

Passenger
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Bulletin

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The *Passenger Transportation Board Bulletin* is published weekly on the web site of the Passenger Transportation Board. Printed copies are available directly from the Passenger Transportation Board at the address above.

The *PT Board Bulletin* gives notice of the applications for special authorization that have been received by the Board, the determinations the Board makes on those applications, as well as appeals from enforcement orders of the Registrar of Passenger Transportation. Board Advisories may also be published in the *PT Board Bulletin* to update the public and commercial passenger transportation industry on Board initiatives and changes to Board rules or procedure and policy guidelines.



NOTICE

The Passenger Transportation Board Bulletin will not be published on
December 27, 2006.

The staff of the Passenger Transportation Board wish you
all the best for the holiday season and a very happy and prosperous
New Year.



Part 1: Applications Received

Applications in which special authorization is sought are published in Part 1 of the *PT Board Bulletin*. **To see a more detailed summary of the application, click on the application number.**

Application	Applicant	Brief Summary of Application	Deadline for Submissions
2718-06	City & Country Taxi Service Ltd. Victoria (transferee) dba Empress Taxi / Yellow Cabs Victoria GREWAL, Karnail Singh Victoria BC (transferor)	Transfer of Licence (PDV) Proposed transfer of passenger transportation licence 71080 from GREWAL, Karnail Singh to City & Country Taxi Service Ltd. dba Empress Taxi and Yellow Cabs of Victoria.	December 28, 2006
2719-06	City & Country Taxi Service Ltd. Victoria (transferee) dba Empress Taxi / Yellow Cabs Victoria SODHI, Kulwinder Singh & ARK, Jaswinder Singh Victoria BC (transferors) dba Admiral Taxi	Transfer of Licence (PDV) Proposed transfer of passenger transportation licence 71011 from SODHI, Kulwinder Singh and ARK, Jaswinder Singh dba Admiral Taxi to City & Country Taxi Service Ltd. dba Empress Taxi and Yellow Cabs of Victoria.	December 28, 2006
T1950-06	KARKANIS, Dimitri George Victoria BC dba Cloud 10 Shuttle	Change of Rates (PDV) Proposed increase in rates that were previously approved or set by the Board.	December 23, 2006
AV2898-06	North Shore Taxi (1996) Ltd. North Vancouver BC dba Northshore Taxi & Cadillac	Addition of Motor Vehicles (PDV) Proposed addition of motor vehicles to increase the maximum fleet size for passenger directed vehicles from 89 of which 82 may be non-accessible to 114, of which 102 may be non-accessible.	December 28, 2006

Submissions:

Any person may make a submission on an application to the Passenger Transportation Board. Submissions should relate to the following matters that the Board must consider (see section 28 of the Passenger Transportation Act):

- (a) *whether there is a public need for the service the applicant proposes to provide under any special authorization;*
- (b) *whether the applicant is a fit and proper person to provide that service and is capable of providing that service; and*
- (c) *whether the application, if granted, would promote sound economic conditions in the passenger transportation business in British Columbia.*

All submissions must be:

- *in writing*
- *accompanied by a \$50 fee (payable only by cheque or money order to the Minister of Finance)*
- *received at the Passenger Transportation Board office in Victoria by 4:30 p.m. within 15 days of the PT Board Bulletin publication date (10 days for Change of Rates applications).*

All information that a person submits on an application is routinely disclosed by the Board to the applicant. Any person who gathers and submits personal information from third parties is subject to the Personal Information Protection Act and should not guarantee the confidentiality of the information being submitted.

Within 10 days of when a submission is forwarded by the Board to the applicant, the applicant may reply by sending written comments to the Board.

Part 2: Application Decisions

To see the full decision, click on the application number.

Application	Applicant	Brief Summary of Application	Decision
AV598-06	Bluebird Cabs Ltd. Victoria BC	Addition of Motor Vehicles (PDV) Addition of motor vehicles to increase the maximum fleet size for passenger directed vehicles from 29 to 33.	Approved as set out in the Decision
T2862-06	JOSEPH, Adrian Philip North Vancouver BC dba A Stylish Arrival Chauffeured Service	Change of Rates (PDV) Change of rules previously approved by the Board.	Approved
1913-06	Parker Oilfield Shuttle Ltd. Dawson Creek BC (transferee) PARKER, Clinton Wallace Dawson Creek BC (transferor) dba Parker Oilfield Shuttle	Transfer of Licence (PDV) Transfer of passenger transportation licence 70562 from Clinton Wallace PARKER to Parker Oilfield Shuttle Ltd.	Approved

Application	Applicant	Brief Summary of Application	Decision
2933-06 UPN	SWAN, Matthew William Smith Pender Island BC	New Special Authorization (PDV) – Urgent Public Need New special authorization to operate passenger directed vehicles on Pender Island with a maximum fleet size of 2 vehicles that can accommodate a driver and not less than 4 and not more than 10 passengers.	Approved
795-06	Whistler Eco Tours Ltd. Whistler BC	Amendment of Licence (PDV) New special authorization licence to operate passenger directed vehicles in the Pemberton/Mt. Currie area, the Resort Municipality of Whistler, the City of Vancouver or the City of Richmond including Vancouver International Airport with a maximum fleet size of 3 vehicles that can accommodate a driver and 11 passengers.	Preliminary Decision Approved as set out in the Preliminary Decision

Part 3: Hearing Notices

Notice of Application Hearing

Application	Applicant	Hearing Information	Deadline for Submissions
195-06	Goldstream Taxi Inc. Victoria BC	Notice of Hearing Date: Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, January 29 th – 31 st , 2007 Time: 9:00 am Place: Station House Hotel 2835 Bryn Maur Road Victoria BC V9B 3T5	January 4, 2007

Submissions for Application Hearings:

Any person, including those who may have made a previous submission or objection, wishing to make a submission at this hearing must follow the steps below.

Any person wishing to make a submission, within 21 days of the date that this notice is published in the PT Board Bulletin:

- *pay to the board a fee of \$50 and*
- *provide to the board and applicant a written summary of the assertions and evidence that the submitter intends to present at a hearing*
- *provide proof of service documents referred to in subparagraph (b) above, at the request of the board.*

If the board does not receive any requests for submissions, the board may order that an oral hearing be discontinued, and conducted via another means, such as in writing or by teleconference.

The Board may hold a pre-hearing conference into the application and may determine the date and time of such a conference.

The Board will provide the applicant and submitters with more information about hearing processes, once all submitters have been identified.

Part 4: Appeal Decisions

None

Part 5: Decisions Whether Application for General Authorization Requires Special Authorization

None

Part 6: Other Matters

None