

Passenger Transportation Bulletin

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The *Passenger Transportation Bulletin* is published weekly on the web site of the Passenger Transportation Board. Printed copies are available directly from the Passenger Transportation Board at the address above.

The *PT Bulletin* gives notice of the applications for special authorization that have been received by the Board, the determinations the Board makes on those applications, as well as appeals from enforcement orders of the Registrar of Passenger Transportation. Board Advisories may also be published in the *PT Bulletin* to update the public and commercial passenger transportation industry of Board initiatives and rules.

Part 1: Applications Received

Applications in which special authorization is sought are published in Part 1 of the *PT Bulletin*. To see a more detailed summary of the application, click on the application number.

Application	Applicant	Brief Summary of Application	Deadline for Submissions
508-04	Goldpan City Stagelines Inc. Quesnel BC	To amend existing License <ul style="list-style-type: none">To amend originating Service 1 adding License Districts 16 and 20Amend destination area in Service 4 by deleting reference to License Districts 11,12,21 & 22 and adding any point in BC or beyond the British Columbia border when engaged in an extra-provincial undertaking.	September 30, 2004
534-04	Newlands Golf & Country Club Ltd. dba Newlands Limousine Langley BC	Application for New Passenger Transportation Licence with Special Authorization: To operate as a Passenger Directed Vehicle: <ul style="list-style-type: none">In License Districts 14, 14A and 15 with a fleet of 2 vehicles that can accommodate a driver and not less than 10 passengers	September 30, 2004
593-04	MTL Limousine Service Inc. Vancouver BC	Application for New Passenger Transportation Licence with Special Authorization: <ul style="list-style-type: none">New special authorization to operate in Vancouver with a fleet of 3 vehicles that can accommodate a driver and not less than 6 and not more 10 passengers.	September 30, 2004

Submissions:

Any person may make a submission on an application to the Passenger Transportation Board. All submissions must be:

- in writing
- accompanied by a \$50 fee (cheques payable to the Minister of Finance)
- received at the Passenger Transportation Board office in Victoria by 4:30 p.m. within 15 days of the date the application is published.

The Passenger Transportation Act requires the Board to consider applications in light of the following considerations:

- whether there is a public need for the service the applicant proposes to provide under any special authorization;*
- whether the applicant is a fit and proper person to provide that service and is capable of providing that service; and*
- whether the application, if granted, would promote sound economic conditions in the passenger transportation business in British Columbia.*

The Board will give more weight to submissions that relate to the above considerations. Submissions considered by the Board are forwarded to the applicant who may, within 10 days of the date sent by the Board, reply by providing comments to the Board.

Part 2: Application Decisions

Board decisions on applications for special authorization are published in Part 2 of the *PT Bulletin*. To see a more detailed summary of the application, click on the application number.

Application	Applicant	Brief Summary of Application	Decision
494-04 (T495-04)	V-Star Limousine & Coach Service Inc. Surrey BC	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Transfer of Licence• Amendment of Licence• Change of Rates	Approved Refused Refused
1388-04 (amended).	Universal Coach Line Ltd. Delta BC	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Include "Clause 1" of License in Special Authorization	Approved
959-04	KEMPPAINEN, Robert Joseph dba R.J.K's Limousine Penticton BC	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• New Special Authorization	Approved
1281-04	Canada West Coachline Ltd. Kamloops BC	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Expedited Application	Approved
1344-04	Gemini & Libra Pre-Owned Auto Sales Ltd. dba Gemini & Libra Taxi Co. 100 Mile House BC	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Expedited Application	Approved
1342-04	McCullough Coach Lines Ltd. Victoria BC	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Expedited Application	Approved

Part 3: Hearing Notices

None

Part 4: Appeal Determinations

None

Part 5: Decisions Whether Application for General Authorization Requires Special Authorization

Application	Applicant	Summary of Board Determination
522-04	Islandlink Bus Services Ltd	<p>The application is for a Comox Airport airporter service from Nanaimo, Parksville, Qualicum Beach and Buckley Bay (Denman and Hornby Islands). This service will be operated on a reservation only basis. If no reservations are made on a particular day, IslandLink Bus Services Ltd. will not go to Comox Airport.</p> <p>The airporter will not run on a scheduled basis or be advertised as a scheduled service. Availability is dependent on flights and reservations. However, as WestJet currently provides a daily service, it may be that some pick up times are regular. For operational purposes, the applicant has developed an internal schedule that staff can use to advise customers of pick up times. This internal schedule is not for publication and is subject to change regularly depending on flight arrivals and departures.</p>