

WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D. C.

ORDER NO. 1585

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served August 4, 1976

Application of DAN JENKINS T/A)
JENKINS TRANSPORTATION SERVICE for)
a Certificate of Public Convenience)
and Necessity to Perform Non-)
Emergency Medical Transportation)

Application No. 954

Docket No. 339

By Application No. 954 filed July 22, 1976, Dan Jenkins T/A Jenkins Transportation Service (Jenkins) seeks a certificate of public convenience and necessity authorizing the transportation of non-emergency medical patients between points within the Metropolitan District.

The schedule of rates proposed by Jenkins is similar to that established by the District of Columbia Department of Human Resources for non-emergency patient transportation services provided to eligible individuals participating in the D. C. Medicaid Program, as follows:

Medical transportation for out patients:

- a. One-way trip within the Capital Beltway
(Route 495) \$15.00
- b. One-way trip outside the Capital Beltway
(Route 495) \$15.00 + \$.75 per loaded mile
- c. Round-trip within the Capital Beltway
(Route 495) \$25.00
- d. Round-trip outside the Capital Beltway
(Route 495) \$25.00 + \$.75 per loaded mile
- e. Unusual circumstances requiring additional manpower
\$5.00 additional per trip

The principal differences between Jenkins' schedule of rates and that of the D. C. Medicaid Program are (1) Jenkins does not ostensibly restrict transportation to passengers in wheelchairs, and (2) Jenkins has deleted the \$7.50 and \$12.50 cancellation charge from items a. and c., respectively.

Jenkins, a sole proprietorship, proposes to provide the service in a van with wheelchair ramps. Service would be provided to participants in the D. C. Medicaid Program.

This application must be scheduled for public hearing. Jenkins shall be assessed an amount preliminarily estimated to be sufficient to cover the expenses of the proceeding.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

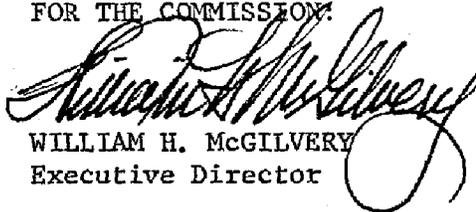
1. That Application No. 954 of Dan Jenkins T/A Jenkins Transportation Service be, and it is hereby, scheduled for public hearing to commence Thursday, September 2, 1976, at 2:00 P. M., in the Hearing Room of the Commission, Room 314, 1625 I Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. 20006.

2. That Dan Jenkins T/A Jenkins Transportation Service post in each vehicle and publish in a newspaper of general circulation in the Metropolitan District, notice in the form prescribed by the staff of the Commission of such application and hearing no later than Wednesday, August 11, 1976, and present at the hearing a certification of posting and a certificate of publication from the selected newspaper.

3. That any person desiring to protest the application shall file a protest in accordance with Commission Rule 14, or any person desiring to be heard on this matter shall notify the Commission in writing, on or before Monday, August 23, 1976, and shall mail a copy of such protest or notice to Dan Jenkins T/A Jenkins Transportation Service, 16 Evarts Street, N. E., Washington, D. C. 20002.

4. That Dan Jenkins T/A Jenkins Transportation Service be, and is hereby, assessed \$200 pursuant to the provisions of the Compact, Title II, Article XII, Section 19, and directed to deliver said amount to the offices of the Commission, Room 316, 1625 I Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. 20006, on or before Friday, August 27, 1976.

FOR THE COMMISSION:


WILLIAM H. MCGILVERY
Executive Director