

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

DOCKET NO. 04L-142CP

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF SAN MIGUEL VENTURES, LLC. DOING BUSINESS AS TELLURIDE EXPRESS FOR THE AUTHORITY TO PUBLISH PASSENGER TIME SCHEDULE NUMBER 7, TO BECOME EFFECTIVE ON LESS-THAN-STATUTORY NOTICE.

**COMMISSION ORDER GRANTING TIME SCHEDULE
CHANGES ON LESS-THAN-STATUTORY NOTICE**

Mailed Date: April 2, 2004
Adopted Date: March 31, 2004

I. BY THE COMMISSION:

A. Statement

1. On March 25, 2004, San Miguel Ventures, LLC., doing business as Telluride Express (Telluride Express), filed an application for an order of the Commission authorizing the publication of Passenger Time Schedule No. 7 to become effective on less-than-statutory notice. Telluride Express provides scheduled service between Telluride, Colorado and Montrose, Colorado.

2. Passenger Time Schedule No. 7 proposes to change the schedule for transportation of passengers between Montrose Airport and Telluride, Colorado.

3. Telluride Express states that granting its request to have Passenger Time Schedule No. 7 become effective on less than the required 30 days' notice will allow it to provide service without interruption in response to a change in airline arrival times at Montrose Airport.

4. Granting the proposed time schedule changes on less-than-statutory notice will allow Telluride Express to provide transportation for the passengers without interruption of service.

5. Rule 31(f)(1) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 4 *Code of Colorado Regulations* 723-1, allows an order authorizing carriers to change tariffs or time schedules on less-than-statutory notice for good cause shown.

6. The Commission finds that good cause has been shown for the approval of the proposed changes in Passenger Time Schedule No. 7 and that the application should be granted.

II. ORDER

B. The Commission Orders That:

1. The application by Telluride Express to publish Passenger Time Schedule No. 7 on less-than-statutory notice, is granted.

2. Passenger Time Schedule No. 7 filed on less-than-statutory notice, shall be published on not less than one day's notice to the Commission and the general public.

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 Order.

4. This Order is effective on its Mailed Date.

A. **ADOPTED IN COMMISSIONERS' WEEKLY MEETING
MARCH 31, 2004.**

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