

WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC

ORDER NO. 9775

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served July 21, 2006

Application of ATLANTIC SERVICES)
GROUP, INC., Trading as ATLANTIC) Case No. AP-2006-113
SERVICES GROUP, for a Certificate)
of Authority -- Irregular Route)
Operations)

By application accepted for filing June 23, 2006, Atlantic Services Group, Inc., trading as Atlantic Services Group, seeks a certificate of authority for irregular route operations between points in the Metropolitan District.

On January 22, 2001, the Commission received a 2000 annual report for Carrier No. 271 in the name of Atlantic Services Group, Inc. At that time, Certificate No. 271 was held by held by Atlantic Valet, Inc., a separate corporation. Commission Order No. 6254, served June 15, 2001, stated that Atlantic Services Group, Inc., needed Commission approval to operate under Certificate No. 271. Order No. 6254 also ordered Atlantic Services Group, Inc., not to transport passengers for hire between points in the Metropolitan District, unless and until otherwise ordered by the Commission.

Enclosed with the application is a statement that Atlantic Services Group, Inc., "has not transported passengers for hire between points in the Metropolitan District of Columbia under Certificate of Authority No. 271," since it received Order No. 6254.

Applicant has provided as its Attachment A, a certificate of amended authority issued by the District of Columbia Department of Consumer and Regulatory Affairs (DCRA), showing that the name of a Maryland corporation registered to do business in DC was changed from AV Valet, Inc., to Atlantic Services Group, Inc. Applicant will be directed to file a current certificate of good standing for Atlantic Services Group, Inc., issued by applicant's state of incorporation.

Applicant also provided a DCRA certificate of good standing for Atlantic Service Corporation, a Delaware corporation registered to transact business as a foreign corporation in the District of Columbia. Applicant will be directed to file a statement explaining why it enclosed this additional certificate of good standing with the

application and describing the relationship between Atlantic Service Corporation and applicant.

Applicant proposes commencing operations with seven vans, one minibus, and an undisclosed number of other types of buses. Applicant will be directed to file a written statement indicating the number of other buses that applicant plans to begin operations with and the maximum seating capacities of said buses. Applicant proposes operating under a tariff containing rates for transportation under contracts with private entities.

Because applicant proposes using a trade name and applicant's principal place of business is in the District of Columbia, applicant will be directed to file proof of trade name registration with the DCRA.

This proceeding is hereby initiated to determine whether applicant is fit and whether the proposed transportation is consistent with the public interest.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

1. That applicant shall publish once in a newspaper of general circulation in the Metropolitan District, no later than August 4, 2006, notice in the form prescribed by the staff of the Commission.

2. That applicant shall file with the Commission, no later than August 18, 2006, an affidavit that notice has been published as required in the preceding paragraph.

3. That applicant shall file with the Commission, no later than August 18, 2006, a current certificate of good standing for Atlantic Services Group, Inc., issued by the Maryland Department of Assessments and Taxation.

4. That applicant shall file with the Commission, no later than August 18, 2006, file a statement explaining why the application includes a certificate of good standing for Atlantic Service Corporation and describing the relationship between Atlantic Service Corporation and applicant.

5. That applicant shall file with the Commission, no later than August 18, 2006, a written statement indicating the number of buses that applicant plans to begin operations with and the maximum seating capacities of said buses.

6. That applicant shall file with the Commission, no later than August 18, 2006, proof of trade name registration with the District of Columbia Department of Consumer and Regulatory Affairs.

7. That the deadline for filing protests, comments, applications for intervention, and requests for formal hearing is August 18, 2006, and that copies must be served on applicant's office manager, Deborah M. Wheeler, 2131 K Street, N.W., #200, Washington, DC 20037.

FOR THE COMMISSION:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'William S. Morrow, Jr.', written in a cursive style.

William S. Morrow, Jr.
Executive Director