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# Passenger Transportation Board Bulletin

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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.

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## 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.

<b>Application</b>	<b>Applicant</b>	<b>Brief Summary of Application</b>	<b>Deadline for Submissions</b>
992-07	<b>Ferguson, Andrew Ian</b> Cortes Island  dba Cortes Connection	<b>New Special Authorization (PDV)</b> Proposed new special authorization to operate 1 passenger directed vehicle (with capacity for a driver and 8 – 11 passengers) originating on Cortes Island or Quadra Island.	June 7, 2007

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### ***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.

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## Part 2: Application Decisions

Board decisions on applications for special authorization are published in Part 2 of the *PT Board Bulletin*. To see a more detailed summary of the application, click on the application number.

<b>Application</b>	<b>Applicant</b>	<b>Brief Summary of Application</b>	<b>Decision</b>
71-07	<b>CROSSLEY, Ray &amp; SPINK, Rodney</b> Comox BC  dba Ambassador Shuttle Service	<b>Amendment of Licence (PDV)</b> Expansion of the <i>destination area</i> for trips originating from the Comox Valley Airport (i.e. Service 1) by adding Campbell River to the north, Nanaimo to the south, and Port Alberni to the East.  Replace the advance reservation requirement on trips originating from the Comox Valley Airport (i.e. Service 1) with express authorization to accept hails and flags.  Replace Return Trips in Service 2 with Reverse Trips.	Approved as set out in the Decision
T522-07	<b>CROSSLEY, Ray &amp; SPINK, Rodney</b> Comox BC  dba Ambassador Shuttle Service	<b>Change of Rates (PDV)</b> Replacement of the rates and rules that were previously approved or set by the Board.  Introduction of new rates to reflect the expanded destination area proposed in application 71-07.	Approved as set out in the Decision
992-07UPN	<b>Ferguson, Andrew Ian</b> Cortes Island  dba Cortes Connection	<b>New Special Authorization (PDV) – Urgent Public Need</b> New special authorization to operate an inter city bus (Cortes Island – Quadra Island – Campbell River)	Approved as set out in the Decision
AV177-07	<b>Lecouffe, Leona Rose</b> Duncan BC  dba Cobble Hill Taxi	<b>Addition of Motor Vehicles (PDV)</b> Addition of 1 motor vehicle to increase the maximum fleet size for passenger directed vehicles from 4 to 5 vehicles.	Approved

## Part 3: Hearing Notices

None

## Part 4: Appeal Decisions

None

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

None

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## Part 6: Other Matters

None