

WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

SILVER SPRING, MARYLAND

ORDER NO. 18,164

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served May 15, 2019

Application of FREEDOM II LIMOUSINE)
SERVICES LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY)
for Restrictive Amendment of)
Certificate of Authority No. 2183)

Case No. AP-2018-206

Application of FREEDOM II LIMOUSINE)
SERVICES LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY)
to Add Trade Name, FREEDOM II)
TRANSPORTATION, to Certificate)
No. 2183)

Case No. AP-2019-077

This matter is before the Commission on the request of applicant, Freedom II Limousine Services Limited Liability Company, for an extension of time to comply with Commission Order No. 17,902 and on applicant's request to add a trade name to Certificate No. 2183.

I. EXTENSION OF COMPLIANCE DEADLINE IN ORDER NO. 17,902

Applicant holds Certificate of Authority No. 2183. Applicant's application to add a seating capacity restriction to Certificate No. 2183 was approved on November 13, 2018, in Order No. 17,902, in Case No. AP-2018-206, subject to applicant's timely satisfaction of the conditions of approval prescribed in Order No. 17,902. The order allowed applicant 180 days, or until May 13, 2019, under Rule No. 7-01, to satisfy the conditions of the grant. On May 6, 2019, applicant requested an extension of the deadline.

Regulation No. 66-01 states: "Except as provided in Regulation No. 66-02, the time for complying with the conditions of a grant of authority shall not be extended beyond 180 days from the date of the grant. A conditional grant of authority shall be void on the 181st day following the date of the grant if full compliance has not been achieved at that time." Regulation No. 66-02 states: "Upon timely request for an extension of the 180-day deadline in Regulation No. 66-01, the Commission's Executive Director may grant a maximum extension of 31 days." The request having been timely filed, an extension of 31 days shall be granted, and applicant shall have until June 13, 2019, to satisfy the conditions of the grant stipulated in Order No. 17,902.

II. APPLICATION TO ADD TRADE NAME

On May 2, 2019, applicant applied in Case No. AP-2019-077 to add the trade name Freedom II Transportation to Certificate No. 2183.

Under Regulation No. 54-08, the Executive Director may approve an application to change a trade name. A trade name application by an applicant with a principal place of business in the District of Columbia, Maryland, or Virginia shall include proof of trade name registration in the jurisdiction where applicant's principal place of business is located.

Applicant's principal place of business is located in the District of Columbia. The application is supported by proof of registration of the new trade name with the District of Columbia Department of Consumer and Regulatory Affairs. Accordingly, the application shall be conditionally approved.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

1. That upon applicant's compliance with the requirements of Order No. 17,902 on or before June 13, 2019, Certificate of Authority No. 2183 shall be reissued with a 15-person seating capacity restriction to Freedom II Limousine Services Limited Liability Company, trading as Freedom II Transportation, 2409 Naylor Road, S.E., Washington, DC 20020-4534.

2. That approval of amendment herein shall be void and the application shall stand denied upon applicant's failure to timely satisfy the conditions of reissuance prescribed herein.

FOR THE COMMISSION:



Jeffrey M. Lehmann
Acting Executive Director