

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application of ) APPLICATION NO. M-14153  
 Chet's Transfer, Inc., Lincoln, )  
 seeking to acquire, through transfer, )  
 the authority as a common carrier ) TEMPORARY AUTHORITY  
 in Nebraska intrastate commerce ) GRANTED  
 granted to Merlyn Bice dba Chet's )  
 Transfer in Certificate M-12577. )  
 ) ENTERED: JUNE 16, 1998  
 )

BY THE COMMISSION:

OPINION AND FINDINGS

By application filed June 3, 1998, Chet's Transfer, Inc., Lincoln, Nebraska, hereinafter referred to as applicant, seeks approval of the acquisition of the operating rights and authority granted to Merlyn Bice dba Chet's Transfer in Certificate M-12577 which authorizes:

SERVICE AND TERRITORY AUTHORIZED:

Household goods between points and places within a 20-mile radius of Lincoln, and between points and places in said radial area on the one hand, and, on the other hand, points and places within a 300-mile radius of Lincoln over irregular routes.

In its application, applicant further requested that this Commission grant temporary approval to the applicant of a lease of the motor carrier properties and the certificate sought to be acquired by it. Notice of such request for temporary authority was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on June 4, 1998, pursuant to the rules and regulations of this Commission.

It appears that failure to grant temporary approval may result in destruction of or injury to such motor carrier property and the certificate sought to be acquired, or interfere substantially with their future usefulness in the performance of adequate and continuous service to the public.

Such temporary approval should be granted for ninety (90) days from the effective date of this Order pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat., Section 75-319, (Reissue 1996).

O R D E R

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that the application for approval of a lease of the motor carrier properties and the certificate sought to be acquired by Chet's Transfer, Inc., Lincoln, Nebraska, be, and it is hereby, granted to the applicant for ninety (90) days from the effective date of this Order.

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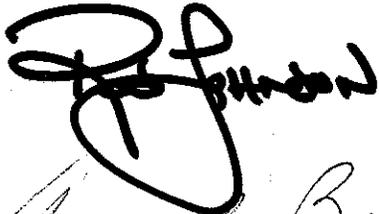
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IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that transportation service rendered under such temporary authority shall be subject to the provisions of Neb. Rev. Stat., Sections 75-101 to 75-801, (Reissue 1996), and to the rules, regulations and requirements of the Commission; such grant of temporary authority and the operations thereunder shall not be admissible in evidence to establish or prove present or future public convenience and necessity; and no renewal or extension of the period of ninety (90) days shall be granted.

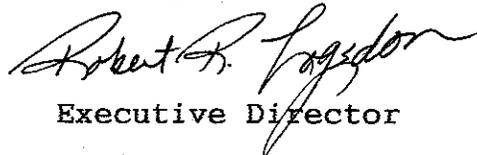
MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 9th day of June, 1998.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

  
Chairman

ATTEST:

  
Executive Director

//s//Lowell C. Johnson  
//s//Frank E. Landis