

**BEFORE THE WASHINGTON
UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION
1-360-664-1222**

In re Application of)	
)	DOCKET TC-151181
NORTHWEST SMOKING &)	
CURING, INC.,)	ORDER 01
d/b/a SEATAC DIRECT,)	
)	ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION
for extension of service under)	
passenger transportation company)	
certificate C-65454.)	
.....)	

1 On June 4, 2015, Northwest Smoking & Curing, Inc., d/b/a SeaTac Direct, (SeaTac Direct), filed an application with the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) in accordance with RCW 81.68 requesting extension of service under passenger transportation company certificate C-65454 to provide the following service:

PASSENGER SERVICE DOOR-TO-DOOR, BY RESERVATION ONLY, between Best Western Plus Lakeway Inn in Bellingham, WA and Paine Field in Everett, WA.

No passengers may be picked up between the point in Bellingham to Paine Field in Everett.

2 The application appeared on the June 8, 2015 application docket. The application was unopposed.

3 In support of the request to extend its authority, SeaTac Direct provided several letters from members of the public who live in the communities involved. Their letters indicate a need for service that is currently not served on the route.

4 The Commission, having considered the application and being fully advised, finds that SeaTac Direct is fit, willing, and able to provide the proposed service and that the proposed service is necessary and will be a convenience to the public.

5 After reviewing the evidence submitted and due to the fact that no service of this nature is presently available over this route, the Commission will issue the requested authority.

ORDER

THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

- 6 (1) The application filed by Northwest Smoking & Curing, Inc., d/b/a SeaTac Direct, in Docket TC-151181, is granted, conditioned upon compliance with the laws and rules governing passenger transportation companies, and that passenger transportation company certificate C-65454 is amended to read as follows:

PASSENGER SERVICE DOOR-TO-DOOR, BY RESERVATION ONLY, between Best Western Plus Lakeway Inn in Bellingham, WA and Paine Field in Everett, WA.

No passengers may be picked up between the point in Bellingham to Paine Field in Everett.

PASSENGER SERVICE DOOR-TO-DOOR, BY RESERVATION ONLY, within Bellingham city limits and Best Western Plus Lakeway Inn.

Limitation: All door-to-door passenger service between points in Bellingham Washington must connect with transportation between the Best Western Plus Lakeway Inn and SeaTac international Airport. Passenger transportation between locations within the City of Bellingham without continued travel to or from SeaTac International Airport is prohibited.

SCHEDULED PASSENGER SERVICE BETWEEN: Closed door service between BestWestern Plus Lakeway Inn in Bellingham to SeaTac International Airport.

- 7 (2) The tariff and time schedule filed in connection with this application will become effective at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the service date of this Order.

The Commission has delegated authority to the Secretary to enter this Order under RCW 80.01.030 and WAC 480-07-905(6)(a).

DATED at Olympia, Washington and effective July 13, 2015.

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

STEVEN V. KING
Executive Director and Secretary

NOTICE: This is an order delegated to the Secretary for decision. In addition to serving you a copy of the decision, the Commission will post on its Internet Web site for at least 14 days a listing of all matters delegated to the Secretary for decision. You may seek Commission review of this decision. You must file a request for Commission review of this order no later than fourteen (14) days after the date the decision is posted on the Commission's Web site.

The Commission will schedule your request for review by issuing a notice of hearing to be held before an administrative law judge. The Commission, at its discretion, may consider your request for review in an adjudicative proceeding under RCW 34.05 Part IV, or in a brief adjudicative proceeding under RCW 34.05.482 through .494. Following hearing, the administrative law judge will enter an initial order. If you wish to seek review of the initial order, you may file a petition for administrative review under RCW 34.05.464, or if the matter is heard in a brief adjudicative proceeding, under RCW 34.05.491.

The Commission will grant a late-filed request for review only on a showing of good cause, including a satisfactory explanation of why the person did not timely file the request. A form for late-filed requests is available on the Commission's Web site.

This notice and review process is pursuant to the provisions of RCW 80.01.030 and WAC 480-07-904(2) and (3), and WAC 480-07-905, as amended effective September 22, 2008.