Decision No. C20-0279

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

PROCEEDING NO. 20A-0006CP

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF LAWSON ADVENTURE PARK & RESORT, LLC DOING BUSINESS AS LAWSON ADVENTURE RESORT FOR A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO OPERATE AS A COMMON CARRIER BY MOTOR VEHICLE FOR HIRE.

COMMISSION DECISION GRANTING EXTENSION OF TIME

Mailed Date: April 22, 2020 Adopted Date: April 15, 2020

I. <u>BY THE COMMISSION</u>

A. Statement, Findings, and Conclusions

1. This matter comes before the Commission for consideration of a filing submitted on April 8, 2020, by Lawson Adventure Park & Resort LLC, doing business as Lawson Adventure Resort (Applicant), requesting that the Commission grant an additional 60 days to comply with the terms of Decision No. C20-0124 (Decision).

2. On January 7, 2020, Applicant filed an application for new permanent authority to operate as a common carrier of passengers by motor vehicle for hire.

3. The Commission noticed the application to all interested persons, firms, and corporations pursuant to § 40-6-108(2), C.R.S., on January 13, 2020. The proceeding was uncontested; and thus, it was determined without a hearing.

4. On February 25, 2020, the Commission issued the Decision and granted the permanent authority, subject to Applicant's full compliance with the requirements contained in Ordering Paragraph No. 3 of the Decision.

5. Ordering Paragraph No. 3 of the Decision requires Applicant to file proof of insurance; pay the motor vehicle fee and issuance fee; submit an advice letter with tariff and a vehicle inspection report; and, register with the Commission's electronic filing system.

6. The Decision gave Applicant 60 days from its effective date to comply with each of these requirements. However, the Decision also states that for good cause shown, the Commission may grant additional time for compliance if the request for additional time is filed within 60 days of the effective date of the Decision

7. The Decision became effective on February 25, 2020. Hence, Applicant has until April 25, 2020 to comply with the Decision or file a request for additional time.

8. The instant request for additional time was timely filed on April 8, 2020. It explains: "The reason for extension is that due to the COVID-19 situation, we are having a hard time securing our vehicles that we are going to be using for our PUC license."

9. The Commission concludes that good cause exists to extend the time for compliance with the requirements of the Decision for an additional 60 days from the original deadline.

II. ORDER

A. The Commission Orders That:

1. The request of Lawson Adventure Park & Resort LLC, doing business as Lawson Adventure Resort, filed on April 8, 2020, that the Commission grant an additional 60 days for it to complete the requirements set forth in Decision No. C20-0124 is granted.

2. Lawson Adventure Park & Resort LLC, doing business as Lawson Adventure Resort, is granted until June 24, 2020 to complete the requirements set forth in Decision No. C20-0124.

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3. The 20-day time period provided by § 40-6-114(1), C.R.S., to file an application

for rehearing, reargument, or reconsideration shall begin on the first day after the Commission mails or serves this Decision.

- 4. This Decision is effective on its Mailed Date.
- B. ADOPTED IN COMMISSIONERS' WEEKLY MEETING April 15, 2020.





ATTEST: A TRUE COPY

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