

SECRETARY'S RECORD, NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of Somali Bantu) APPLICATION NO. B-1849
Association of, Omaha, Nebraska,)
seeking authority as a common)
carrier of passengers by van)
over irregular routes in Douglas)
& Sarpy counties, on the one) ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE AND SET
hand, and, on the other hand,) FOR HEARING
points in Nebraska over)
irregular routes. The)
transportation of railroad train)
crews and their baggage is not)
authorized. HHS Designation:)
Yes.) ENTERED: AUGUST 4, 2015

BY THE HEARING OFFICER:

On September 3, 2013, an application was filed by Somali Bantu Association of Nebraska, Omaha, Nebraska, seeking authority as a common carrier of passengers by van over irregular routes in Douglas & Sarpy counties, 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.

Protests were timely filed by Happy Cab, Yellow Cab, Checker Cab, DonMark, Inc., d/b/a Cornhusker Cab and Safeway Cab, all of Omaha, Nebraska, and by Camelot Transportation, Kearney, Nebraska.

On June 18, 2015, the Protestants, through their attorney, Tara Paulson, filed a Motion to Dismiss for Want of Prosecution. The Motion cited that the application has been on file since June of 2013, that the application has been the subject of two planning conferences and has been set for hearing four times. The Motion further cites that no action has been taken to prosecute the application since the last continuance of the Hearing in this matter on November, 5, 2014.

After due consideration of the circumstances, the Commission finds that Applicant is hereby ordered to show cause as to why the Motion to Dismiss the application for Failure to Prosecute should not be granted and the application dismissed. Therefore, a hearing on this matter should be set for **August 25, 2015 at 11:00 a.m.** in the Commission Hearing Room, 300 the Atrium,

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1200 N Street, Lincoln, Nebraska.

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O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that a hearing on this matter is set for **August 25, 2015, at 11:00 a.m.** in the Commission Hearing Room, 300 the Atrium, 1200 N Street, Lincoln, Nebraska.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 4th day of August, 2015.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

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Frank E. Landis

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//s//Tim Schram
//s//Gerald L. Vap

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Vice Chairman

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