

SECRETARY'S RECORD, NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of VIP Service,) APPLICATION NO. B-1905
Inc., Lincoln, seeking authority)
as a common carrier in Nebraska)
intrastate commerce in the)
transportation of passengers by)
limousine, sedan, and SUV)
between points in Lincoln,)
Lancaster County, on the one) GRANTED AS AMENDED
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.) ENTERED: OCTOBER 14, 2015

OPINION AND FINDINGS

By application filed April 21, 2015, VIP Service, Inc., Lincoln, 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 by limousine, sedan, and SUV between points in Lincoln, Lancaster County, 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 11, 2015, by Night Life Limousine; on May 15, 2015, by Alford Oil Company dba Omaha Limousine; VIP Limousine, LLC, A-1 Limousine Service, LLC, and A-1 Transportation, LLC; and on May 20, 2015, by Emerald Limousine, Inc. On September 15, 2015, Emerald Limousine withdrew its protest; on September 24, 2015, Night Life Limousine withdrew its protest, and on October 5, 2015, Alford Oil Company dba Omaha Limousine; VIP Limousine, LLC, A-1 Limousine Service, LLC, and A-1 Transportation, LLC, withdrew its protest, through their attorney, Jack Shultz. Application No. B-1905 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 2014), 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 by limousine, sedan, and SUV between points in Lincoln, Lancaster County, on the one hand, and, on the other hand, points in Nebraska over irregular routes. RESTRICTIONS: Restricted to use of 20 passenger limousine. 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-1905, 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 VIP Service, Inc., Lincoln, Nebraska, in Application No. B-1905 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 2014), and with the 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.

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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.

ENTERED AND MADE EFFECTIVE in Lincoln, Nebraska, this 14th day of October, 2015.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Tim Schram

Crystal Knodes

Frank E. Landis

//s//Frank E. Landis
//s//Gerald L. Vap

Chairman *Gerald L. Vap*

ATTEST:

J. Bob L. Peltz

Executive Director