Decision No. C23-0261

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

PROCEEDING NO. 22A-0215CP

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF GREEN JEEP TOURS, LLC FOR A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO OPERATE AS A COMMON CARRIER BY MOTOR VEHICLE FOR HIRE.

PROCEEDING NO. 22A-0310CP

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF WILD SIDE 4 X 4 TOURS LLC, 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 20, 2023 Adopted Date: April 19, 2023

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

A. Statement, Findings, and Conclusions

- 1. This matter comes before the Commission for consideration of a motion submitted on April 10, 2023, by Green Jeep Tours, LLC (Applicant), requesting that the Commission grant a 20-day extension to comply with the terms of Decision No. R23-0051 (Decision).
- 2. On May 23, 2022, Applicant filed an application for permanent authority to operate as a common carrier 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 May 31, 2022. Interventions were filed and the proceeding was referred to an Administrative Law Judge (ALJ).
- 4. On January 20, 2023, the ALJ issued the Decision and granted the permanent authority, subject to Applicant's full compliance with the requirements contained in Ordering Paragraph No. 7 of the Decision.
- 5. Ordering Paragraph No. 7 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 vehicle inspection; 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. 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. On April 10, 2023, Applicant timely filed the instant request for "a 20 day extension to and including April 30, 2023, in which to complete compliance." Applicant explains the following:
 - This application constitutes Applicant's first grant of a certificate of public convenience and necessity. Thus, Applicant is unfamiliar with the compliance requirements. Prior to Covid 19, applicants could reach out to the PUC in person to obtain help in meeting compliance requirements. For example, Decision R23-0051 orders Applicant to pay an issuance fee but does not tell Applicant how much the fee is and how it can be paid. These issues has perplexed Applicant who finds that it needs additional time to effect compliance.
- 8. The Commission concludes that good cause exists to grant Applicant's request for a 20-day extension to comply with the Decision.

PROCEEDING NOS. 22A-0215CP & 22A-0310CP

II. ORDER

A. The Commission Orders That:

- 1. The motion filed by Green Jeep Tours, LLC on April 10, 2023, requesting that the Commission grant a 20-day extension to complete the requirements set forth in Decision No. R23-0051, is granted.
- 2. Green Jeep Tours, LLC is granted 20 days from the Mailed Date of this Decision to comply with the requirements set forth in Decision No. R23-0051.
- 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 19, 2023.

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