

WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC

ORDER NO. 9963

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served October 6, 2006

Application of BELTWAY METRO LLC to) Case No. AP-2006-172
Acquire Certificate No. 1163 from)
AWA MAJAD AL-KARIM, Trading as)
BELTWAY METRO)

By application accepted for filing September 20, 2006, Beltway Metro LLC, a Maryland entity, seeks Commission approval to acquire Certificate No. 1163 from Awa Majad Al-Karim, trading as Beltway Metro. Al-Karim, who serves as applicant's CEO, has agreed to transfer Certificate No. 1163 to applicant, a new carrier.

Under Article XI, Section 11(a) of the Compact, a person may not transfer a certificate of authority unless the Commission approves the transfer as consistent with the public interest. The public interest analysis focuses on the acquiring party's fitness.¹

Applicant proposes commencing operations with two vans. Applicant proposes operating under a tariff containing rates for transportation under contracts with government agencies.

Applicant will be directed to file the original Certificate of Authority No. 1163.

This proceeding is hereby initiated to determine whether applicant is fit.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

1. That applicant shall publish once in a newspaper of general circulation in the Metropolitan District, no later than October 20, 2006, notice in the form prescribed by the staff of the Commission.

2. That applicant shall file with the Commission, no later than November 3, 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 November 3, 2006, the original Certificate of Authority No. 1163.

4. That the deadline for filing protests, comments, applications for intervention, and requests for formal hearing is

¹ In re Quality Med. Supplies LLC, t/a F & J Healthcare Servs., & Tingem Health Care Servs. Inc., No. AP-04-25, Order No. 8033 (May 27, 2004).

November 3, 2006, and that copies must be served on applicant's CEO, Awa Majad Al-Karim, 4 Professional Drive, #149, Gaithersburg, MD 20879.

FOR THE COMMISSION:

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

William S. Morrow, Jr.
Executive Director