

WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC

ORDER NO. 5725

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served October 12, 1999

Application of CAPITAL TOURS & )  
TRANSPORTATION (VIRGINIA), INC., )  
for a Certificate of Authority )  
-- Irregular Route Operations )

Case No. AP-99-70

By application accepted for filing October 4, 1999, Capital Tours & Transportation (Virginia), Inc., a Virginia corporation, seeks a certificate of authority for irregular route operations in vehicles with a seating capacity of less than 16 persons only, including the driver.

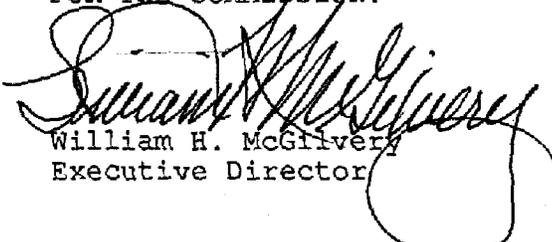
Applicant proposes commencing operations with four vans. Applicant's proposed tariff, Exhibit D, contains per capita fares for transportation to and from Ronald Reagan National and Washington-Dulles International Airports. Some of the fares, however, apply to origins and destinations outside the Metropolitan District. The Commission has no jurisdiction over transportation between a point inside the Metropolitan District and a point outside the Metropolitan District. Applicant will be directed to file an amended Exhibit D omitting fares for transportation to and from points outside the Metropolitan District.

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 26, 1999, notice in the form prescribed by the staff of the Commission.
2. That applicant shall file with the Commission, no later than November 16, 1999, an original and four copies of an affidavit that notice has been published as required in the preceding paragraph.
3. That applicant shall file with the Commission, no later than October 26, 1999, an original and four copies of an amended Exhibit D omitting fares for transportation to and from points outside the Metropolitan District.
4. That the deadline for filing protests, comments, applications for intervention, and requests for formal hearing, is November 16, 1999, and that copies must be served on applicant's president, Luerether Boyd, P.O. Box 7471, Gaithersburg, MD 20898.

FOR THE COMMISSION:

  
William H. McGlivery  
Executive Director