

WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC

ORDER NO. 7401

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served September 12, 2003

Application of AHMED F. SIDAHMED,)
Trading as FIRAGOUN, for a)
Certificate of Authority --)
Irregular Route Operations)

Case No. AP-2003-99

By application accepted for filing August 5, 2003, Ahmed F. Sidahmed, a sole proprietor trading as Firagoun, 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 per capita fares for transportation to and from Ronald Reagan Washington National and Washington-Dulles International Airports, and rates for transportation under the DC Medicaid program.

This proceeding is hereby initiated to determine whether applicant is fit and whether the proposed transportation is consistent with the public interest.

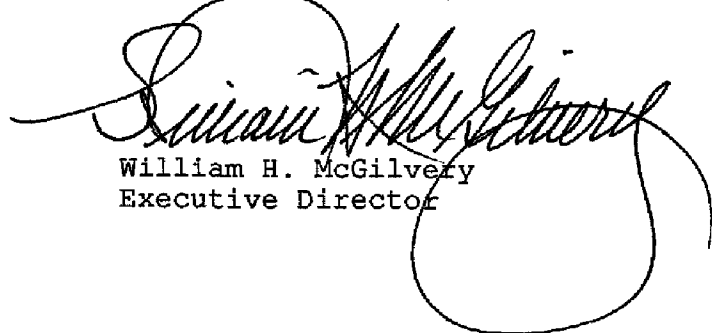
THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

1. That applicant shall publish once in a newspaper of general circulation in the Metropolitan District, no later than September 26, 2003, notice in the form prescribed by the staff of the Commission.

2. That applicant shall file with the Commission, no later than October 17, 2003, an original and four copies of an affidavit that notice has been published as required in the preceding paragraph.

3. That the deadline for filing protests, comments, applications for intervention, and requests for formal hearing, is October 17, 2003, and that copies must be served on applicant at 903 - 21st Street, NE, #8, Washington, DC 20002.

FOR THE COMMISSION:



William H. McGilveray
Executive Director