

WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC

ORDER NO. 7975

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served April 23, 2004

Application of TRANSAMERICA )  
SERVICES, L.L.C., to Acquire ) Case No. AP-2004-76  
Certificate No. 677 from MAHIR I. )  
OSMAN, Trading as OSMAN )  
TRANSPORTATION )

By application accepted for filing April 7, 2004, applicant, Transamerica Services, L.L.C., a District of Columbia limited liability company, seeks Commission approval to acquire Certificate No. 677 from Mahir I. Osman, trading as Osman Transportation. Osman has agreed to transfer Certificate No. 677 and other assets in exchange for a controlling interest in applicant, a new carrier.

Applicant proposes commencing operations with one van. Applicant's proposed tariff contains rates for transportation under the DC Medicaid program.

Article XI, Section 11(a), of the Compact governs the transfer of a certificate of authority in exchange for a controlling interest in a new carrier.<sup>1</sup> A transfer of this nature raises fitness issues only.<sup>2</sup>

This proceeding is hereby initiated to determine whether applicant is fit.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

1. That applicant shall publish once in a newspaper of general circulation in the Metropolitan District, no later than May 7, 2004, notice in the form prescribed by the staff of the Commission.

2. That applicant shall file with the Commission, no later than May 21, 2004, an original and four copies of an affidavit that notice has been published as required in the preceding paragraph.

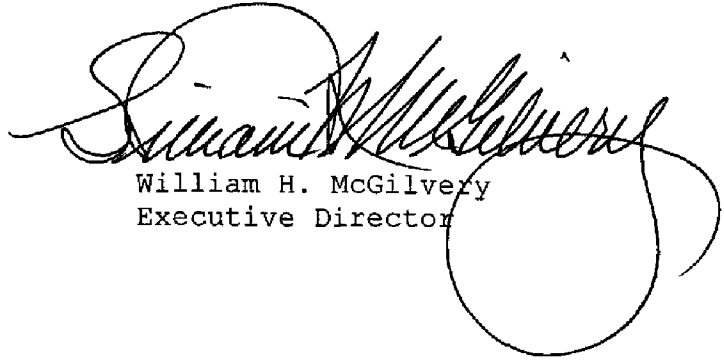
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<sup>1</sup> In re NMS Transit Servs. Inc. & Nadir Salih, t/a NMS Sys. Technologies, No. AP-03-03, Order No. 7082 (Mar. 10, 2003).

<sup>2</sup> Id.

3. That the deadline for filing protests, comments, applications for intervention, and requests for formal hearing, is May 21, 2004, and that copies must be served on applicant's attorney, Joel C. Weingarten, Esq., 1616 H Street, N.W., #902, Washington, DC 20006-4903.

FOR THE COMMISSION:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "William H. McGilvery", is written over a large, faint circular stamp or watermark. The signature is fluid and cursive.

William H. McGilvery  
Executive Director