

Passenger Transportation Board

Weekly Bulletin

Wednesday, January 8, 2020

The *Weekly Bulletin* is published by the Passenger Transportation Board to give public notice of:

- applications, decisions, hearings and other matters relating to applications for special authorization to operate taxis, limousines, other passenger directed vehicles and inter-city buses
- Board decisions on appeals of administrative penalties imposed by the Registrar of Passenger Transportation
- various policy and information updates for the commercial passenger transportation industry



1 Industry Updates & Advisories

Board Modifies Process for Ride-Hail Applications

Board modifications to its ride-hail (TNS) application process enable submitters to review and comment to the Board on applicant responses to original submissions, as well as the application package itself. See [Industry Advisory of October 30, 2019](#).

App Requirements for Taxis, Limo & Other PDVAs

The Board updated apps requirements for taxis, limousines and other licensees with a Passenger Directed Vehicle Authorization. Requirements are posted on the [apps webpage](#) and take effect September 25, 2019.

Minimum Rates for TNSs

The Board published a TNS Minimum Rates Rule on its [TNS \(ride-hailing\) webpage](#).

“Extra” Weekly Bulletins

As needed, the Board may publish extra editions of the Weekly Bulletin, either on a Friday or a Monday. This is in addition to editions that are published on Wednesdays.

Updated “PT” Legislation & Regulation is Now Online

The [BC Laws website](#) has updated online copies of the [Passenger Transportation Act](#) and [Passenger Transportation Regulation](#) to include amendments that came into force in September 2019.

2 Applications Received

[CLICK HERE](#) for information about making a submission on an application, deadlines and \$50 submission fees.

Application	Applicant & Application Highlights	Submission Deadline
<p>7045-19</p> <p>CLICK HERE to view application summary</p>	<p>Raymond Robert Douglas GROH Trade Name: Luxride New PDVA (Limo)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>New Special Authorization:</i> Passenger Directed Vehicle Authorization (PDVA) • <i>Originating Area:</i> Capital Regional District • <i>Fleet Maximum:</i> 1 large limousine (6-11 passengers plus driver) • <i>Rates:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Board rule, <i>Minimum-Maximum Rates and Standard Rules for Limousines in BC</i>, is applicable. • Other hourly rates are proposed. 	<p>January 20, 2020</p>
<p>7204-19</p> <p>CLICK HERE to view application summary</p>	<p>Transfer to: Oceanside Taxi Ltd. Transfer from: Jatinder Singh GILL Trade Name: Oceanside Taxi Transfer of Licence (Taxi)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Licence Originating Area:</i> Qualicum Beach & Parksville area • <i>Application:</i> Proposed transfer of passenger transportation licence with Special Authorization: Passenger Directed Vehicle (PDVA) from Jatinder Singh Gill to Oceanside Taxi Ltd. • This is an administrative transfer application 	<p>January 16, 2020</p>
<p>7057-19</p> <p>CLICK HERE to view application summary</p>	<p>Golden Cabs BC Ltd. Trade Name: Golden Cabs Current Originating Area: Dawson Creek Amendment of Licence: PDVA (Taxi)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Add:</i> 5 conventional taxis to increase fleet maximum from 13 to 18 taxis (including 1 accessible taxi). 	<p>January 20, 2020</p>

3 Application Decisions

Application	Applicant & Application Highlights	Decision
6126-19	<p>A.C. Taxi Ltd. <i>Licensee's originating area: Nanaimo</i></p> <p>Amendment of Licence – (Taxi)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Application to change the Terms of Conditions of Licence to convert one accessible taxi licence to a conventional licence. • The new maximum fleet size will be 52 vehicles of which 47 will be conventional taxis. 	<p>approved in part</p> <p>CLICK HERE to view decision</p>
7952-19 PSTOP	<p>Innotec Enterprises Inc. Trade name: L. A. Limousines</p> <p>Peak Season Temporary Operating Permit (Limousine)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 Peak Season Temporary Operating Permit for 30 days (December 14, 2019 – January 12, 2020) 	<p>approved</p> <p>CLICK HERE to view decision</p>
8040-19 TOP	<p>Cold Comforts Lodgings Ltd. Trade name: Cold Comfort</p> <p>Temporary Operating Permit (PDV)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 temporary operating permit from December 23, 2019 to March 21, 2020 	<p>approved</p> <p>CLICK HERE to view decision</p>
8104-19 TOP	<p>Whistler Eco Tours Ltd. Trade name: Whistler Executive Transportation; Whistler Eco Tours</p> <p>Temporary Operating Permit (PDV)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 temporary operating permit from January 1, 2020 to January 30, 2020 	<p>approved</p> <p>CLICK HERE to view decision</p>
8150-19 PSTOP	<p>RDY Enterprises Ltd. Trade name: Enchanted Limo</p> <p>Peak Season Temporary Operating Permit (Limousine)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 Temporary Operating Permit for 92 days from January 1, 2020 – April 1, 2020 	<p>approved</p> <p>CLICK HERE to view decision</p>

4 Hearing Notices

None

5 Other Matters

None