In the Matter of the Application) APPLICATION NO. B-1718 of Leisure Limousine and Sedan) SUPPLEMENT 3 Service, Lincoln, seeking authority)) PLANNING CONFERENCE in the transportation of) ORDER AND NOTICE OF passengers by taxicab between) HEARING points in Lancaster County, and between points within said county, the one hand and, on the other hand, points in Nebraska over irregular routes. HHS Designation:) No. The transportation of Train crews and their baggage) ENTERED: JUNE 18, 2012 crews is not authorized.

BY THE HEARING OFFICER:

On January 25, 2012, an application was filed by Leisure Limousine, Lincoln, Nebraska, seeking authority in the transportation of passengers by taxicab between points in Lancaster County, and points within said county, on the one hand and, on the other hand, points in Nebraska over irregular routes. The transportation of railroad train crews and their baggage is not authorized, and the HHS Designation is yes. Timely protests were filed by Transport Plus of Lincoln; Fairbury Taxi, LLC, Fairbury; Servant Cab LLC, of Lincoln; Golden Plaines Services, LLC, McCook; and Yellow cab and Limo, Inc., Beatrice.

In order to process the application, the Commission held a planning conference in this matter on June 15, 2012, at 10:00 a.m. via telephone conference with the Applicant and Protestants. The following persons were present at the conference: Commissioner Frank Landis, Hearing Officer; Jim Joneson, Applicant; Josh Dethlefsen attorney for Protestant Transport Plus; Ron Hippen, Yellow Cab and Limousine in Beatrice;; Spencer Fentriss, Fairbury Taxi; Marlon Dooley, Golden Plains Services, McCook; and Mark Breiner, staff attorney. Kirby Young, Servant Cab of Lincoln, waived its rights to be present at the prehearing conference.

As a result of the planning conference, several issues were decided. Therefore, this order serves to memorialize those decisions and to provide a timeline for proceeding in this docket.

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Event

- June 29, 2012 All written discovery served.

 Supplemental written discovery may be served by the parties after this date as agreed by the parties.
- July 13, 2012 Answers to Interrogatories and Responses to Request for Production and Responses to Request for Admissions are due.
- July 13, 2012 All depositions completed. If parties seek to settle, settlement achieved, and Commission notified to cancel hearing. Hearings canceled after this date are subject to applicable hearing fee.
- July 11, 2012

 Any stipulations and exhibits must be exchanged by the parties and filed with the Commission. Final witness lists exchanged by parties and filed with the Commission. Any requests for subpoenas shall be filed in writing with the Commission. No requests for subpoenas will be accepted after this date.
- July 16, 2012 Any requests for a continuation or cancellation of a video conference hearing must be made to the Commission at least 48 hours prior to the start of the hearing. The party failing to give timely notification will be responsible for payment of all charges incurred as а result of improper notification. All fees incurred must be paid before future hearings will be scheduled.

Finally, the hearing in Application No. B-1718, Supplement 3, will be held on **July 18, 2012**, **beginning at 9:00 a.m.** in the

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Commission Hearing Room, 300 The Atrium, 1200 N Street, Lincoln, Nebraska.

Any remaining pre-hearing issues that the parties would like to address should be brought before the Commission prior to hearing.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Hearing Officer in the above-captioned matter that the foregoing schedule for submission and service of the items discussed above is hereby adopted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a hearing in Application No. B-1801, will be held on **July 18, 2012, beginning at 9:00 a.m.** in the Commission Hearing Room, 300 The Atrium, 1200 N Street, Lincoln, Nebraska.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 18th day of June, 2012.

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HEARING OFFICER