

Passenger
Transportation Board
Bulletin

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The *Passenger Transportation Board 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 Board 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 Board 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 Board Bulletin*. To see a more detailed summary of the application, click on the application number.

Application	Applicant	Brief Summary of Application	Deadline for Submissions
1356-05	WILSON, Ross Lawrence Barriere BC dba High Country Chauffeurs	New Special Authorization - PDV New special authorization to operate passenger directed vehicles with 1 vehicle that can accommodate a driver and 7 passengers. Pick up/drop off locations include Kamloops Airport, Sun Peaks Resort and guest ranches and resorts in the 100 Mile House area.	June 23, 2005
AV288-05	Action Taxi Ltd. Victoria BC	Amendment of Licence Increase maximum fleet size from 16 to 17 vehicles.	June 23, 2005
AV683-05	Courtesy Cabs Ltd. Penticton BC	Amendment of Licence Increase maximum fleet size from 9 to 11 vehicles.	June 23, 2005
T1053-05	MUNDAY, Ricky Kelowna BC dba Rickshaw Errand & Shuttling Service	Change of Rates Proposed amendment in rates that were previously approved or set by the Board to make the business more competitive with airport shuttles; to clarify point to point rates and to add discounts and sales.	June 23, 2005
973-05	BECKETT, Lorne & NICKOLIC, Lance Vernon BC dba Image Limousine	New Special Authorization – PDV Proposed new special authorization to operate passenger directed vehicles in the cities of Vernon and Kelowna with a maximum fleet size of 1 limousine that accommodates a driver and 8 passengers.	June 23, 2005

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 (payable only by cheque or money order 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:

- (a) whether there is a public need for the service the applicant proposes to provide under any special authorization;*
- (b) whether the applicant is a fit and proper person to provide that service and is capable of providing that service; and*
- (c) 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 Board Bulletin*. To see a more detailed summary of the application, click on the application number.

Application	Applicant	Brief Summary of Application	Decision
227-05	632226 BC Ltd. Surrey BC dba Classic Limousine	Expedited Application	Approved
2599-04	ATWATER CABS (1978) LTD. Campbell River BC	Expedited Application	Approved
38-05	PEACH CITY CABS (1985) LTD Penticton BC dba Airport Shuttle	Expedited Application	Approved
AV247-05	CITRA EQUIPMENT LTD. dba Star Taxi	Amendment of Licence Application to expand fleet size from 21 to 26 vehicles	Approved
15-05 TOP	MAC NEIL, Laurel Lyn & Dwayne Sandspit BC dba Sandspit Taxi	Temporary Operating Permit Application Request for 1 Temporary Operating Permit to operate a passenger directed vehicle that accommodates a driver and 7 passengers. Term requested for TOP is 92 days.	Approved
950-05 UPN	QM TRANSPORT LTD. Langley BC	New Special Authorization – Urgent Public Need Request to operate 2 passenger directed vehicles to provide transportation services for Burlington Northern Santa Fe Railway Company employees as per the terms and conditions of a contract between Outsource Administrators Inc. and QM Transport Ltd. The applicant has requested that the Board process this application on the basis of urgent public need.	(a) Claim of urgent public need is confirmed. (b) Application is approved
2488-04	ROMERO, Edgar & BELTRAN, Soraya Vancouver BC dba Amigo International Student Service	New Special Authorization New special authorization to operate a student shuttle service in the cities of Vancouver, North Vancouver and West Vancouver and Vancouver International Airport with a fleet of 1 vehicle that can accommodate a driver and not more than 6 passengers.	Approved
2545-04	Victoria Tours Ltd. Victoria BC	Expedited Application – Correction	

Part 3: Hearing Notices

The complete hearing notice can be obtained by clicking on the link for the hearing notice. A summary of the application, as published on a previous date, can be viewed by clicking on the application number.

Application	Applicant	Hearing Information	Deadline for Submissions
419-05	JAQUES, Richard Edward Duncan BC dba Cowichan Mini Cabs & Cartage	419-05 Application Hearing Notice Date: Thursday, July 14, 2005 Time: 9:00 a.m. Place: Best Western Cowichan Valley Inn 6474 Trans Canada Highway Duncan BC V9L 6C6	June 29, 2005
2469-04	PRAKASH, Devendra Ladysmith, BC dba Ladysmith Taxi & Limousine	2469-04 Application Hearing Notice Date: Friday, July 15, 2005 Time: 9:00 a.m. Place: Aggie Hall 1110 1 st Avenue Ladysmith, BC V9G 1A2	June 29 , 2005

Submissions for Application Hearings:

Any person, including those who may have made a previous submission or objection, wishing to make a submission at this hearing must follow the steps below.

Any person wishing to make a submission, within 21 days of the date that this notice is published in the PT Board Bulletin:

- ♦ *pay to the board a fee of \$50 and*
- ♦ *provide to the board and applicant a written summary of the assertions and evidence that the submitter intends to present at a hearing*
- ♦ *provide proof of service documents referred to in subparagraph (b) above, at the request of the board.*

If the board does not receive any requests for submissions, the board may order that an oral hearing be discontinued, and conducted via another means, such as in writing or by teleconference.

The Board may hold a pre-hearing conference into the application and may determine the date and time of such a conference.

The Board will provide the applicant and submitters with more information about hearing processes, once all submitters have been identified.

Part 4: Appeal Decisions

None

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

None

Part 6: Taxi Cost Index (TCI) Requests

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