

SECRETARY'S RECORD, NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of R & F Hobbies,)	APPLICATION NO. B-1441
Inc., dba Prince of the Road,)	SUPPLEMENT 3
Ravenna, seeking to acquire,)	
through transfer, the authority)	GRANTED AND CERTIFICATE
granted to Roland C. Gressley)	B-1432 REVOKED
dba Aquila Limo Service, in)	
Certificate B-1432.)	ENTERED: FEBRUARY 3, 2004

BY THE COMMISSION:

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

By application filed March 31, 2003, R & F Hobbies, Inc., dba Prince of the Road, Ravenna, Nebraska, hereinafter referred to as applicant, seeks approval of the acquisition of the operating rights and authority granted to Roland C. Gressley dba Aquila Limo Service in Certificate B-1432 which authorizes:

COMMON: Transportation of passengers and their baggage by limousine between points in Sherman, Buffalo, Custer, Garfield, Hall and Howard counties and between points within said counties on the one hand, and, on the other hand, points in Nebraska over irregular routes. RESTRICTION: No transportation of railroad train crews and their baggage or transportation originating in Hall County is authorized. Supp A: Transportation of passengers and their baggage by limousine between points in Loup, Blaine, Wheeler, Valley, Greeley, Hamilton, Kearney, and Phelps counties and between points within said counties on the one hand, and, on the other hand, points in Lancaster County over irregular routes. RESTRICTION: The transportation of railroad train crews and their baggage is not authorized. Supp. B: Transportation of passengers and their baggage by luxury limousine between points in Adams, Webster, Clay and Hall counties over irregular routes. RESTRICTION: The transportation of railroad train crews and their baggage is not authorized. Supp. C: Transportation of passengers by luxury limousine between points in Chase, Dundy, Hayes, Hitchcock, Frontier, Red Willow, Furnas, Gosper, Dawson, Harlan, Franklin, Nuckolls, Holt, Knox, Antelope, Boone, Nance, and Merrick counties on the one hand, and, on the other hand, points in Nebraska over irregular routes. RESTRICTION: (1) The transportation of railroad train crews and their baggage is not authorized; (2) Transportation of passengers in vehicles other than sedan-style luxury limousines is not authorized; (3) The governmentally financed transportation of clients of the Nebraska Department of Health

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and Human Services and/or of private contractors of the Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services, such as, but not limited to, FHC Options, Partners, and Curtis & Association, and/or persons in the custody of the Nebraska Department of Corrections, in capacity as such clients and/or persons in custody is not authorized.

Notice of this application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on May 1, 2003, pursuant to the rules and regulations of this Commission. Protests to the application were filed by Alford Oil Company, d/b/a VIP Limousine, Omaha Limousine, A-1 Ambassador Limousine, Haymarket Limousine, A-1 Special Services, Extreme Limousine, and A Class Act Limousine Service, Inc. The record reflects that all protests have now been voluntarily withdrawn; accordingly, the application was processed through the Commission's Rule of Modified Procedure.

After due consideration of the evidence and being fully advised in the premises, the Commission is of the opinion and finds:

1. Applicant is fit, willing, and able properly to perform the proposed extended service.
2. The proposed transfer of operating rights will be consistent with the public interest and will not unduly restrict competition.
3. As the Commission found in its Order entered November 4, 2003, the certificate issued in Application B-1432 is not dormant.
4. A certificate should be issued in Application B-1441, Supplement 3, authorizing the following operations:

SERVICE AND TERRITORY AUTHORIZED:

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O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application B-1441, Supplement 3, be, and it is hereby, granted; and that upon compliance with the terms and conditions set forth in this Order, a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity shall be issued to R & F Hobbies, Inc. d/b/a Prince of the Road, Ravenna, Nebraska, in Application B-1441, Supplement 3, authorizing the operations set forth in the foregoing findings; and that to avoid a lapse of authority, the Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity issued in Application B-1432, shall be revoked and cancelled simultaneously with the issuance of a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity in Application B-1441, Supplement 3.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant shall not be issued the Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity 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) (Reissue 1996), and with the rules and regulations of the Commission, and if upon expiration of such time applicant has not

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complied with such terms and conditions, this Order shall, after reasonable notice to applicant, be of no further force and effect.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant shall not conduct operations until a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity is issued.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the operations authorized herein shall be subject to the terms, conditions, and limitations which have been, or may hereafter be prescribed by the Commission.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 3rd day of February, 2004.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

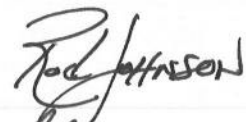
COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:



//s// Frank E. Landis

//s// Rod Johnson

Vice Chairman



ATTEST:



Executive Director