

(Decision No. C96-132)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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THE APPLICATION OF JONES )  
TRANSIT, INC., DOING BUSINESS AS )  
KIDS KAB, FOR TEMPORARY ) DOCKET NO. 96A-019CP-TA  
AUTHORITY TO CONDUCT OPERATIONS )  
AS A COMMON CARRIER BY MOTOR )  
VEHICLE FOR HIRE. )

**COMMISSION ORDER GRANTING  
TEMPORARY AUTHORITY**

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Mailed date: February 6, 1996  
Adopted date: January 31, 1996  
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**I. BY THE COMMISSION:**

**A. Statement, Findings, and Conclusion**

1. On January 8, 1996, Jones Transit, Inc., doing business as Kids Kab, filed an application (Docket No. 96A-019CP-TA) for temporary authority to conduct operations as a common carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of passengers and their baggage, in call-and-demand limousine service, between all points in the County of Larimer, State of Colorado. This application is restricted as follows: (1) against providing service which originates and terminates within the

City Limits of Fort Collins, Colorado; and (2) against transporting passengers between 18 and 65 years of age.

2.The Commission gave notice of the application on January 22, 1996.

No interventions opposing a grant of the application were filed.

3.By § 40-6-120, C.R.S., the application for temporary authority is under consideration for a Commission order.

4.Pursuant to § 40-6-120(1), C.R.S., the Commission is authorized to grant temporary authority when there appears to be an immediate and urgent need to any point or within a territory having no carrier service capable of meeting such need.

5.The support filed on behalf of this application indicates that there is a growing and unmet need for safe, reliable transportation services dedicated to children. The need for this service is both immediate and beyond the realm of service authorized under the statutory exemption for transporting children to and from school and school related activities.

6.The Commission finds that there is an immediate and urgent need for additional transportation services.

7.The Applicant has adequate equipment and financial resources to begin immediate service within the scope of the authority sought and is willing, ready, and able to

operate under all Commission rules and regulations governing carriers by motor vehicle.

8.This application for temporary authority is in the public interest and should be granted.

9.The Applicant is advised that the granting of a temporary authority makes no presumption that permanent authority will be granted.

## **II.ORDER**

### **A.The Commission Orders That:**

1.Jones Transit, Inc., doing business as Kids Kab, is granted temporary authority to conduct operations as a common carrier by motor vehicle for hire for a period of 180 days commencing from the Mailed Date of this Order, with authority as set forth in the attached Appendix.

2.Jones Transit, Inc., doing business as Kids Kab, shall not commence operations until all requirements have been met and notice in writing has been received from the Commission that the Applicant is in compliance and may begin service. If the Applicant does not comply with the requirements of this ordering paragraph within 30 days of the effective date of this Order, then ordering paragraph 1 above, which grants authority to the Applicant, shall be void, and the authority granted shall then be void. On good cause shown, the Commission may grant additional

time for compliance, if the request for additional time is filed within the 30 days.

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.  
**B.** This Order is effective on its Mailed Date.

ADOPTED IN OPEN MEETING January 31, 1996.

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ATTEST: A TRUE COPY

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

ROBERT J. HIX

Bruce N. Smith  
Director

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VINCENT MAJKOWSKI

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Commissioners

COMMISSIONER CHRISTINE E.M. ALVAREZ  
ABSENT.

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Transportation of

passengers and their baggage, in call-and-demand limousine service,  
between all points in the County of Larimer, State of Colorado.

This **TEMPORARY AUTHORITY** is restricted as follows:

- (A) against providing service which originates and terminates within  
the City Limits of Fort Collins, Colorado; and
- (B) against transporting passengers between 18 and 65 years of age.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

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I, Bruce N. Smith, Director of The Public Utilities Commission of the State of Colorado, certify that I served a true and correct copy of the above Commission Decision -- entered in the above numbered matter of record -- upon each of the persons whose names and addresses appear below, by mailing the same in sealed envelopes properly addressed, with sufficient postage prepaid to carry the same to its destination on the date noted on this certificate at Denver, Colorado.

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dba Kids Kab  
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THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION  
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BRUCE N. SMITH  
DIRECTOR