Decision No. C04-0117

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

DOCKET NO. 03A-537CP

THE APPLICATION OF SUMMIT SHUTTLE, LLC, FOR AUTHORITY TO CONDUCT OPERATIONS AS A COMMON CARRIER BY MOTOR VEHICLE FOR HIRE.

COMMISSION ORDER GRANTING PERMANENT AUTHORITY

Mailed Date: February 4, 2004

Adopted Date: February 4, 2004

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

A. Statement, Findings and Conclusions

1. On December 11, 2003, Summit Shuttle, LLC (Summit Shuttle) filed an

application for permanent 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 and

charter service, between all points within the city limits of Fort Collins, Colorado, on the one

hand, and (I) the Arapahoe Basin Ski Area, 28194 U. S. Highway 6, Summit County, Colorado;

(II) all points within a 5-mile radius of the intersection of Colorado Highway 9 and Washington

Avenue, Breckenridge, Colorado; (III) all points within a 5-mile radius of the intersection of I-70

and Colorado Highway 91, Copper Mountain, Colorado; and (IV) all points within a 5-mile

radius of the intersection of Saint Johns Road and U. S. Highway 6, Keystone, Colorado, on the

other hand.

2. The Commission noticed this application to all interested persons, firms, and

corporations pursuant to § 40-6-108(2), C.R.S., on December 29, 2003. The Commission set this

matter for hearing on March 3, 2004.

- 3. No petition to intervene or otherwise participate in this proceeding has been filed. This proceeding is uncontested. Under § 40-6-109(5), C.R.S., this matter may be determined without a hearing.
- 4. The information submitted with this application warrants granting the requested authority.
- 5. The present or future public convenience and necessity requires, or will require, the transportation service as requested.
- 6. Summit Shuttle is ready, willing, and able properly to perform the service as requested.
 - 7. This application for permanent authority is in the public interest.

II. ORDER

A. The Commission Orders That:

- 1. The hearing set for March 3, 2004, is vacated.
- 2. This application was deemed complete on February 4, 2004, within the meaning of § 40-6-109.5, C.R.S.
- 3. Summit Shuttle is granted a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to operate as a common carrier by motor vehicle for hire with authority as set forth in the Appendix. This Order is a CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY.
- 4. Summit Shuttle shall operate in accordance with all applicable Commission rules and regulations.

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5. Summit Shuttle shall cause to be filed with the Commission certificates of insurance as required by Commission rules. Summit Shuttle shall file a proper tariff and pay the issuance fee and appropriate annual vehicle identification fee. Summit Shuttle may not begin operations until these requirements have been met and it has received notice in writing from the Commission stating it is compliance and may begin service.

- 6. If Summit Shuttle does not comply with the requirements of this Order within 60 days of its effective date, then the authority to conduct operations shall be void. For good cause shown, the Commission may grant additional time for compliance if the request for additional time is filed within the 60 days.
- 7. 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 Order.

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8. This Order is effective immediately on its Mailed Date.

B. ADOPTED IN THE COMMISSIONERS' WEEKLY MEETING February 4, 2004.

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ATTEST: A TRUE COPY

Bruce N. Smith
Director

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