



UNITED STATES
CIVILIAN BOARD OF CONTRACT APPEALS

January 16, 2014

CBCA 3633-RATE

In the Matter of GHC SERVICES, INC.

Joe Connolly, Authorized SDDC Agent, Centennial, CO, appearing for Claimant.

Col. James Dorn, Office of the Staff Judge Advocate; and Clayton Buchner, Military Surface and Distribution Command, Department of the Army, Scott AFB, IL, appearing for Department of Defense.

Joyce Clark, Director, Transportation Audits Division, Office of Travel & Transportation Services, General Services Administration; and Aaron J. Pound, Office of General Counsel, General Services Administration, Washington, DC, appearing for General Services Administration.

Before Board Judges **DANIELS** (Chairman), **GOODMAN**, and **KULLBERG**.

GOODMAN, Board Judge.

Board Rule 301 states the Board's jurisdiction with regard to Transportation Rate Cases:

Authority. 31 U.S.C. 3726(i)(1) provides that a carrier or freight forwarder may request the Administrator of General Services to review an action taken by the Audit Division of the General Services Administration's Office of Transportation and Property Management (the Audit Division). The Administrator has redelegated those functions to the Civilian Board of Contract Appeals.

The claimant submitted an initial claim to the Military Surface Deployment and Distribution Command (MSDDC) on November 22, 2013. On December 10, 2013, the claim was partially denied. Claimant has not completely exhausted its administrative remedies. At this time the Audit Division of the General Services Administration's Office of Transportation and Property Management has not issued a decision reviewable by this Board pursuant to Board Rule 301.

Accordingly, this case is dismissed for lack of jurisdiction.

ALLAN H. GOODMAN
Board Judge

We concur:

STEPHEN M. DANIELS
Board Judge

H. CHUCK KULLBERG
Board Judge