

# SECRETARY'S RECORD, PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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## BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Nebraska ) Docket No. B-1761  
Public Service Commission, on )  
its own motion, seeking )  
revocation of the Certificate ) ORDER REVOKING CERTIFICATE  
of Public Convenience and )  
Necessity issued to Limousine )  
Services, LLC, Omaha, in )  
Docket No. B-1761. ) Entered: June 29, 2021

BY THE COMMISSION:

## O P I N I O N   A N D   F I N D I N G S

The Nebraska Public Service Commission ("Commission"), on its own motion, is seeking revocation of the Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity granted to Limousine Services, LLC, Omaha, in Docket No. B-1761.

The Commission granted Limousine Services authority to operate and provide transportation of passengers by luxury limousine between points within a 250-mile radius of Dakota City over irregular routes. Limousine Services was originally granted its authority on May 12, 2010.

Neb. Rev. Stat. § 75-305(1) requires all regulated motor carriers to pay an annual fee not exceeding eighty dollars (\$80) for each motor vehicle operated. Annual fees are due and payable to the Commission on or before January 1 and are delinquent March 1.<sup>1</sup>

Limousine Services failed to pay its annual renewal fee as required by § 75-305(1) and was therefore named a Respondent in a Departmental Complaint opened March 2, 2021.<sup>2</sup> Hearing on the

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<sup>1</sup> Neb. Rev. Stat. § 75-305(3)

<sup>2</sup> See Docket No. MCC-3196.03 *Jamie L. Reyes, Director, Motor Transportation Department, Nebraska Public Service Commission, Lincoln, Nebraska, COMPLAINANT, VS. 9 Line Medical Solutions, LLC; Alpha Life Improvement Services; Ambassador Transportation, LLC; Big O's Party Bus, LLC; Black Diamond S & S; Bus at the Yard d/b/a Luxury Limousine, Inc.; Limousine Services, LLC; Medics At Home, Inc.; National Arbor Day Foundation; National Health Transport, Inc.; Nebraska Excellent Health Transport; Oma Ambulance Service, Inc.; Omaha Omaha Handicap Trans. Serv.; Premier Limousine, LLC; Ride the Good Life, LLC; Royal Limousine Service; Safe Ride Shuttle; Smiley's; SNP Consulting Services; Travel Plus Limousines; and Unity Transportation Services, Inc., RESPONDENT* (opened March 8, 2021).

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Complaint was held on May 4, 2021. No representative of Limousine Services appeared at the hearing.

A company representative signed for receipt of both the Complaint and notice of the May 4, 2021 show cause hearing. No action was taken by any representative for Limousine Services to resolve the Complaint or pay the annual fee. Department staff recommended at the hearing that the Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity held by Limousine Service be revoked and the carrier be assessed a civil penalty of three-thousand, eight-hundred dollars (\$3,800). The Commission entered an Order on June 8, 2021 sustaining the Complaint against Limousine Services and adopting the Department recommendation.<sup>3</sup> To date, there has been no response from the carrier.

Based on the above, the Commission is of the opinion and finds that the authority granted to Limousine Services, LLC, Omaha, in Docket No. B-1761 should be revoked for failure to comply with Neb. Rev. Stat. § 75-305(1). All PSC plates assigned to Limousine Services must be returned to the Commission within ten (10) days of the effective date of this Order. Moreover, the civil penalty of three-thousand, eight-hundred dollars, was assessed to Limousine Services, LLC, in the Commission's June 8, 2021 Order. No subsequent applications for authority will be granted until the above-mentioned civil penalty is satisfied.

### O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that the Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity issued to Limousine Services, LLC, Omaha, in Docket No. B-1761 be, and is hereby, revoked.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all vehicle plates assigned by the Commission must be returned to the Commission within ten (10) days of the effective date of this Order.

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<sup>3</sup> See Docket MCC-3196.03, Order Dismissing, In Part, and Sustaining, In part (Entered June, 8, 2021).

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ENTERED AND MADE EFFECTIVE at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 29th day of June, 2021

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

*Rod Johnson*  
*Crystal Swader*  
*Mary Keddin*  
*Tim Schram*

*Don Watson*

Chair

ATTEST:

*Michael S. Hyatt*

Executive Director