

WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC

ORDER NO. 8548

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served February 10, 2005

Application of FIRST PRIORITY)
TOURS, INC., for a Certificate of)
of Authority -- Irregular Route)
Operations)

Case No. AP-2005-07

By application accepted for filing January 12, 2005, First Priority Tours, Inc., a Maryland corporation, seeks a certificate of authority for irregular route operations between points in the Metropolitan District.

Applicant proposes commencing operations with fourteen motorcoaches and one minibus. Applicant's proposed tariff contains hourly charter rates.

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 February 24, 2005, notice in the form prescribed by the staff of the Commission.

2. That applicant shall file with the Commission, no later than March 10, 2005, 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 March 10, 2005, and that copies must be served on applicant's CEO, Marcia Fields Milton, 4203 Forestville Road, District Heights, MD 20747.

FOR THE COMMISSION:



William S. Morrow, Jr.
Executive Director