

WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC

ORDER NO. 5422

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served September 30, 1998

Application of SOUTHERN COMFORT)
LINES, INC., for a Certificate of)
Authority -- Irregular Route)
Operations)

Case No. AP-98-41

By application accepted for filing September 25, 1998, Southern Comfort Lines, Inc., a Maryland corporation, seeks a certificate of authority for irregular route operations between points in the Metropolitan District.

Applicant proposes commencing operations with three motorcoaches. Applicant's proposed tariff contains weekly rates for shuttle service under a contract with the District of Columbia Department of Employment Services.

This proceeding is hereby initiated to determine whether applicant is fit and whether the proposed transportation is consistent with the public interest.

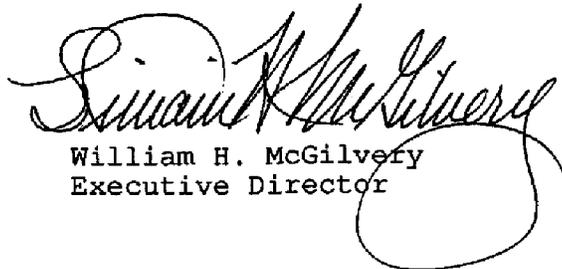
THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

1. That applicant shall publish once in a newspaper of general circulation in the Metropolitan District, no later than October 12, 1998, notice in the form prescribed by the staff of the Commission.

2. That applicant shall file with the Commission, no later than November 2, 1998, an original and four copies of an affidavit that notice has been published as required in the preceding paragraph.

3. That the deadline for filing protests, comments, applications for intervention, and requests for formal hearing, is November 2, 1998, and that copies must be served on applicant's attorney, William M. Yates, Esquire, P.O. Box 1241, North Beach, MD 20714.

FOR THE COMMISSION:


William H. McGilvery
Executive Director