

WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

SILVER SPRING, MARYLAND

ORDER NO. 16,073

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served December 22, 2015

Application of RAJENDRAN)
SINNAMEYYAN, Trading as MONTGOMERY) Case No. AP-2015-264
EXPRESS SHUTTLE SERVICE, for a)
Certificate of Authority --)
Irregular Route Operations)

By email dated November 30, 2015, applicant was notified of acceptance of its application for a certificate of authority and directed to furnish additional information no later than December 14, 2015, including information relating to ASRS Incorporated, trading as Montgomery Express Shuttle, which transports passengers for hire under Certificate No. 2540 issued by the Maryland Public Service Commission.

Among other things, the November 30 email requested: (1) a signed statement explaining why the public will not be confused by applicant's use of a trade name that is nearly identical to the trade name used by ASRS Incorporated; and (2) evidence that Maryland PSC No. 2540 has been transferred to applicant, or alternatively, a statement confirming that if this application is approved no vehicles operated by ASRS Incorporated under MD PSC No. 2540 will be operated by applicant under WMATC authority.

The email cautioned applicant that failure to timely furnish the above information would result in delay or dismissal of the application. Applicant submitted responses on December 2 and 10, 2015, but those responses did not include the information above.

Under the Compact, an application to obtain a certificate of authority shall be made in writing, verified, and shall contain the information required by the application form and accompanying instructions.¹ An applicant may be required to publish notice of the application in a newspaper of general circulation in the Metropolitan District and furnish any supplemental information necessary for a full and fair determination of the application.² Failure to comply with the Commission's application requirements warrants dismissal.³

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED: that the application of Rajendran Sinnameyyan, trading as Montgomery Express Shuttle Service, for a

¹ Compact, tit. II, art. XI, § 8; Regulation No. 54-02.

² Regulation No. 54-04(b).

³ *In re One, LLC, t/a Bon Voyage*, No. AP-04-103, Order No. 8212 (Aug. 5, 2004).

certificate of authority is hereby dismissed without prejudice for want of prosecution.

FOR THE COMMISSION:

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

William S. Morrow, Jr.
Executive Director