

SECRETARY'S RECORD, NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of Midwest Party	)	Application No. B-1954
Bus, LLC, Omaha, seeking	)	
authority as a common carrier	)	
in Nebraska intrastate commerce	)	
in the transportation of	)	
passengers by bus in special	)	ORDER TO DISMISS
party and charter between all	)	
points in Nebraska over	)	
irregular routes. RESTRICTION:	)	
The transportation of railroad	)	
train crews and their baggage	)	
is not authorized. HHS	)	
Designation: No.	)	ENTERED: October 16, 2018

BY THE COMMISSION:

O P I N I O N   A N D   F I N D I N G S

On October 31, 2017, the Commission entered an order granting the application of Midwest Party Bus, LLC (Midwest), Omaha, to provide transportation services as a common carrier by bus in special party and charter service between all points in Nebraska over irregular routes. The Order included the steps that must be taken by Midwest in order to be issued a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity, including payment of fees, registering vehicles, proof of insurance, and filing rates.

Applicant was provided with the necessary information to complete the process to obtain the Certificate. However, Applicant failed to complete those steps. On August 14, 2018, the Commission entered an order to show cause as to why the Application should not be dismissed. The order was sent certified mail, return receipt requested, and it was returned as unclaimed.

Hearing was held on October 2, 2018, in the Commission Hearing Room. Ms. Ellie Rohr and Ms. Jamie Reyes appeared on behalf of Commission Staff. Applicant did not appear at the hearing. Ms. Rohr provided a brief statement outlining the steps the Department has taken to reach the Applicant, including the certified mail attempt, phone, and email. Applicant has been unresponsive. The Department recommended dismissing the Application.

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After due consideration and being fully advised in the premises, the Commission is of the opinion and finds Applicant has failed to complete the necessary steps to obtain a certificate. Therefore, Application B-1954 should be dismissed.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application B-1954 be, and it is hereby, dismissed.

ENTERED AND MADE EFFECTIVE at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 16<sup>th</sup> day of October 2018.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

*Crystal Knodes*

*Mary Redder*

Chair

*Zeel [unclear]*

ATTEST:

*Jim [unclear]*

*Michael H. [unclear]*

Executive Director

//s//Frank E. Landis

//s//Mary Ridder