

WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC

ORDER NO. 7306

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served July 17, 2003

Application of AHMED HAMZA TAHIR,)
Trading as SAB TRANSIT, for a)
Certificate of Authority --)
Irregular Route Operations)

Case No. AP-2003-78

This application was accepted for filing on June 26, 2003. Applicant, a sole proprietor trading as SAB Transit, 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 DC Medicaid program.

The application has been filed in the name of Ahmed Hamza Tahir. Exhibit A, a vehicle registration card issued by the Virginia Department of Motor Vehicles bears this name, as does Exhibit D, applicant's proof of trade name registration with the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria. Exhibit C, applicant's Virginia driver's license, identifies applicant as Ahmed Tahir Hamza. Applicant will be directed to file either an amended Exhibit C that agrees with Exhibits A and D or amended Exhibits A and D that agree with Exhibit C.

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:

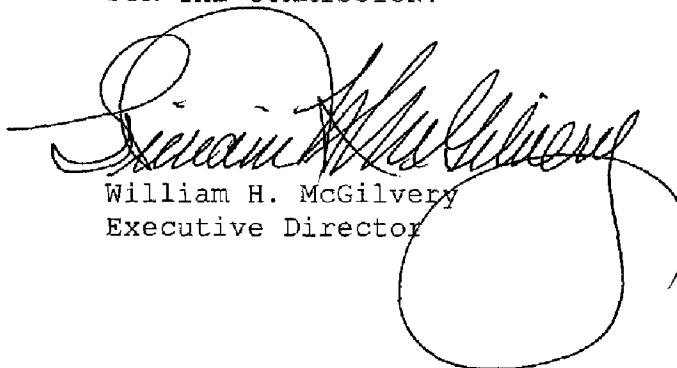
1. That applicant shall publish once in a newspaper of general circulation in the Metropolitan District, no later than July 31, 2003, notice in the form prescribed by the staff of the Commission.

2. That applicant shall file with the Commission, no later than August 21, 2003, 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 July 31, 2003, an original and four copies of either an amended Exhibit C that agrees with Exhibits A and D or amended Exhibits A and D that agree with Exhibit C.

4. That the deadline for filing protests, comments, applications for intervention, and requests for formal hearing, is August 21, 2003, and that copies must be served on applicant at 101 N. Ripley Street, #302, Alexandria, VA 22304.

FOR THE COMMISSION:



William H. McGilver
Executive Director