

WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC

ORDER NO. 8313

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served October 5, 2004

Application of CHARLES D. BROWN,)
Trading as EXECUTIVE TRAVEL AGENCY,)
for a Certificate of Authority --)
Irregular Route Operations)

Case No. AP-2004-146

By application accepted for filing August 31, 2004, Charles D. Brown, a sole proprietor trading as Executive Travel Agency, 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 and one sedan. Applicant's proposed tariff contains airport shuttle fares, including shuttle fares for transportation between points in Virginia. This Commission does not have jurisdiction over intra-Virginia transportation. Furthermore, it is customary to offer reduced fares to additional persons traveling in preformed groups, but applicant's tariff contains no such reduced fares. Applicant will be directed to file an amended schedule of proposed airport shuttle fares that omits the intra-Virginia fares and indicates to what extent, if any, reduced fares will apply to additional persons traveling in preformed groups.

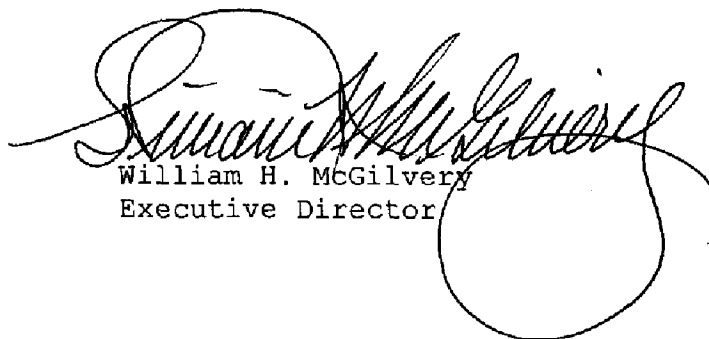
This proceeding is hereby initiated to determine whether applicant is fit and whether the proposed transportation is consistent with the public interest.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

1. That applicant shall publish once in a newspaper of general circulation in the Metropolitan District, no later than October 19, 2004, notice in the form prescribed by the staff of the Commission.
2. That applicant shall file with the Commission, no later than November 2, 2004, 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 October 19, 2004, an original and four copies of an amended schedule of proposed airport shuttle fares that: (a) omits fares for intra-Virginia service; and (b) specifies to what extent, if any, reduced fares will apply to additional persons traveling in preformed groups.

4. That the deadline for filing protests, comments, applications for intervention, and requests for formal hearing, is November 2, 2004, and that copies must be served on applicant's manager, Janette Brown, 9224 Brewington Lane, Laurel, MD 20723.

FOR THE COMMISSION:



William H. McGilvery
Executive Director