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Decision 84 02 085 FEB 161984

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Name: Charles Price
For authority to operate as a passenger stage corporation to provide home-to-work service between Fairfield and Mare Island Naval Shipyard in (Subject to 14-day protest period from initial filing date).

Application 83-12-58 (Filed December 27, 1983)

OPINION

Charles V. Price III (applicant), an individual, doing business as Mare Island Van Pool, proposes to provide home-to-work service between Fairfield, on the one hand, and Mare Island Naval Shipyard at Vallejo, on the other hand.

Applicant proposes to provide the service using a 40-passenger, 1961 GMC bus which he owns.

Applicant's bus will leave Fairfield for the shipyard at 2:45 p.m. and return to Fairfield at approximately 12:45 a.m. The bus will remain at the the shipyard during the swing shift.

Applicant's financial statement is attached to the application and shows assets of \$9,049 and liabilities of \$8,555 as of December 18, 1983.

Applicant's proposed fare for 5-day/week transportation is \$50 monthly.

The application was listed in the Commission's Daily Calendar of January 4, 1984. The Commission's Transportation Division staff has reviewed the application and recommends that in the absence of protest or request for public hearing, it be granted by ex parte order. No protest has been received.

Findings of Fact

- 1. Home-to-work commuter buses play an important role in providing needed public transportation services and help to relieve an energy shortage.
- 2. New home-to-work services, such as proposed by applicant, should receive expedited approval.
- 3. On the basis of the information contained in the application, public convenience and necessity require that the proposed service be authorized for a period of one year, subject to the conditions more specifically set forth in the following order.
- 4. This order should be effective on the date of issuance so that the needed new service may be established as soon as possible.
- 5. It can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that the activity in question may have a significant effect on the environment.
- 6. A public hearing is not necessary. Conclusion of Law

The application should be granted as set forth in the following order.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. A certificate of public convenience and necessity is granted to Charles V. Price III, authorizing him to operate as a passenger stage corporation as defined in Public Utilities (PU) Code Section 226, between the points and over the routes set forth in Appendix PSC-1328 of this decision, for the transportation of passengers and their baggage only.

2. Applicant shall:

- a. File a written acceptance of this certificate within 30 days after this order is effective.
- b. Establish the authorized service and file tariffs and timetables within 120 days after this order is effective.
- c. State in its tariffs and timetables when the service will start; allow at least 10 days' notice to the Commission; and make timetables and tariffs effective 10 or more days after this order is effective.
- d. Comply with General Orders Series 79, 98, 101, and 104, and the California Highway Patrol safety rules.
- e. Maintain accounting records in conformity with the Uniform System of Accounts.
- 3. The authority granted by this order shall remain in effect for a period of one year from the effective date of this order or until modified by further order of this Commission.
- 4. Applicant is placed on notice that if he accepts this expedited authorization, he waives his rights to invoke the protective provisions of PU Code Section 1032 as related to applications of other parties for similar authority for the period this authorization is in effect.
- 5. Applicant is authorized to begin operations on the date that the Executive Director mails a notice to the applicant that it has evidence of insurance on file with the Commission and that the California Highway Patrol has approved the use of applicant's vehicles for service.

LEONARD M. GRIMES, JR.

President
PRISCILLA C. GREW
DONALD VIAL
WILLIAM T. BAGLEY
Commissioners

Commissioner Victor Calvo, being necessarily absent, did not participate

WAS APPROVED BY THE ABOVE COMMISSIONERS ACCUMY.

oseph E. Bodovicz, Executive

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CERTIFICATE

OF

PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY AS A PASSENGER STAGE CORPORATION

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Showing passenger stage operative rights, restrictions, limitations, exceptions, and privileges.

All changes and amendments as authorized by the Public Utilities Commission of the State of California will be made as revised pages or added original pages.

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SECTION 1. GENERAL AUTHORIZATIONS, RESTRICTIONS, LIMITATIONS, AND SPECIFICATIONS.

Charles V. Price III, by the certificate of public convenience and necessity granted by the decision noted in the margin, is authorized as a passenger stage corporation to transport home-to-work passengers between Fairfield, on the one hand, and Mare Island Naval Shippard at Vallejo on the other hand, subject, however, to the authority of this Commission to change or modify this authority at any time and subject to the following provisions:

- a. All transportation of passengers shall originate at and shall be destined to the service points specified in Section 2.
- b. When route descriptions are given in one direction, they apply to operation in either direction unless otherwise indicated.
- c. This authority is only for the swing shift at The Shipyard.
- d. This authority expires one year from effective date of decision.

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SECTION 2. ROUTE DESCRIPTION.

Route 1. Fairfield - Mare Island Shipyard

Commencing with a service point at the following location in Fairfield:

N. Texas and Cement Hill Road

Then via the most appropriate streets and highways to a service point at the following location:

Mare Island Naval Shipyard Vallejo, California

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