

WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC

ORDER NO. 8742

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served May 23, 2005

Application of THEEAB AL-ASAWI,)
Trading as SINBAD TRANSPORTATION,)
for a Certificate of Authority --)
Irregular Route Operations)

Case No. AP-2005-64

By application accepted for filing April 29, 2005, Theeab Al-Asawi, a sole proprietor trading as Sinbad Transportation, 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 one van. Applicant's proposed tariff contains rates for transportation under the District of Columbia Medicaid program.

The \$100 application fee was paid by check drawn on the account of Mohammed H. Mualla and Mona A. Al-Amouri. Applicant will be directed to explain his relationship with Mr. Mualla and Ms. Al-Amouri and why they paid the application fee.

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 June 6, 2005, notice in the form prescribed by the staff of the Commission.

2. That applicant shall file with the Commission, no later than June 20, 2005, 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 June 20, 2005, a statement explaining applicant's relationship with Mohammed H. Mualla and Mona A. Al-Amouri and why they paid the \$100 application fee.

4. That the deadline for filing protests, comments, applications for intervention, and requests for formal hearing, is June 20, 2005, and that copies must be served on applicant at Post Office Box 1602, Falls Church, VA 22041-1602.

FOR THE COMMISSION:



William S. Morrow, Jr.
Executive Director