

SECRETARY'S RECORD, NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of R & F Hobbies,) APPLICATION NO. B-1697
Inc., dba Aquila Limo Service,)
Ravenna, seeking to acquire,)
through transfer, the authority) TEMPORARY AUTHORITY GRANTED
granted to R & F Hobbies, Inc.,)
Ravenna, in Certificate B-1441,)
Supplement 3.) ENTERED: MARCH 6, 2007

BY THE COMMISSION:

OPINION AND FINDINGS

By application filed February 12, 2007, R & F Hobbies, Inc., dba Aquila Limo Service, Ravenna, Nebraska, hereinafter referred to as applicant, seeks approval of the acquisition of the operating rights and authority granted to R & F Hobbies, Inc., Ravenna, in Certificate B-1441, Supplement 3, 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 and Human Services and/or of private contractors of the

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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.

In its application, applicant further requested that this Commission grant temporary approval to the applicant of a lease of the motor carrier properties and the certificate sought to be acquired by it. Notice of such request for temporary authority was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on February 27, 2007, pursuant to the rules and regulations of this Commission.

It appears that failure to grant temporary approval may result in destruction of or injury to such motor carrier property and the certificate sought to be acquired, or interfere substantially with their future usefulness in the performance of adequate and continuous service to the public.

Such temporary approval should be granted for ninety (90) days from the effective date of this Order pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. (Reissue 2003), section 75-319.

O R D E R

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that the application for approval of a lease of the motor carrier properties and the certificate sought to be acquired by R & F Hobbies, Inc., dba Aquila Limo Service, will, and it is hereby, granted to the applicant for ninety (90) days from the effective date of this Order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that transportation service rendered under such temporary authority shall be subject to the provisions of Neb. Rev. Stat. (Reissue 2003), section 75-311, and to the rules, regulations and requirements of the Commission; such grant of temporary authority and the operations thereunder shall not be admissible in evidence to establish or prove present or future public convenience and necessity; and no renewal or extension of the period of ninety (90) days shall be granted.

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MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 6th day of
March, 2007.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

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Executive Director

//s// Rod Johnson

//s// Frank E. Landis