

## Passenger Transportation Board

# Weekly Bulletin

Wednesday, September 25, 2019

The *Weekly Bulletin* is published by the Passenger Transportation Board to give public 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

## App Requirements for Taxis, Limo & Other PDVAs

The Board updated apps requirements for taxis, limousines and other licensees with a Passenger Directed Vehicle Authorization. Requirements are posted on the [apps webpage](#) and take effect September 25, 2019.

## Minimum Rates for TNSs

The Board published a TNS Minimum Rates Rule on its [TNS \(ride-hailing\) webpage](#).

## “Extra” Weekly Bulletins for 2019

As needed, for the remainder of 2019, the Board may publish extra editions of the Weekly Bulletin, either on a Friday or a Monday. This is in addition to editions that are published on Wednesdays. The extra editions respond to Special Authorization applications status enquiries about applications (including new applications for a Transportation Network Services Authorization) that have been received or decided by the Board.

## Updated “PT” Legislation & Regulation is Now Online

The [BC Laws website](#) has updated online copies of the [Passenger Transportation Act](#) and [Passenger Transportation Regulation](#) to include amendments that came into force in September 2019.

# 2 Applications Received

[CLICK HERE](#) for information about making a submission on an application, deadlines and \$50 submission fees.

| Application   | Applicant & Application Highlights  | Submission Deadline |
|---|---|---------------------|
| 7063-19 TNS<br><br><a href="#">CLICK HERE to view application summary</a> | <b>Sun Peaks Taxi Ltd.</b><br>Trade Name: Interior Rideshare<br>PT Licence: 75040<br><b>New TNS</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• New Special Authorization: Transportation Network Services Authorization (TNSA)</li><li>• Originating Area Requested:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Region 4 – Okanagan – Kootenays - Cariboo</li></ul></li><li>• Destination Area: BC</li></ul> | October 10, 2019    |

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|--|---|------------------------|
| <p>4627-19</p> <p><a href="#">CLICK HERE to view application summary</a></p>   | <p><b>Valley Airporter Ltd.</b></p> <p>Trade names:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Valley Airporter</li> <li>• Airport Shuttle</li> <li>• Abbotsford Airport Shuttle</li> </ul> <p><b>Other PDV: Amendment of PDVA Licence</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Increase fleet size</b> to 10 vehicles by adding 8 vehicles:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ 2 limo buses (21 or more passengers plus driver)</li> <li>○ 6 large shuttles (6-11 passengers plus driver)</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Add</b> a passenger-directed shuttle service in Metro Vancouver and the Fraser Valley that originates from:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Vancouver International Airport (YVR)</li> <li>○ Tsawwassen Ferry Terminal</li> <li>○ Horseshoe Bay Ferry Terminal</li> <li>○ Canada Place Cruise Terminal</li> </ul> </li> <li>○ <b>Amend destination area</b> to permit pick up in B.C. and outside B.C.</li> <li>• <b>Increase current per-person zone rates</b> - Abbotsford International Airport</li> <li>• <b>Add per-person trip rates</b> for the proposed new service</li> </ul> | <p>October 7, 2019</p> |
| <p>6813-19<br/>6814-19<br/>6815-19<br/>6816-19<br/>6817-19</p> <p><a href="#">CLICK HERE to view application summary</a></p> | <p><b>Black Top Cabs Ltd.</b></p> <p><b>Yellow Cab Company Ltd.</b></p> <p><b>MacLure’s Cabs (1984) Ltd.</b></p> <p><b>Vancouver Taxi Ltd.</b></p> <p><b>Vancouver Taxi Ltd. dba Handicapped Cabs</b></p> <p><b>Change of Rates Applications</b></p> <p>The applicants seek to replace metered taxi rates with a \$15 flat zone rate (including GST) for trips from cruise ships at Canada Place to downtown Vancouver.</p>   | <p>October 2, 2019</p> |

### 3 Application Decisions

| Application   | Applicant & Application Highlights   | Decision   |
|---------------|--|--|
| 5005-19       | <p><b>Bel-Air Taxi (1982) Limited</b><br/>Coquitlam</p> <p><b>Reduce Vehicles - Taxi</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reduce 3 conventional vehicles.</li> <li>• This will reduce the maximum fleet size to 68 vehicles (56 conventional and 12 accessible).</li> <li>• Related to Coquitlam Taxi (1977) Ltd. application # AV5006-19</li> </ul> | <p>approved</p> <p><a href="#">CLICK HERE to view decision</a></p> |
| AV5006-19     | <p><b>Coquitlam Taxi (1977) Ltd.</b></p> <p><b>Additional Vehicles - Taxi</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Add 3 conventional vehicles.</li> <li>• This will increase the maximum fleet size to 48 vehicles (36 conventional and 7 accessible).</li> <li>• Related to Bel-Air Taxi (1982) Limited application # 5005-19</li> </ul>               | <p>approved</p> <p><a href="#">CLICK HERE to view decision</a></p> |
| 714419 PS TOP | <p><b>Boss Limousine Service Ltd.</b><br/>Surrey</p> <p><b>Peak Season Temporary Operating Permit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• September 24, 2019 and is for 91 days</li> <li>• 1 Vehicle (PSB)</li> </ul>   | <p>approved</p> <p><a href="#">CLICK HERE to view decision</a></p> |

### 4 Hearing Notices

None.

### 5 Other Matters

None.