

WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC

ORDER NO. 3314

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served April 17, 1989

Application of SUGGS TRANSPORTATION)
SERVICES, INC., for Special)
Authorization to Perform Charter)
Operations Pursuant to Contract)
with U.S. Department of the)
Interior -- Fish and Wildlife)
Service)

Case No. CP-86-06

By motion filed April 6, 1989, Suggs Transportation Services, Inc. (Suggs), requests that the Commission (1) waive that provision of Regulation No. 70-05 that would require the filing of a new application when there is a contract modification involving a new service point and (2) amend and reissue Special Authorization SP-79-07 to authorize service to 4401 North Fairfax Drive, Arlington, VA, in lieu of 1000 North Glebe Road, Arlington, VA.

SP-79-07 authorizes transportation between the Main Interior Building at 18th and C Streets, N.W., Washington, DC, and 1000 North Glebe Road, Arlington, VA, pursuant to contract with the U.S. Department of the Interior, Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS). In support of it motion, Suggs has provided a notarized letter from FWS' contracting officer, stating that the personnel from 1000 North Glebe Road are being relocated to 4401 North Fairfax Drive. The letter further states that the requested revision would "not require any revision in Suggs' route as the new building is located less than 100 yards" from the address now authorized. FWS supports the requested change.

The motion also states that Suggs is unable to comply with the requirement to file a new application because the term remaining on its current contract with FWS is less than the 181 days required by Regulation No. 70.

We have considered the motion and the supporting argument and documentation. We find that granting the motion will enable continuation of service essentially the same as that intended to be authorized by Special Authorization SP-79-07, and we find the relief sought to be consistent with the spirit of Regulation No. 70. Accordingly, the motion will be granted as to this case, and an amended Special Authorization SP-79-07 shall be issued forthwith.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

BY DIRECTION OF THE COMMISSION; COMMISSIONERS WORTHY, SCHIFTER, AND SHANNON:


William H. McGilvery
Executive Director