BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

APPLICATION NO. B-1868 In the Matter of Hastings Concierges, Hastings, Nebraska, seeking authority as a common carrier of passengers by van over irregular routes between PLANNING CONFERENCE ORDER AND points in Adams County, and NOTICE OF HEARING between points in Adams County on the one hand, and, on the other hand, points in Nebraska over irregular routes. transportation of railroad train crews and their baggage is not ENTERED: AUGUST 19, 2014 authorized. HHS Designation: Yes.

BY THE HEARING OFFICER:

On April 21, 2014, an application was filed by Hastings Concierges, Hastings, Nebraska, seeking authority as a common carrier of passengers by van over irregular routes between points in Adams County, and between points in Adams 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.

Protests were timely filed by Action Cab of Grand Island, Nebraska, and by Camelot Transportation, Kearney, Nebraska.

In order to process the application, the Commission held a planning conference in this matter on August 13, 2014, at 2:00 p.m. via telephone conference. The following persons were present at the conference: Brad Moncrief, attorney for the Applicant; Andy Pollock, attorney for protestant Camelot Transportation; Jack Shultz, attorney for protestant Action Cab; and Mark Breiner, staff attorney.

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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Deadline

Event

August 29, 2014 All written discovery served. Supplemental written discovery may be served by the parties after this date as agreed by the parties.

September 19, 2014

Answers to Interrogatories and Responses to Request for Production and Responses to Request for Admissions are due. Additional time to answer discovery may be requested by the parties if necessary.

October 10, 2014 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. Additional time to take depositions may be requested by the parties if necessary.

October 22, 2014

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.

Finally, the hearing in Application No. B-1868, will be held on October 29, 2014, at 10:00 a.m. in the Hastings Public Library, Second Floor, 517 West 4th Street, Hastings, Nebraska, and the Commission Hearing Room, 300 The Atrium, 1200 N Street, Lincoln.

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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-1868, will be held on **October 29, 2014**, at 10:00 a.m. in the Hastings Public Library, Second Floor, 517 West 4th Street, Hastings, Nebraska, and the Commission Hearing Room, 300 The Atrium, 1200 N Street, Lincoln.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 19th day of August, 2014.

BY:

HEARING OFFICER