

SECRETARY'S RECORD, NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application)	APPLICATION NO. B-1717
of Platinum Limousine Services,)	
Inc., Norfolk, seeking authority)	
as a common carrier in Nebraska)	
intrastate commerce in the)	
transportation of passengers and)	
their baggage in limousine)	
service between points in Boyd,)	GRANTED AS AMENDED
Knox, Cedar, Dixon, Antelope,)	
Wheeler, Greeley, Boone, Nance,)	
Pierce, Madison, Platte, Polk,)	
Butler, Colfax, Stanton, Wayne,)	
Dakota, Thurston, Cuming, Dodge,)	
Burt and Washington counties, on)	
the one hand, and, on the other)	
hand, points in Nebraska over)	
irregular routes. RESTRICTION:)	
The transportation of railroad)	ENTERED: SEPTEMBER 30, 2008
train crews and their baggage is)	
not authorized. HHS Designation:)	
no.)	

OPINION AND FINDINGS

By application filed March 5, 2008, Platinum Limousine Services, Inc., Norfolk, hereinafter referred to as applicant, seeks a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to operate as a common carrier of passengers by motor vehicles as follows:

AUTHORITY SOUGHT

Transportation of passengers and their baggage in limousine service between points in Boyd, Knox, Cedar, Dixon, Antelope, Wheeler, Greeley, Boone, Nance, Pierce, Madison, Platte, Polk, Butler, Colfax, Stanton, Wayne, Dakota Thurston, Cuming, Dodge, Burt and Washington counties, on the one hand, and, on the other hand, points in Nebraska over irregular routes. RESTRICTION: The transportation of railroad train crews and their baggage is not authorized. HHS Designation: no.

Timely protests to the granting of this application were filed on May 6, 2008, by Trease Enterprises, Inc., dba Special Moments Limousine & Dwaine and Deborah Trease dba Special Moments Limousine, and on May 12, 2008, by VIP Limousine, VIP Limobus, and A-1 Limousine. On May 16, 2008, and on September 8, 2008, a restrictive amendment was filed by Platinum Limousine Services, LLC, by its attorney, Doug Stratton. On September 8, 2008, Trease Enterprises, Inc., dba Special Moments Limousine

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and Dwaine and Deborah Trease dba Special Moments Limousine withdrew its protest, and on September 8, 2008, VIP Limousine, VIP Limobus, and A-1 Limousine withdrew its protest. Application No. B-1717 was then 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 service proposed and to conform to the provisions of Neb. Rev. Stat., Sections 75-301 to 75-322.04, (Reissue 2003), and the requirements, rules and regulations of the Commission thereunder.
2. The proposed intrastate service is or will be required by the present or future public convenience and necessity to the following extent:

CERTIFICATE AUTHORIZED

SERVICE AND TERRITORY AUTHORIZED: COMMON: Transportation of passengers and their baggage in limousine service points between points in Cedar, Dixon, Pierce, Madison, Stanton, Wayne, Dakota, Thurston, Cuming, Dodge, Burt and Washington counties, on the one hand, and, on the other hand, points in Nebraska over irregular routes. RESTRICTION: The transportation of railroad train crews and their baggage is not authorized. HHS designation: No.

O R D E R

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application No. B-1717, be, and it is hereby granted as amended; 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 Platinum Limousine Services, LLC, Norfolk, Nebraska, in Application No. B-1717, authorizing the operations set forth in the foregoing findings.

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), 75-207 (insurance), and 75-308 (rates), (Reissue 2003), and with the

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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 the operations until a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity is issued.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant shall render reasonably continuous and adequate service to the public pursuant to the authority authorized.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity authorized 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 30th day of September, 2008.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:



//s// Anne C. Boyle
//s// Frank E. Landis



Chair

ATTEST:



Executive Director

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