

## Passenger Transportation Board

# Weekly Bulletin

Wednesday February 5, 2020

The *Weekly Bulletin* is published by the Passenger Transportation Board to give public notice of:

- applications, decisions, hearings and other matters relating to applications for special authorization 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

## **Board Modifies Process for Ride-Hail Applications**

Board modifications to its ride-hail (TNS) application process enable submitters to review and comment to the Board on applicant responses to original submissions, as well as the application package itself. See [Industry Advisory of October 30, 2019](#).

## **App Requirements for Taxis, Limo & Other PDVAs**

The Board updated apps requirements for taxis, limousines and other licensees with a Passenger Directed Vehicle Authorization. Requirements are posted on the [apps webpage](#) and take effect September 25, 2019.

## **Minimum Rates for TNSs**

The Board published a TNS Minimum Rates Rule on its [TNS \(ride-hailing\) webpage](#).

## **“Extra” Weekly Bulletins**

As needed, the Board may publish extra editions of the Weekly Bulletin, either on a Friday or a Monday. This is in addition to editions that are published on Wednesdays.

## **Updated “PT” Legislation & Regulation is Now Online**

The [BC Laws website](#) has updated online copies of the [Passenger Transportation Act](#) and [Passenger Transportation Regulation](#) to include amendments that came into force in September 2019.

## 2 Applications Received

[CLICK HERE](#) for information about making a submission on an application, deadlines and \$50 submission fees.

Application	Applicant & Application Highlights	Submission Deadline
<p>7657-19</p> <p><a href="#">CLICK HERE</a> to view application summary</p>	<p><b>BRANDON, Owen Harold and HORSFIELD, William John</b></p> <p><i>Trade Name:</i> Orange Taxi</p> <p><i>Current Originating Area:</i> Sooke, Western Communities, Port Renfrew</p> <p><b>Amendment of Licence: PDVA (Taxi)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Amend Special Authorization:</i> Passenger Directed Vehicle Authorization (PDVA)</li> <li>• <i>Expand Originating Area:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ New Service 1 (CRD on Vancouver Island, and Port Renfrew)</li> <li>○ Remove Services 1 and 2 (Sooke, Western Communities and Port Renfrew) including vehicle requirements for Services 2</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p>February 18, 2020</p>
<p>8301-20 TNS</p> <p><a href="#">CLICK HERE</a> to view application summary</p>	<p><b>Ripe Holdings Inc.</b></p> <p>Trade Name: Ripe Rides</p> <p><b>New TNS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>New Special Authorization:</i> Transportation Network Services Authorization (TNSA)</li> <li>• <i>Originating Area Requested:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Region 1 – Lower Mainland, Whistler</li> <li>• Region 2 – Capital Regional District (CRD)</li> <li>• Region 3 – Vancouver Island, excluding CRD</li> <li>• Region 4 – Okanagan – Kootenays – Cariboo</li> <li>• Region 5 – BC North Central and Other Regions of BC</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <i>Destination Area:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ BC</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p>February 18, 2020</p>

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<p>8217-20 TNS</p> <p><a href="#">CLICK HERE to view application summary</a></p>	<p><b>Bonny's Taxi Ltd.</b> Trade Name: Bonny's Taxi</p> <p><b>New TNS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>New Special Authorization:</i> Transportation Network Services Authorization (TNSA)</li> <li>• <i>Originating Area Requested:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Region 1 – Lower Mainland, Whistler</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <i>Destination Area:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ BC or outside BC</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p>February 18, 2020</p>
<p>7693-19</p> <p><a href="#">CLICK HERE to view application summary</a></p>	<p><b>Capro Logistics Ltd.</b> <i>Trade Name:</i> None</p> <p><b>New ICBA</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• New Special Authorization: Inter-City Bus Authorization (ICBA)</li> <li>• Operate the following route on a reservation basis: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Vancouver – Kelowna</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p>February 18, 2020</p>
<p>7922-19</p> <p><a href="#">CLICK HERE to view application summary</a></p>	<p><b>Rider Express Transportation Corporation</b> Trade Name: Rider Express</p> <p><b>Amend ICBA Licence</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To amend Route “A” (Vancouver – BC/Alberta) by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Increasing minimum frequency for route points between Salmon Arm and the Alberta border from 2 per week to 1 daily trip.</li> <li>• Adding the following new route points: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Sorrento</li> <li>○ Village of Chase</li> <li>○ City of Surrey</li> </ul> </li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p>February 18, 2020</p>

