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Decision 87 10 029

OCT 16 1987

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of )  
 Star Shuttle, a passenger stage )  
 company solely owned by Michael A. )  
 A. Miller, for addition of the name )  
 David Wayne Miller under that )  
 certain Certificate of Public )  
 Convenience and Necessity, PSC-1429. )

Application 87-06-016  
(Filed June 11, 1987)

O P I N I O N

Passenger Stage Certificate PSC-1429 is currently held by Michael A. Miller, doing business as Star Shuttle. The business is operated out of Sacramento, with authority (Decision 86-11-021, issued November 5, 1986) to transport passengers and baggage to and from Sacramento Metropolitan Airport and various points in the Sacramento area.

David Wayne Miller has become a co-owner of Star Shuttle, and the application requests that his name be added to the certificate. It is alleged that operating as a partnership will eliminate the need to hire temporary drivers and will result in a reduction of operating cost.

Copies of the application were mailed to various political subdivisions, to Sacramento Yellow Cab, and to Sacramento Airport Transit. The filing of the application was noticed on the June 18, 1987 Commission's Daily Transportation Calendar. There have been no protests or requests for hearing.

Findings of Fact

1. This passenger stage authority is being transferred from an individual to a partnership.
2. The transfer of authority will not affect applicants' service or operation.
3. Applicants are experienced, financially sound, and capable of continuing the proposed operation.

Conclusion of Law

The proposed transfer is in the public interest and should be authorized. A public hearing is not necessary.

Only the amount paid to the State for operative rights may be used in rate fixing. The State may grant any number of rights and may cancel or modify the monopoly feature of these rights at any time.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. The operating rights and property specified in the application are hereby transferred from Michael A. Miller to Michael A. Miller and David Wayne Miller, as partners.
2. Purchaser shall:
  - a. File with the Transportation Division written acceptance of the certificate and a copy of the bill of sale or other transfer document within 30 days after transfer.
  - b. Amend or reissue seller's tariffs and timetables, state in them when the service will start, make them effective 10 days or more days after this order is effective, and allow at least 10 days' notice to the Commission.
  - c. Comply with General Orders Series 79, 98, 101, and 104, and the California Highway Patrol safety rules.

- d. Maintain accounting records in conformity with the Uniform System of Accounts.
- e. Remit to the Commission the Transportation Reimbursement Fee required by PU Code § 403 when notified by mail to do so.

3. On the effective date of the tariffs a certificate of public convenience and necessity is granted to Michael A. Miller and David Wayne Miller, authorizing them to operate as a passenger stage corporation, as defined in PU Code § 226, between the points and over the routes set forth in PSC-1429, to transport persons and their baggage.

This order becomes effective 30 days from today.

Dated OCT 16 1987, at San Francisco, California.

STANLEY W. HULETT  
President  
DONALD VIAL  
FREDERICK R. DUDA  
G. MITCHELL WILK  
Commissioners

Commissioner John B. Ohanian, being necessarily absent, did not participate.

I CERTIFY THAT THIS DECISION  
WAS APPROVED BY THE ABOVE  
COMMISSIONERS TODAY.

*Victor Weiss*  
Victor Weiss, Executive Director