

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

PROCEEDING NO. 23A-0078CP

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF PURPLE MOUNTAIN TOUR COMPANY LLC
FOR A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO OPERATE AS A
COMMON CARRIER BY MOTOR VEHICLE FOR HIRE.

**COMMISSION DECISION DENYING MOTION FOR
EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE
COMPLIANCE DOCUMENTS AS MOOT**

Mailed Date: May 6, 2024

Adopted Date: May 1, 2024

I. BY THE COMMISSION

A. Statement, Findings, and Conclusions

1. By this Decision, the Commission denies the Motion for Extension of Time (Motion), filed by Purple Mountain Tour Company, LLC (Purple Mountain) on April 10, 2024.

2. Through the Motion, Purple Mountain requests an extension of time to complete compliance filings ordered in Recommended Decision No. R24-0036, issued January 19, 2024, by Administrative Law Judge Melody Mirbaba (Recommended Decision). The Recommended Decision conditionally granted Purple Mountain's application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Operate as a Common Carrier of Passengers by Motor Vehicle.¹ Prior to commencing operations, Purple Mountain is required to file certain compliance documents with the Commission including proof of insurance or a surety bond, a motor vehicle fee for each vehicle to be operated under the granted authority, an effective tariff, and the applicable

¹ See Recommended Decision No. R24-0036, Ordering ¶ 3.

issuance fee.² The Recommended Decision states that Purple Mountain must submit these compliance filings within 60 days of the effective date of the Recommended Decision.³

3. The Recommended Decision is effective on the day it becomes the Decision of the Commission.⁴ The Commission adopted the Recommended Decision on April 29, 2024.⁵ The 60-day filing timeline began to run on that date and it expires on June 28, 2024.

4. Purple Mountain's Motion asks that the Commission extend the compliance filings submission deadline to April 30, 2024. Because Purple Mountain has until June 28, 2024 – 60 days after April 29, 2024 – to submit its compliance filings, its Motion is moot, and we deny it as such.

II. ORDER

A. The Commission Orders That:

1. The Motion for Extension of Time (Motion), filed by Purple Mountain Tour Company, LLC on April 5, 2024, is denied as moot, consistent with the discussion above.

² *Id* at Ordering ¶ 5.

³ *Id* at Ordering ¶ 6.

⁴ *Id* at Ordering ¶ 9.

⁵ *See* Decision No. C24-0280.

2. This Decision is effective upon its Mailed Date.

**B. ADOPTED IN COMMISSIONERS' WEEKLY MEETING
May 1, 2024.**

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Rebecca E. White,
Director

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