

Passenger Transportation Board Weekly Bulletin

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The [Weekly Bulletin](#) is published online by the Passenger Transportation Board. This publication gives notice of:

- Applications, decisions, hearings and other matters relating to applications for special authorization to operate taxis, limousines, other passenger directed vehicles, and inter-city buses.
- Board decisions on appeals of administrative penalties imposed by the Registrar of Passenger Transportation
- Various policy and information updates for the commercial passenger transportation industry.



1. Industry Updates & Advisories

2014 Festive Season TOPs for Taxis

For the 'festive season' this year, taxi companies in BC are able to apply for Festive Season TOPs and choose any 30-day period between December 1 and January 15. See the [Board Advisory of October 1](#).

YVR Flat Zone Rates (Outbound Taxi Trips) Take Effect November 6, 2014

Amendments to the Board Rule Respecting Lower Mainland Taxicab Rates take effect November 6, 2014. The amended rule is posted on the [Taxi Rates webpage](#).

Updated List of Metered Taxi Rates in BC

The Board updated its list of metered rates for taxis in BC. Taxi rate norms for BC are also updated. View the updates on the [Taxi Rates webpage](#).

2. Applications Received

Click the [application number](#) to see the published application:

Application	Applicant	Application Highlights	Submission Deadline
<u>261-14</u>	Alouette Transit Systems Ltd. Maple Ridge dba Alouette Taxi	Amend a Licence (Taxi) Add flip seat authority for 3 existing accessible taxis Add 3 vehicles (all conventional). New fleet size will be 13 vehicles, of which 10 may be conventional taxis. All others must be accessible taxis.	November 13, 2014
<u>AV271-14</u>	Cold Comforts Lodgings Ltd. Whistler	Additional Vehicles Add 1 vehicle. New fleet size would be 2 vehicles	November 13, 2014
<u>205-14</u>	LUSSIER, Reginald Port McNeill dba Port McNeill Shuttle	Notice of Correction New Special Authorization: Passenger Directed Vehicles This application is being republished to reflect a revised Reverse Authority in the proposed Terms and Conditions	November 5, 2014

<u>263-14</u>	Meadow Ridge Taxi Ltd. Maple Ridge dba Ridge Meadows Taxi	Amend a Licence (Taxi) Add flip seat authority for 1 accessible taxi Add 3 vehicles (2 conventional and 1 accessible). New fleet size will be 13 vehicles, of which 10 may be conventional taxis. All others must be accessible taxis.	November 13, 2014
<u>262-14</u>	Syd's Taxi (1984) Ltd. Maple Ridge dba Syd's Taxi	Amend a Licence (Taxi) Add 3 vehicles (2 conventional and 1 accessible). New fleet size will be 13 vehicles, of which 10 may be conventional taxis. All others must be accessible taxis. Add flip seat authority 1 accessible taxis	November 13, 2014

[Click here](#) for more information about:

- i. the \$50 submission fee,
- ii. submission deadlines and
- iii. other submission requirements and information

3. Application Decisions

Click the application number to see the published decision:

Application	Applicant	Application Highlights	Decision
<u>156-14</u>	Haisla Shuttle Ltd. Kitimat	New Special Authorization: Passenger Directed Vehicles New taxi and shuttle service in Kitimat area with 10 vehicles. All vehicles will be conventional taxis. Rates Metered rates, hourly charter, and point to point rates.	Refused

<u>196-14</u>	<p>Transfer to: MAHAL, Jasbir Singh Sorrento</p> <p>dba Sorrento Taxi</p> <p>Transfer from: SHOAF, Avery Dean Scotch Creek</p>	<p>Transfer of Licence (PDV)</p> <p>Proposed transfer of passenger transportation licence from Avery Dean SHOAF to Jasbir Singh MAHAL.</p>	<p>Approved</p>
<u>295-14UPN</u>	<p>Prince George Taxi Ltd. Prince George</p>	<p>Urgent Public Need Amend a Licence - Taxi</p> <p>Add Service 3 for contract service to Via Rail.</p>	<p>Urgent Public Need confirmed</p> <p>Approved as set out in the Decision</p>
<u>AV211-14</u>	<p>QM Transport Ltd. Bellingham WA</p>	<p>Additional Vehicles</p> <p>7 vehicles. New fleet size would be 15 vehicles.</p>	<p>Approved as set out in the Decision</p>

4. Hearing Notices

None

5. Other Matters

None