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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the matter of the application of)
Ted & Louise Janis, Joseph and Brenda)
Bourque doing business as A-Able
Limousine Service for a Class B
charter bus certificate from home
terminal in North Hollywood.

Application 84-03-353 (Filed March 9, 1984)

OPINION

Ted Janis and Louise Janis, Joseph Bourque and Brenda Bourque doing business as A-Able Limousine Service have applied for a certificate of public convenience and necessity as a Class B charter-party carrier of passengers (Public Utilities (PU) Code Sections 5371 to 5375).

No other Commission operating authority has been held by applicant.

Applicant Joseph Bourque, who will be the driver, states he has had experience in the operation of a limousine as chauffeur for the past two years.

Applicants state they intend to serve the public, including tour agencies, using a 1984 Lincoln stretch limousine, with charges to be made on a time or mileage basis.

Applicants' total assets are \$304,100, of which \$59,000 is attributed to applicants' passenger equipment. It is projected that the typical revenue mileage for a year will be 50,000 miles, producing a revenue of \$60,000.

Notice of the filing of this application appeared in the Commission's Daily Transportation Calendar of March 14, 1984. No protests have been received.

Findings of Fact

- 1. Applicants have the ability, experience, equipment, and financial resources to perform the proposed service.
- 2. Public convenience and necessity require the service proposed by applicants.
- 3. Applicants should be authorized to pick up passengers within a radius of 40 air miles from their home terminal at 7902 Goodland Avenue. North Hollywood.
- 4. No protest has been received and a public hearing is not necessary.
- 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.

Conclusions of Law

- 1. Public convenience and necessity have been demonstrated and a certificate should be granted.
- 2. This order should become effective immediately as public convenience and necessity have been demonstrated.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. A certificate of public convenience and necessity, to be renewed each year, is granted to Ted Janis, Louise Janis, Joseph Bourque and Brenda Bourque authorizing them to operate as a Class B charter-party carrier of passengers, as defined in PU Code Section 5383, from a service area with a radius of 40 air miles from applicants' home terminal at 7902 Goodland Avenue, North Hollywood.

2. Applicants shall:

- a. Obtain California Highway Patrol (CHP) clearance for each vehicle to be used in this Class B charter-party operation.
- b. Notify the Commission and CHP of any addition or deletion of vehicle(s) used in the service prior to use.
- c. Establish the authorized service within 360 days after this order is effective.
- d. Remit to the Commission the Transportation Reimbursement Fee required by PU Code Section 403 when notified by mail to do so.
- 3. The Passenger Operations Branch will issue the annual renewable certificate on Form PE-695 as authorized by Resolution PE-303 when it receives CHP clearance and evidence of liability protection in compliance with General Order Series 115.
- 4. In providing service under the certificate, applicants shall comply with General Order Series 98 and 115 and the CHP safety rules.
- 5. Prior to initiating service to any airport, the applicants shall notify the airport authority involved. This certificate does not authorize the holders to conduct any operations on the property of or into any airport unless such operation is authorized by both this Commission and the airport authority involved.
- 6. The Class B certificate of public convenience and necessity granted by this order does not authorize round-trip sightseeing-tour service, which is not subject to regulation by this Commission. It does, however, permit applicants to offer charter service to a sightseeing-tour operator.

7. The application is granted as set forth above.

This order is effective today.

Dated ______JUN 20 1984 _____, at San Francisco, California.

LEONARD M. CRIMES. JR.

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Commissioners

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