

WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

SILVER SPRING, MARYLAND

ORDER NO. 14,789

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served May 23, 2014

Petition of METROPOLITAN WASHINGTON)
AIRPORTS AUTHORITY for Amendment of)
Interstate Rates and Charges for)
WASHINGTON FLYER Taxicabs)

Case No. MP-2014-004

Order No. 14,773, served in this proceeding on May 20, 2014, increased selected rates approved by the Commission in 2009 for interstate trips in Washington Flyer Taxi taxicabs, which operate out of Washington Dulles International Airport.

The order approved a mileage-rate increase, a waiting-time rate increase, and pass-through treatment of tolls, as proposed by the Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority, the operator of Dulles Airport. No amendments or deletions were proposed with respect to any of the other Washington Flyer Taxi rates and charges adopted in 2009, and none were approved in Order No. 14,773.

Among the 2009 charges that did not change is the \$1.50 extra passenger charge, which is subject to an exemption for one child under six years of age when travelling with an older person.¹ The extra passenger charge was included in the list of rates and charges in Appendix B to Order 14,773 that are to become effective June 19, 2014, but said exemption was inadvertently omitted. This order is being issued to implement the technical correction necessary to rectify this clerical error.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED: That Appendix B to Order No. 14,773, prescribing interstate taxicab rates and charges for Washington Flyer Taxi service within the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit District is hereby corrected as attached consistent with the terms of Order No. 14,773, effective June 19, 2014.

FOR THE COMMISSION:



William S. Morrow, Jr.
Executive Director

¹ See *In re Amendment of Interstate Rates and Charges for Washington Flyer Taxicabs*, No. MP-09-103, Order No. 12,156 (Sept. 21, 2009) (correcting Appendix B to Order No. 12,155).

Appendix B to Order No. 14,773
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INTERSTATE TAXICAB RATES AND CHARGES
FOR WASHINGTON FLYER TAXICAB SERVICE WITHIN THE
WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT DISTRICT

- \$3.50 First 1/4 mile or fraction
- .54 Each additional 1/4 mile or fraction
- .40 Each 60 seconds of waiting time (\$24.00/hour)
- 1.50 Each additional passenger in a pre-formed party
(provided, however, that one child five (5) years of age
or younger shall be transported without charge when
accompanied by an older person)

Snow Emergency Surcharge:

There shall be a surcharge of \$2.50 per trip during periods of
snow emergency declared by the District of Columbia.

Waiting time shall include:

- 1) time consumed while a taxicab is waiting for passengers beginning
5 minutes after the time of arrival at a pick-up location. No
time shall be charged for premature pick-up;
- 2) time consumed while a taxicab is stopped or slowed to a speed of
less than 10 m.p.h.; and
- 3) time consumed for stopovers en route at the direction of the
passenger.

Tolls:

Tolls paid by a driver on a passenger-selected route may be
added to a passenger's fare; provided, that before taking that
route the passenger was informed of the toll(s) and given the
option of taking an alternative route not requiring payment of
a toll. A driver may not recover more than the toll amount
actually paid regardless of the number of passengers being
transported.