

SECRETARY'S RECORD, PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the) Application No. B-2018.02
Application of Compassion Care)
Senior Services, LLC d/b/a)
Compassion Care Medical)
Transport, Omaha, seeking)
authority to add HHS)
Designation to its existing) ORDER GRANTING EXTENSION OF
transportation authority) AUTHORITY
providing transportation to)
passengers by sedan, van, and)
SUV in open class service)
between points in Lancaster)
and Saunders counties, and)
between said counties, over)
irregular routes.) Entered: January 11, 2022

BY THE COMMISSION:

On October 15, 2021, Compassion Care Senior Services, LLC d/b/a Compassion Care Medical Transport ("Compassion Care"), Omaha, filed an application seeking to extend its authority by adding HHS Designation to its existing transportation authority providing transportation to passengers by sedan, van, and SUV in open class service between points in Lancaster and Saunders counties, and between said counties, over irregular routes. Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, on October 29, 2021. No protests were filed; therefore, the application will be processed pursuant to the Commission's Rule of Modified Procedure.

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

Applicant is a common carrier authorized to transport passengers by sedan and van between points in Douglas, Dodge, Sarpy, Washington, and Cass counties over irregular routes. HHS Designation is Yes. Applicant is also authorized to transport passengers by sedan, van, and SUV in open class service between points in Lancaster and Saunders counties, and between said counties, over irregular routes. HHS Designation is No.

Applicant is seeking to add HHS Designation to its authority in Lancaster and Saunders counties. Upon consideration of Applicant's filing and the files and records of the Commission relative to Applicant and being fully advised in the premises, the Commission is of the opinion and finds:

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1. Applicant is fit, willing, and able to properly perform the proposed service, and the conform to the provisions of Neb. Rev. Stat., sections 75-301 to 75-322 (Cum. Supp. 2020), and the requirements, rules and regulations of the Commission thereunder.
2. The proposed intrastate service is or will be required by the following extent:

CERTIFICATE AUTHORIZED

SERVICE AND TERRITORY AUTHORIZED:

COMMON: Transportation of passengers by sedan and van between points in Douglas, Dodge, Sarpy, Washington, and Cass counties, over irregular routes. The transportation of railroad train crews and their baggage is not authorized and HHS Designation: Yes.

SUPPLEMENT 1: Transportation of passengers by sedan, van, and SUV in open class service between points in Lancaster and Saunders counties, and between said counties, over irregular routes. HHS designation: Yes.

3. The application for authority should be granted.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application No. B-2018.02 be, and is hereby, granted; and that upon compliance with the terms and conditions set forth in this Order, an amended Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity shall be issued to Compassion Care Senior Services, LLC d/b/a Compassion Care Medical Transport, Omaha, Nebraska, authorizing the operations set forth in the foregoing findings.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Applicant shall not be issued the amended Certificate authorized by the Commission unless and until Applicant has fully complied, within a reasonable time from the effective date of this Order, with Neb. Rev. Stat. sections 75-305 (fees), 75-307 (insurance), and 75-308 (rates) (Cum. Supp. 2020), and with the rules and regulations of the Commission, and if upon expiration of such time Applicant has not complied with such terms and conditions, this Order shall, after reasonable notice to Applicant, be of no further force and effect.

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IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Applicant shall not conduct operations until a Certificate is issued.

ENTERED AND MADE EFFECTIVE at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 11th day of January, 2022.

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COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Rod Johnson
Crystal Broadus
Mary Keddin
Tom Schram

Dee Woodruff

Chair

ATTEST:

Thomas W. Golden
Executive Director