

WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC

ORDER NO. 7812

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served March 3, 2004

Application of SIRELKHATIM MOHAMED)
MAHMOUD, Trading as WADMEDANI)
MEDICAL TRANSPORTATION, for a)
Certificate of Authority --)
Irregular Route Operations)

Case No. AP-2003-157

Notice of this application was served on December 19, 2003, in Order No. 7627, and applicant was directed to publish further notice in a newspaper of general circulation in the Metropolitan District, no later than January 7, 2004. On January 14, 2004, applicant filed a request for an extension of the publication deadline.

The publication deadline was extended, as requested, in Order No. 7673, served January 16, 2004. Applicant was directed to publish notice in a newspaper of general circulation in the Metropolitan District no later than January 30, 2004, and file proof of publication no later than February 20, 2004. Respondent has yet to comply.

An application for a certificate of authority must be in writing, verified, and in the form and with the information that Commission regulations require.¹ Commission Regulation No. 54 requires applicants to complete and file the Commission's application form and publish notice of the application in a newspaper of general circulation in the Metropolitan District.² Failure to comply with the Commission's application requirements warrants dismissal.³

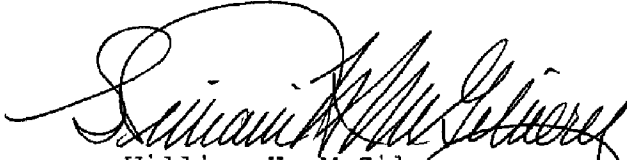
¹ Compact, tit. II, art. XI, § 8.

² See also Commission Rule No. 6-03 (cost of publishing notice shall be borne by carrier).

³ In re Imad Elhag Mohamed, t/a Hag, No. AP-03-131, Order No. 7671 (Jan. 16, 2004).

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the application of Sirelkhatim Mohamed Mahmoud, trading as Wadmedani Medical Transportation, is hereby dismissed without prejudice for want of prosecution.

FOR THE COMMISSION:



William H. McGilvery
Executive Director