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Decision _____

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application)
of L & L TOURS, INC.)
President - David R. Long)
dba CHARTER BUS COMPANY for a)
Class B charter bus certificate)
from home terminal in San)
Bernardino.)

Application 83-03-09
(Filed March 3, 1983;
amended June 29, 1983)

O P I N I O N

Applicant L & L Tours, Incorporated, doing business as Charter Bus Company, seeks a Class B certificate of public convenience and necessity to operate as a charter-party carrier of passengers from a service area with a 40-mile radius from its home terminal at 8405 Maple, Fontana.

Notice of the filing of this application appeared on the Commission's Daily Transportation Calendar on March 8, 1983. No protests were received. Applicant proposes to use a 1965 46-passenger Eagle bus in providing charter-party service.

Applicant's president has over six years of experience driving buses. On February 15, 1983 applicant's assets of \$34,300 consisted of \$4,300 in cash, \$1,000 in inventory of materials and supplies, \$1,000 in CB and radio equipment, and \$28,000 in the cost of motor vehicle equipment. Its liabilities of \$18,156 consisted of \$17,000 in notes payable and a quarterly insurance bill of \$1,156.

Applicant's estimates of annual charter revenues and other revenues are \$8,500 and \$1,500, respectively. Its estimated expenses total \$8,384.

Findings of Fact

1. Applicant has the ability, experience, and equipment needed to perform the proposed service.
2. A public hearing is not necessary.
3. Applicant should be authorized to pick up passengers within a radius of 40 air miles from its home terminal at 8405 Maple, Fontana.
4. 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 require that the requested authority be issued.
2. The following order should be effective today because there is a public need for the proposed service.

O R D E R

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. A certificate of public convenience and necessity, to be renewed each year, is granted to L & L Tours, Incorporated authorizing it 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 applicant's home terminal at 8405 Maple, Fontana.

2. Applicant 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.

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 clearances and evidence of liability protection in compliance with General Order Series 115.

4. In providing service under the certificate, applicant shall comply with General Orders Series 98 and 115 and the CHP safety rules.

5. This certificate does not authorize the holder 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.

This order is effective today.

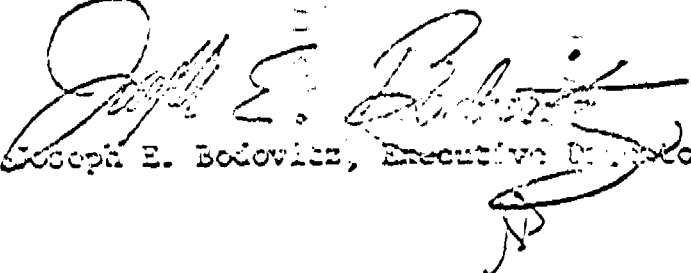
Dated SEP 7 1983, at San Francisco, California.

Commissioner William T. Bagley
being necessarily absent, did
not participate.

LEONARD M. GRIMES, JR.
President

VICTOR CALVO
PRISCILLA C. CREW
DONALD VIAL
Commissioners

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


Joseph E. Bodovitz, Executive Director