

BEFORE THE
WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D. C.

ORDER NO. 256

Served: May 2, 1963

IN THE MATTER OF:

Application of D. C. Transit)	
System, Inc., for authority)	Application No. 226
to increase fares.)	Docket No. 32

APPEARANCES:

HARVEY M. SPEAR, JOHN R. SIMS, JR., C. ROBERT SARVER, Attorneys for D. C. Transit System, Inc., Applicant.

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DIANA K. POWELL, pro se, Protestant.

WILLIAM R. PIERCE and LEONARD M. SHINN, Attorneys for General Services Administration, Intervenor.

RUSSELL W. CUNNINGHAM, General Counsel, Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Commission.

Before Frederick J. Clarke, Chairman, Albert L. Sklar, Vice Chairman, and H. Lester Hooker, Commissioner.

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On April 12, 1963, by Order No. 245, the Commission disposed of the application of D. C. Transit System, Inc., for authority to increase its token fares from five (5) for One (\$1.00) Dollar to twenty-five (25¢) cents cash. In disposing of the application, the Commission, among other things, ordered D. C. Transit System, Inc., to charge eighty-five (85¢) cents for four (4) tokens in lieu of One (\$1.00) Dollar for five (5) tokens, effective April 14, 1963.

Alfred Trask and Richard Williams have filed with the Commission an application requesting reconsideration on numerous issues resolved in Order No. 245.

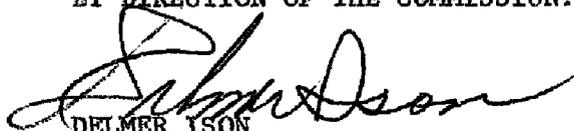
In disposing of this case, the Commission had before it 1,685 pages of oral testimony and some 130 exhibits. The Commission also had the benefit of briefs and reply briefs of the parties as well as oral arguments of counsel.

In connection with the issues raised in the instant application for reconsideration, Order No. 245 entered by this Commission in this matter adequately discussed these issues and appropriate findings and conclusions have been entered thereupon. The application for reconsideration does not point out any issues not previously considered by the Commission.

There being no new issues and the Commission having carefully and adequately considered all issues raised, the Commission is of the opinion that the application for reconsideration should be denied.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the application of Alfred Trask and Richard Williams for reconsideration of Order No. 245 be, and the same is, hereby denied.

BY DIRECTION OF THE COMMISSION:


DELMER ISON
Executive Director