

SECRETARY'S RECORD, NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the) APPLICATION NO. LR-328
Prescription of Reasonable Rates)
and Charges for Motor Carriers)
Passengers and Property for Hire) GRANTED AS AMENDED ON AN
Subject to the Provisions of) EMERGENCY BASIS
Neb. Rev. Stat. (Reissue 2003),)
Chapter 75, Articles 1 and 3.)
) ENTERED: APRIL 10, 2012

BY THE COMMISSION:

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

On April 2, 2012, Tailored Dreams Limousine and Sedan Services, Lincoln, Nebraska filed an application for authority to establish its limousine rates for its use, and subsequently amended the application to the following:

<u>Description</u>	<u>Rates</u>
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Wedding, Anniversaries, Birthdays:

	<u>1 Hour</u>	<u>1½ Hour</u>	<u>2 hours</u>
2000 Ford Excursion	\$450.00	\$500.00	\$550.00

Surcharge:

Gasoline over \$4.50/gal	\$45.00	\$50.00	\$55.00
Gasoline over \$5.00/gal	\$90.00	\$100.00	\$110.00

Standard Rates:

	<u>2 hrs</u>	<u>3 hrs</u>	<u>4 hrs</u>	<u>5 hrs</u>	<u>6 hrs</u>
2000 Ford Excursion:	\$425	\$525	\$625	\$725	\$825

Surcharge:

Gasoline over \$4.50/gal	\$42	\$52	\$62	\$72	\$82
Gasoline over \$5.00/gal	\$84	\$104	\$124	\$144	\$164

Each hour over 6	\$100.00
Wait Time per hour	\$ 50.00
Split time 4 hour (1-1)	\$550.00
Split time 6 hour (2-2)	\$750.00

Add pop/water per run	\$25.00
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Distance Fuel Surcharge:

40 miles or over from Lincoln	\$70.00
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Fuel Surcharge Increase:

Price of gasoline under \$4.00/gallon	\$70.00
Price of Gasoline \$4.00 to \$4.50/gallon	\$77.00
Price of Gasoline \$4.50 to \$5.00/gallon	\$84.00
Over \$5.00 per gallon:	10% for every \$0.50/gallon increase

Friends/Family/Employee Discount-	40% off
Advertisement Specials-	10-50% off

Emergency action is requested.

The Applicant is a certificated common carrier which holds Certificate B-1799, which reads as follows:

SERVICE AND TERRITORY AUTHORIZED: COMMON: Transportation of passengers in limousine service by luxury or stretch limousine, sedans, and SUVs within 150 mile radius of Lincoln, Nebraska, between points within such radius 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.

The Applicant received authority to operate under B-1799 on March 6, 2012. This application is a request to establish the rates for use in its new service.

Applicant represents to the Commission that the proposed amended rates are based upon anticipated expenses in vehicle maintenance, fuel expenses, insurance premiums, advertising, and other overhead charges. The rates are competitive with similar rates charged by other services for these types of vehicles.

The Applicant amended the proposed rates after consultation with Commission staff. The original proposal was to increase the base rates charged by fifteen percent if the price of gasoline reached certain set levels. After discussion with staff, the Applicant reduced the proposed increases to ten percent and set the amount as a surcharge rather than rolling the increase into the rates. This creates a more accurate description of the rates and how they are charged than the original proposal was set out.

In applications such as these, the Commission must find that an emergency situation exists. Such a situation exists in this application as the Applicant cannot begin operations under its certificate as granted until the rates are approved.

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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 as amended and modified on an emergency basis effective April 13, 2012.

O R D E R

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that effective April 13, 2012, Tailored Dreams Limousine and Sedan Service, Lincoln, Nebraska, be, and it is hereby, authorized to establish limousine rates for its use as follows:

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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 provisions of Section 75-121, R.R.S. 2011, and the Commission's rules.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 10th day of April, 2012.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Tim Schram

Chairman

Anne Boyle

ATTEST:

Frank Landis

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Executive Director

//s// Rod Johnson
//s// Frank Landis