

WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C.

ORDER NO. 3063

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served August 26, 1987

Application of SUGGS TRANSPORTATION)  
SERVICES, INC., for Special )  
Authorization to Perform Charter )  
Operations Pursuant to Contract )  
with U.S. Department of the )  
Treasury )

Case No. CP-87-08

By application filed August 5, 1987, Suggs Transportation Services, Inc., seeks authorization to transport passengers in charter operations pursuant to Special Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity No. 1 under contract with the United States Department of the Treasury, U.S. Secret Service. The contract requires that employees and persons traveling on official business be transported over irregular routes between two offices located in downtown Washington, D.C.

Order No. 3056, served August 7, 1987, generally described the evidence submitted with the application and is incorporated by reference herein. The Commission required publication of notice and the filing of an affidavit of publication. Applicant complied with these requirements, and no protests to the application were received by the Commission within the time set therefor.

Commission Regulation No. 70 provides that an application of this type will be granted if it is determined that the applicant is fit, willing, and able properly to perform the proposed service and to conform to the provisions of the Compact and the rules, regulations, and orders of the Commission thereunder, and if it is determined that the proposed operations conform to the provisions of Regulation No. 70. The issue of whether the public convenience and necessity requires such service has been determined in Case No. MP-79-04. See Order No. 2004, served June 20, 1979.

Inasmuch as the contract is for a fixed term of at least 181 days and provides for the transportation of persons traveling on official business with and employees of a government agency pursuant to a contract with that agency, this application conforms to the requirements of Commission Regulation No. 70. It is further found, based on the evidence of record as described in Order No. 3056, that applicant is fit, willing, and able properly to provide the service

described above and to conform to the requirements of the Compact and the rules, regulations, and orders of the Commission thereunder.

By motion filed August 5, 1987, applicant requests that the requirement of Regulation No. 70-10 be waived. That motion is hereby granted upon consideration of and for the reasons stated therein.

Applicant has a current certificate of insurance on file with the Commission. An appropriate authorization shall issue simultaneously with service of this order.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

FOR THE COMMISSION:



William H. McGilvery  
Executive Director