24, 2005

Patricia McLaughlin
Executive Director
Illinois Movers' and Warehousemen's Association
40 Adloff Lane, Suite 2
Springfield, IL 62703-6301

Re: Intrastate Household Goods Brokering

Dear Ms. McLaughlin:

In response to your recent inquiry this letter will confirm that the brokering of intrastate household goods is not permitted in Illinois.

Pursuant to the Illinois Commercial Transportation Law ("Law"), 625 ILCS 5/18c-5101(13), it "shall be unlawful for any person...[to] Act as a broker of household goods." Violations of the Law can result in penalties of up to \$1,000 per violation as well as injunctive relief and criminal punishment.

If you have questions, or need additional assistance, please contact me at (217) 782-6447.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "S. Matrisch".

Steven L. Matrisch
Chief Counsel