

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Resolution TL-18909  
Rail Safety and Carriers Division  
November 18, 1999

RESOLUTION

**RESOLUTION GRANTING A PASSENGER STAGE CORPORATION CERTIFICATE  
(PSC-7634) TO SAFEWAY LINES & TOUR COMPANY.**

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Safeway Lines & Tour Company (Applicant), a corporation, has been granted a certificate by the Federal Highway Administration to operate as a common carrier of passengers in interstate, intrastate and foreign commerce (Docket MC 240705 SUB C). The certificate states that Applicant is authorized to provide intrastate service only if it also provides substantial regularly scheduled interstate passenger transportation service on the same route. Further, in accordance with Title 49, United States Code, § 13902(b)(5), Applicant must take such action as is necessary to establish under the laws of the State rates, rules, and practices applicable to such transportation.

Applicant advises that it wishes to conduct scheduled intrastate service on five routes over which it regularly provides interstate service between points in Nevada and California. It requests the Commission to issue a passenger stage corporation (PSC) certificate authorizing intrastate service pursuant to the provisions of Public Utilities (Pub. Util.) Code § 1032.5. Applicant already holds charter-party carrier authority from the Commission (TCP 7634-B).

Pub. Util. Code § 1032.5 states:

“The Commission shall issue a certificate pursuant to this article to every passenger stage corporation which conducts intrastate passenger transportation service pursuant to federal operating authority, to the extent that regulation of these operations is not preempted by the federal Bus Regulatory Reform Act of 1982 (P.L. 97-261), as amended. The Commission may attach any conditions or limitations to the issuance of the certificate which it may specify, consistent with federal law and regulation.”

Applicant's request for a PSC certificate is appropriate and should be granted.

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This is an uncontested matter in which the resolution grants the relief requested. Accordingly, pursuant to Pub. Util. Code Section 311(g)(2), the otherwise applicable 30-day period for public review is being waived.

**THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that:**

1. A certificate of public convenience and necessity is issued to Safeway Lines & Tour Company, authorizing it to operate as a passenger stage corporation, as defined in Pub. Util. Code § 226, between the points and over the routes set forth in Appendix PSC-7634, to transport persons and baggage.
2. The carrier shall:
  - a) Comply with General Orders Series 101, 104, 158, and the California Highway Patrol safety rules.
  - b) Maintain accounting records in conformity with the Uniform System of Accounts.
  - c) Comply with Pub. Util. Code §§ 460.7 and 1043, relating to the Workers' Compensation laws of this State.
  - d) Enroll all drivers in the pull notice system as required by Section 1808.1 of the Vehicle Code.

The Executive Director shall mail a copy of this resolution to:

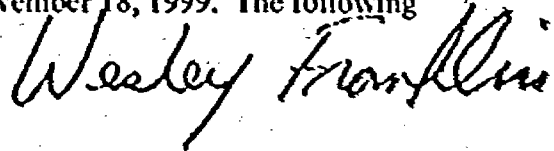
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This resolution is effective today.

I certify that the foregoing resolution was duly introduced, passed, and adopted by the Commission at its regularly scheduled meeting on November 18, 1999. The following Commissioners voted favorably thereon:



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WESLEY M. FRANKLIN  
Executive Director

RICHARD A. BILAS  
President  
HENRY M. DUQUE  
JOSIAH L. NEEPER  
JOEL Z. HYATT  
CARL W. WOOD  
Commissioners

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Appendix PSC-7634

Safeway Lines & Tour  
Company  
(a corporation)  
FHWA Docket MC 240705C

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**CERTIFICATE**

**OF**

**PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY**

**AS A PASSENGER STAGE CORPORATION**

**PSC-7634**

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

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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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Issued under authority of Resolution TL18909, dated November 18, 1999, of the  
Public Utilities Commission of the State of California.

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**SECTION I. GENERAL AUTHORIZATIONS, RESTRICTIONS, LIMITATIONS,  
AND SPECIFICATIONS.**

Safeway Lines & Tour Company, a corporation, by the certificate of public convenience and necessity granted by the resolution noted in the foot of the margin, is authorized to transport passengers and their baggage between points described in Section II, over and along the routes described in Section II, subject however, to the authority of this Commission to change or modify this authority at any time and subject to the following provisions:

- a. When a route description is given in one direction, it applies to operation in either direction unless otherwise indicated.
- b. Carrier is authorized to serve all intermediate points over the routes described in Section II.
- c. The routes described in Section II may be tacked or joined with one another and with other interstate regular route authority held by carrier.
- d. This certificate does not authorize the holder to conduct any operation on the property of or into any airport unless such operation is authorized by the airport authority involved.

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**SECTION II. ROUTE DESCRIPTIONS.**

**Route 1 Nipton - Santa Monica**

Commencing from the California-Nevada Border on Interstate Highway (I) 15 (near Nipton-CA), over I 15 to I 10 near Ontario, CA; then over I 10 to Santa Monica, CA.

**Route 2 Needles - San Ysidro**

Commencing from the California-Nevada Border on I 40 (near Needles, CA), then over I 40 to junction of Old National Trail Highway (Hwy) near Essex, CA; then over unnumbered Hwy (Old National Trail Hwy) to Amboy, CA; then south over unnumbered Hwy to junction of CA Hwy 62 at Twentynine Palms, CA; then over CA Hwy 62 to junction of I 10 near Cabazon; then over I 10 to junction of CA Hwy 91 near Colton, CA; then over CA Hwy 91 to junction of I 5 in Anaheim, CA; then over I 5 International Border in San Ysidro, CA.

**Route 3 Victorville - Yucca Valley**

Commencing from Victorville, CA, over Hwy 18 to Lucerne Valley, CA; then over Hwy 247, to Yucca Valley, CA.

**Route 4 Barstow - Lucerne Valley**

Commencing from Barstow, CA, over Hwy 247 to Lucerne Valley, CA.

**Route 5 Twentynine Palms - Indio**

Commencing from Twentynine Palms, CA, over Hwy 62 to junction of Hwy 111 near Cabazon; then over Hwy 111 to Indio, CA.

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