

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

TCI Reminder:

The final deadline for applying for a [Taxi Cost Index 2012](#) rate increase is October 31, 2012.

Festive Season TOPs:

The Board is making it easier for taxi licensees to operate more vehicles in December and on New Years Day.

2. Applications Received

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

Application	Applicant	Application Highlights	Submission Deadline
266-12	CHAUDHRY, Irfan Ahmed Nazeer Vancouver BC dba IAN Weekend Taxi	Special Authorization (PDV) New service in Vancouver with 1 conventional taxi that may only operate in Vancouver on Friday and Saturday from 3 p.m. to 5:00 a.m. or special occasion days as approved in advance by the Board.	November 1, 2012
AV271-12	Richmond Cabs Ltd. Richmond BC dba Richmond Cabs	Additional Vehicles (PDV) Add 10 vehicles to the fleet. The new maximum fleet size will be 74 vehicles, of which 10 will be accessible taxis.	November 1, 2012
275-12	Transfer to: SCHUSTER, Tawnya Marie Terrace BC dba Sunrise Limousine Services Transfer from: SCHUSTER, Gerd Terrace BC dba Sunrise Limousine Services	Transfer of Licence (PDV) Transfer of licence 70452 from Gerd SCHUSTER to Tawnya Marie SCHUSTER.	November 1, 2012

[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	Outcome
57-12	Delta Sunshine Taxi (1972) Ltd. Surrey BC dba Delta Sunshine Taxi	Licence Amendment (PDV) Add flip seat authority for 3 accessible taxis (total flip seat authority would be for 5 vehicles)	Approved
58-12	Tsawwassen Taxi Ltd. Surrey BC dba Tsawwassen Green Cab	Licence Amendment (PDV) Add flip seat authority for 2 accessible taxis (total flip seat authority would be for 4 vehicles)	Approved

Applications for Temporary Operating Permits (TOPs)

The Board received 4 similar applications from taxi companies in Vancouver. The companies applied to operate a total of 65 additional taxis under TOPs at set times as follows:

Friday and Saturday evenings October 19 – November 30, 2012

Each day from December 1 – 31, 2012

Proposed operational hours: 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m. on the next day

TOP Applications	Applicants	Permits Requested	Outcome
<u>321-12</u>	MacLure's Cabs (1984) Ltd.	10	Approved as set out in the Decision
<u>322-12</u>	Black Top Cabs Ltd.	20	Approved as set out in the Decision
<u>320-12</u>	Yellow Cab Co. Ltd.	24	Approved as set out in the Decision
<u>324-12</u>	Vancouver Taxi Ltd.	11	Approved as set out in the Decision

4. Hearing Notices

None

5. Other Matters

None