

WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D. C.

ORDER NO. 1056

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served July 1, 1970

Application of the Gray Line,)
Inc., to Acquire the Certifi-)
cate of Public Convenience)
and Necessity of Washington)
Sightseeing Tours, Inc.)

Application No. 632

Application of the Gray Line,)
Inc., for Temporary Authority)
to Operate the Certificate of)
Public Convenience and Necess-)
ity of Washington Sightseeing)
Tours, Inc.)

Application No. 633

Docket No. 219

On May 28, 1970, Gray Line, Inc., applied for authority to purchase Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Commission Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity No. 3 from its owner, Washington Sightseeing Tours, Inc. Order No. 1045, served June 5, 1970, set the matter for public hearing which was duly held June 19, 1970. No protests were received.

Upon consideration of the evidence presented we have determined that the public interest will be served by granting the Gray Line's application.

Applicant requested immediate consideration be given to its request in order that it might consummate the acquisition during the summer 1970 tourist season. We will grant Gray Line authority to commence acquisition effective immediately and will issue complete findings within a short time.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that Application No. 632 be, and it is hereby, granted.

BY DIRECTION OF THE COMMISSION:



MELVIN E. LEWIS

Executive Director