### 3 Application Decisions

Application	Applicant & Application Highlights	Decision
6585-19	<p><b>Party Limousine on Line Limited</b> Trade name: Party Limousine</p> <p><b>New Special Authorization - Limousine</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>New limousine service in the Metro Vancouver Regional District with 1 vehicle.</li> </ul> <p><b>Rates</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>Minimum-Maximum Rates and Standard Rules for Limousines in BC effective October 20, 2016 apply</i></li> </ul>	<p>refused</p> <p><a href="#">CLICK HERE to view decision</a></p>
8357-20 PSTOP	<p><b>Formal Affair Limousine 1997 Inc.</b></p> <p><b>Peak Season TOP (Limo)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 Peak Season Temporary Operating Permit for 91 days</li> </ul>	<p>approved</p> <p><a href="#">CLICK HERE to view decision</a></p>
6704-19	<p><b>Garden City Cabs of Richmond Ltd.</b> Trade Name: Garden City Cabs Current Originating Area: Richmond and YVR</p> <p><b>Amendment of Licence: PDVA - (Taxi)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Add: 20 conventional taxis to increase fleet maximum from 41 to 61 taxis. (48 conventional and 13 accessible)</li> </ul>	<p>refused</p> <p><a href="#">CLICK HERE to view decision</a></p>
4627-19	<p><b>Valley Airporter Ltd.</b> Trade names:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Valley Airporter</li> <li>Airport Shuttle</li> <li>Abbotsford Airport Shuttle</li> </ul> <p><b>Amendment of PDVA (Other PDV)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Increase fleet size</b> to 10 vehicles by adding 8 vehicles: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2 limo buses (21 or more passengers plus driver)</li> <li>6 large shuttles (6-11 passengers plus driver)</li> </ul> </li> <li><b>Add</b> a passenger-directed shuttle service in Metro</li> </ul>	<p>approved in part</p> <p><a href="#">CLICK HERE to view decision</a></p>

	<p>Vancouver and the Fraser Valley that originates from:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Vancouver International Airport (YVR)</li> <li>○ Tsawwassen Ferry Terminal</li> <li>○ Horseshoe Bay Ferry Terminal</li> <li>○ Canada Place Cruise Terminal</li> <li>○ <b>Amend destination area</b> to permit “any point in British Columbia and beyond the British Columbia/United States border when engaged in an extra-provincial undertaking.”</li> <li>● <b>Increase current per-person zone rates -</b> Abbotsford International Airport</li> <li>● <b>Add per-person trip rates</b> for the proposed new service areas.</li> </ul>	
7565-19	<p><b>Transfer to:</b>  <b>Gurpreet Singh PATARA</b>  <i>Trade Name: FSJ Super Cabs</i></p> <p><b>Transfer from:</b>  <b>Bernard James William THOMPSON</b>  <i>Licence Originating Area: Fort St. John east to and including North Peace Regional Airport</i></p> <p><b>Transfer of Licence: PDVA (Taxi)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <i>Request: Transfer of Passenger Transportation Licence with Special Authorization (PDVA) from Bernard James William THOMPSON to Gurpreet Singh PATARA.</i></li> </ul>	<p>approved</p> <p><a href="#">CLICK HERE to view decision</a></p>
8281-20 UPN	<p><b>Vantastic Rentals Limited</b>  <i>Trade Name: Now Shuttle</i></p> <p><b>New PDVA (Other PDV)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <i>New Special Authorization: Passenger Directed Vehicle Authorization (PDVA)</i></li> <li>● <i>Originating Area: Northern Okanagan Regional District</i></li> <li>● <i>Fleet Maximum: 2 vans (driver plus 3-5 passengers;1 vehicle is accessible)</i></li> <li>● <i>Rates: Point-to-point rates</i></li> </ul>	<p>approved</p> <p><a href="#">CLICK HERE to view decision</a></p>

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8441-20 UPN	<p><b>1697692 Alberta Ltd.</b>            Trade Name: Crew Haulers  <b>Amendment of Licence: PDVA (Other PDV)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Amend Special Authorization: Passenger Directed Vehicle Authorization (PDVA)</i></li> <li>• <i>Current Originating Area: CN Rail corridors in B.C.</i></li> <li>• <i>Expand Originating Area by adding: CP Rail corridors in B.C.</i></li> <li>• <i>Amend Service Limitation: to include CP Rail Employees</i></li> </ul>	<p>approved</p> <p><a href="#">CLICK HERE to view decision</a></p>

**4** Hearing Notices

None

**5** Other Matters

None