

WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C.

ORDER NO. 2879

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served July 8, 1986

Application to Transfer Certificate)
No. 25 from BELTWAY LIMOUSINE SER-)
VICE, INC., to DD ENTERPRISES, INC.)

Case No. AP-86-08

Commission Rule 14-01 provides that a protest may be filed against the granting of an application by any person having a substantial interest therein. However, Commission Rule 14-02 provides:

A protest shall set forth specifically the grounds upon which it is made and shall specifically refer to any provision of the Act or of the rules, regulations, or orders thereunder, by any person having a substantial interest therein.

By motion filed May 28, 1986, Gold Line, Inc. ("Gold Line" or "protestant") filed a formal protest to "the application of D.D. Enterprises, Inc., to acquire the assets of Beltway Limousine, Inc." As grounds for the protest Gold Line asserts as follows:

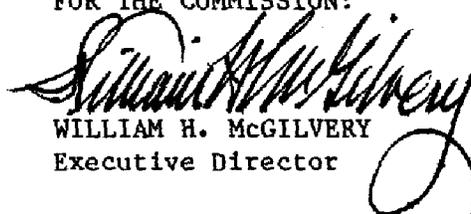
To permit Beltway to transfer its assets without its liabilities denies certain creditors of Beltway (including Gold Line, Inc.) access to the assets of Beltway and in effect creates a corporate shell with only liabilities.

In addition, there are certain legal issues concerning the transfer of certificates in the manner proposed by Beltway [and] Gold Line wishes to appear and present evidence and legal arguments which are relevant to the matter.

In order that the Commission may determine whether Gold Line has the requisite standing to protest this application, Gold Line is hereby directed to file the grounds for its protest stating with specificity the ground, legal argument, and case support on which it relies no later than July 16, 1986.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

FOR THE COMMISSION:


WILLIAM H. MCGILVERY
Executive Director