

WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

SILVER SPRING, MARYLAND

ORDER NO. 20,171

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served April 26, 2023

ROYAL SEDAN SERVICE LLC, Suspension)
and Investigation of Revocation of)
Certificate No. 2370)

Case No. MP-2023-011

On March 26, 2023, Commission Regulation No. 58 required respondent to insure the revenue vehicles operated under Certificate No. 2370 for a minimum of \$5 million in combined-single-limit liability coverage and to maintain on file with the Commission at all times proof of such coverage in the form of a WMATC Certificate of Insurance and Policy Endorsement (WMATC Endorsement) for each policy comprising the minimum. Certificate No. 2370 became automatically suspended on March 26, 2023, under Regulation No. 58-12 when the \$4 million, excess of \$1 million, WMATC Endorsement on file for respondent terminated without replacement.

Order No. 20,118, issued in this proceeding on March 27, 2023, noted the automatic suspension of Certificate No. 2370, directed respondent to cease transporting passengers for hire under Certificate No. 2370, and gave respondent 30 days to file the necessary WMATC Endorsement(s) and pay the \$100 late fee due under Regulation No. 67-03(c) or face revocation of Certificate No. 2370.

On April 6, 2023, the Commission issued Order No. 20,133 conditionally approving respondent's application to add a 15-person seating capacity restriction to Certificate No. 2370.¹ Adding the seating capacity restriction to Certificate No. 2370 confines respondent's operations to vehicles with a seating capacity of 15 persons or less, including the driver, and reduces to \$1.5 million respondent's minimum insurance obligation under Commission Regulation No. 58.

Respondent has satisfied the conditions of approval and Certificate No. 2370 has been reissued this day as amended consistent with the terms of Order No. 20,133.

Respondent has maintained an effective \$1.5 million primary WMATC Endorsement on file at all times during this proceeding. In addition, respondent has paid the \$100 late fee due under Regulation No. 67-03(c), and has verified in writing timely cessation of operations.

¹ *In re Royal Sedan Serv. LLC*, No. AP-23-071, Order No. 20,133 (Apr. 6, 2023).

Accordingly, the suspension is lifted, and this investigation is terminated.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

FOR THE COMMISSION:

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "Jeffrey M. Lehmann". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized initial "J".

Jeffrey M. Lehmann
Executive Director