

WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC

ORDER NO. 8700

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served May 10, 2005

Application of ADMIRAL)
TRANSPORTATION, INC., to Acquire)
Certificate No. 313 from ESCORT)
TRANSPORT INC.)

Case No. AP-2005-52

By application accepted for filing April 18, 2005, applicant, Admiral Transportation, Inc., a Virginia corporation, seeks Commission approval to acquire Certificate No. 313 from Escort Transport Inc.

Applicant proposes commencing operations with one minibus. Applicant's proposed tariff contains an hourly charter rate and airport transfer rates.

Under Article XI, Section 11(a), of the Compact, a person may not transfer a certificate of authority unless the Commission approves the transfer as consistent with the public interest. The public interest analysis focuses on the acquiring party's fitness.¹

This proceeding is hereby initiated to determine whether applicant is fit.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

1. That applicant shall publish once in a newspaper of general circulation in the Metropolitan District, no later than May 25, 2005, notice in the form prescribed by the staff of the Commission.

2. That applicant shall file with the Commission, no later than June 8, 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 June 8, 2005, and that copies must be served on applicant's president, Khaled Hasan, 7100 Leewood Forest Drive, Springfield, VA 22151.

FOR THE COMMISSION:



William S. Morrow, Jr.
Executive Director

¹ In re Quality Med. Supplies LLC, t/a F & J Healthcare Servs., & Tingem Health Care Servs. Inc., No. AP-04-25, Order No. 8033 (May 27, 2004).