

Passenger Transportation Board Weekly Bulletin

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The [Weekly Bulletin](#) is published online by the Passenger Transportation Board. This publication gives notice of:

- Applications, decisions, hearings and other matters relating to Special Authorization applications to operate taxis, limousines, other passenger directed vehicles, and inter-city buses.
- Board decisions on appeals of administrative penalties imposed by the Registrar of Passenger Transportation
- Various policy and information updates for the commercial passenger transportation industry.



1. Industry Updates & Advisories

Government Announcement

Further to the government announcement regarding “[Modernizing B.C.’s Taxi Industry](#)”, the following link has answers to frequently asked questions. http://www.th.gov.bc.ca/rpt/industry_notices.htm

Safety and Shields in Taxis

Shields may be installed by any taxi company. Board approval is not required. Shields are one of a range of measures that taxi companies and drivers can take to reduce the safety risk of driving a taxi.

2. Applications Received

Application	Applicant	Application Highlights	Submission Deadline
40-17	Smart Ride Transportation Inc. dba Smart Ride Transportation North Vancouver, BC	New Special Authorization -Other PDV <ul style="list-style-type: none">New student transportation service in the City and District of North Vancouver and the District of West Vancouver with 4 vehicles. (2 small 2-5 passenger shuttles and 2 large 6-11 passenger shuttles). Rates <ul style="list-style-type: none">Individual Rates	April 3, 2017

Click here for more information about:

- i. the \$50 submission fee,
- ii. submission deadlines and
- iii. other submission requirements and information

3. Application Decisions

Click the [application number](#) to see the published decision:

Application	Applicant	Application Highlights	Decision
431-16	Presidential Limousines Ltd. Surrey, BC	<p>Additional Vehicles – Limousines</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Perimeter Seating Bus (PSB). The new maximum fleet size would be 3 vehicles (2 sedans and 1 PSB) <p>Amendment of Licence</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Add authority to operate a Perimeter Seating Bus. 	Refused
374-16	Star Coach & Limousine Service Ltd. dba Star Coach Limousine Vancouver, BC	<p>Additional Vehicles – Limousines</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Add 1 6-11 passenger vehicle. The new maximum fleet size would be 22 vehicles. <p>Amendment of Licence</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Add service 4 with regional districts. (Southeastern BC) 	Approved as set out in the decision
15-17	<p>TRANSFER TO: Current Taxi Ltd. dba Current Taxi West Kelowna, BC</p> <p>TRANSFER FROM; CONWAY, Dale Patrick dba Current Taxi West Kelowna, BC</p>	<p>Transfer of Licence – Taxi</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Administrative transfer of passenger transportation licence from CONWAY, Dale Patrick to Current Taxi Ltd. 	Approved
AV389-16	Kimber Cabs Ltd. dba Kimber Cabs Richmond, BC	<p>Additional Vehicles – Taxi – Amendment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Add 6 vehicles. This will increase the maximum fleet size to 28 vehicles (8 conventional and 20 accessible). 	Approved as Amended

4. Hearing Notices

None

5. Other Matters

None