

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application of)	APPLICATION NO. B-1460
Edwin D. Saighman dba E & M Yellow)	
Cab Co., North Platte, seeking)	
to acquire, through transfer, the)	GRANTED AND CERTIFICATE
authority as a common carrier in)	B-1178 REVOKED
Nebraska intrastate commerce granted)	
to Arthur J. Giesenhagen dba Yellow)	
Cab Company, in Certificate B-1178.)	ENTERED: MARCH 10, 1998

BY THE COMMISSION:

OPINION AND FINDINGS

By application filed January 15, 1998, Edwin D. Saighman dba E & M Yellow Cab Co., North Platte, seeks to acquire, through transfer, the operating rights granted to Arthur J. Giesenhagen dba Yellow Cab Company, in Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity B-1178.

Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on January 16, 1998, pursuant to the rules of the Commission.

Application B-1460 was processed pursuant to Rule 018.03 of the rules of procedure of the Commission.

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 service.
2. The proposed transfer of operating rights will be consistent with the public interest and will not unduly restrict competition.
3. The certificate issued in Application B-1178 is not dormant.
4. A certificate should be issued in Application B-1460 authorizing the following operations:

CERTIFICATE AUTHORIZED

SERVICE AND TERRITORY AUTHORIZED:

COMMON: (A) Taxicab operations in North Platte and vicinity.
(B) Transportation of passengers and baggage of passengers between North Platte and Gerald Gentlemen Power Plant at or near Sutherland over irregular routes with pickup and discharge of passengers in Hershey, for transportation to and from the Gerald Gentlemen Power Plant.

5. The certificate issued in Application B-1178 should be revoked and cancelled.

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O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE, ORDERED, by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application B-1460 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 Edwin D. Saighman dba E & M Yellow Cab Co., North Platte, Nebraska, in Application B-1460 authorizing the operations set forth in the foregoing findings; and that to avoid a lapse in authority, the Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity issued in Application B-1178 shall be revoked and cancelled simultaneously with the issuance of a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity in Application B-1460.

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), (Revised 1996), 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.

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

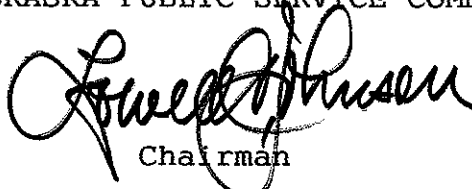
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the operations authorized herein shall be subject to the terms, conditions, and limitations which have been, or may hereafter be prescribed by the Commission.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 10th day of March, 1998.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

//s//Lowell C. Johnson
//s//Frank E. Landis
//s//Daniel G. Urwiller


Chairman

ATTEST:


Executive Director