

WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D. C.

ORDER NO. 1611

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served September 24, 1976

Application of PAUL KELLEY T/A KELCO )  
TRANSPORTATION COMPANY for a Certifi- )  
cate of Public Convenience and )  
Necessity to Perform Non-Emergency )  
Medical Transportation )

Application No. 969

Docket No. 355

By Application No. 969, filed September 21, 1976, Paul Kelley trading as Kelco Transportation Company (Kelley) seeks a certificate of public convenience and necessity authorizing the transportation of non-emergency disabled and handicapped persons, over irregular routes, within the Metropolitan District.

The schedule of rates proposed by Kelley is identical 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, and is shown in the application as follows:

One-way trips within the Capital Beltway.....	\$15.00
One-way trips outside the Capital Beltway.....	\$15.00
	Plus \$.75 per loaded mile
Round trip within the Capital Beltway.....	\$25.00
Round trip outside the Capital Beltway.....	\$25.00
	Plus \$.75 per loaded mile
Cancellation charges	
One-way trips.....	\$7.50
Round trips.....	\$12.50
Unusual condition requiring additional manpower	
\$5 per trip	

Kelley, a sole proprietorship, proposes to provide the service in a 1974 van equipped with three wheelchairs, a wheelchair ramp, and a two-way radio system. According to the application, normal hours of service are 7 A. M. to 5 P. M., Monday through Saturday. However, the application states that provision can be made for service at any hour or day upon 24-hour notice.

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

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

1. That Application No. 969 of Paul Kelley trading as Kelco Transportation Company be, and it is hereby, scheduled for public hearing to commence Wednesday, November 3, 1976, at 9:30 A. M., in the Hearing Room of the Commission, Room 314, 1625 I Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. 20006.

2. That Paul Kelley trading as Kelco Transportation Company 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 Tuesday, October 5, 1976, and present at the hearing a certificate of posting and proof 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 Thursday, October 21, 1976, and mail a copy of such protest or notice to Paul Kelley trading as Kelco Transportation Company, 412 H Street, N. E., Washington, D. C. 20002.

4. That Paul Kelley trading as Kelco Transportation Company 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, October 22, 1976.

FOR THE COMMISSION



WILLIAM H. MCGILVERY  
Executive Director