

Decision 93691 November 3, 1981

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of  
WESTERN TRAVEL PLAZA, INC., a California  
corporation, for a certificate of public  
convenience and necessity to operate as a  
passenger stage corporation pursuant to  
the provisions of Section 1031, et. seq.  
of the California Public Utilities Code in  
the Counties of Alameda, Contra Costa,  
Los Angeles, Marin, Fresno, Mariposa,  
Merced, Monterey, Orange, Sacramento, San  
Diego, San Mateo, Santa Clara, Santa Cruz,  
Solano, Sonoma, Stanislaus, Tuolumne, and  
Yolo.

Application 59818  
(Filed July 17, 1980;  
amended September 23, 1981)

Application 60174  
(Filed January 7, 1981)

Application 60181  
(Filed January 9, 1981)

Application 60221  
(Filed January 27, 1981)

Application 60286  
(Filed February 22, 1981)

And Related Matters.

ORDER EXTENDING TEMPORARY CERTIFICATES

We awarded applicants temporary passenger stage certificates.  
This authority expired October 31, 1981.

While we have previously stated that further extension of  
this temporary authority is undesirable, we now have before us  
proposed decisions in these applications and in Application 58739,  
in which numerous factual and legal problems are presented. We need  
adequate time to consider these issues in an orderly manner, and  
our inability to decide these matters finally on or before October 31  
is no fault of the parties to the applications.

The second Commission conference of November is scheduled for Friday, the 13th. In order not to interrupt public service, we will extend the temporary authority of the applicants until that date.

Our willingness to extend the temporary certificates of the applicants should not be viewed as a predetermination of any issues to be decided in our final opinion and order.

Finding of Fact

The numerous legal and factual issues presented to us in the proposed decision in these applications require additional time for our consideration.

Conclusion of Law

The expiration date of applicants' temporary certificates is extended to and including November 13, 1981.

IT IS ORDERED that the temporary passenger stage certificates of public convenience and necessity granted to applicants are extended to and including November 13, 1981.

This order is effective today.

Dated November 3, 1981, at San Francisco, California.

JOHN E. BRYSON  
President  
RICHARD D. GRAVELLE  
LEONARD M. GRIMES, JR.  
VICTOR CALVO  
PRISCILLA C. GREW  
Commissioners

*I certify that this decision was approved by the above Commissioners today*

*John E. Bryson*

