

SECRETARY'S RECORD, NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the)	APPLICATION NO. LR-234
Prescription of Reasonable Rates)	
and Charges for Motor Carriers)	GRANTED ON AN EMERGENCY
Passengers and Property for Hire)	BASIS
subject to the Provisions of)	
Neb. Rev. Stat. (Reissue 1996),)	ENTERED: MAY 14, 2002
Chapter 75, Articles 1 and 3.		

BY THE COMMISSION:

OPINION AND FINDINGS

On May 1, 2002, Tim Whitney, dba Tri-City Limousine Service, Kearney, Nebraska, filed an application for authority to establish rates for its use as follows:

Description (See Notes 1 and 2)	Proposed Rate
Standard limousine service	\$70/hour
Note 1: Subject to a one-hour minimum charge Sunday through Thursday.	
Note 2: Subject to a two-hour minimum charge Friday and Saturday.	

Emergency action is requested.

Applicant is a certificated common carrier which holds Certificate B-1567. The Certificate authorizes the transportation of passengers in Nebraska intrastate commerce to provide limousine service in luxury or stretch limousines between points in Buffalo County and between points in said county on the one hand and on the other hand points in Nebraska over irregular routes.

According to the Applicant, the proposed rates are based on projected income and expenses. The proposed rates are necessary to cover the cost of insurance, fuel, and vehicle maintenance. The proposed rates are believed to be sufficient to produce a reasonable profit and still maintain a quality service.

Applicant recently received authority to provide limousine service within its defined area. The proposed rate is competitive with other carriers providing a similar service with like equipment. The application is filed in compliance with Section 75-308 (Rates) and 75-121 (Emergency rate orders), R.R.S. 19096 and the Commission rules.

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Upon consideration of the application and being fully advised in the premises, the Commission is of the opinion and finds that the application should be granted on an emergency basis effective May 17, 2002.

ORDER

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that effective May 17, 2002, Tim Whitney, dba Tri-City Limousine Service, Kearney, Nebraska, be, and it is hereby, authorized to establish rates for its use as follows:

Description (See Notes 1 and 2)	Rate
Standard limousine service	\$70/hour
Note 1: Subject to a one-hour minimum charge Sunday through Thursday.	
Note 2: Subject to a two-hour minimum charge Friday and Saturday.	

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that public notice of this action be published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska pursuant to the provision of Section 75-121, R.R.S. 1996, and the Commission's rules.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 14th day of May, 2002.

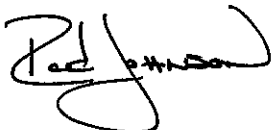
NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:




Chair

ATTEST:




Executive Director

//s//Anne C. Boyle