

**NEW YORK CITY**  
**TAXI AND LIMOUSINE COMMISSION**

**Minutes of Commission Meeting**

**January 11, 2007**

Present:

Matthew W. Daus, *Commissioner/Chair*  
Noach Dear, *Commissioner*  
Edward Gonzales, *Commissioner*  
Howard Vargas, *Commissioner*  
Iris Weinshall, *Commissioner*  
Charles Fraser, *General Counsel*

1. The Chair called the meeting to order and reported the following:
  - The Chair reported that the annual report to City Council was submitted and that copies were available at the back of the Commission room. (Tr. p. 3).
  - The Chair reported that phase two of the testing of the taxicab technology customer service enhancements was in progress, and that related rulemaking was scheduled tentatively for March. (Tr. pp. 3-5).
  - The Chair announced that the TLC's safety and emissions facility in Woodside, Queens was certified to conduct Department of Motor Vehicles inspections. (Tr. pp. 6-7).
  - The Chair reported that the staff planned to have rulemaking proposals for partition and in-vehicle camera specifications for the March meeting, and that proposals for clean air and accessible vehicles and for-hire vehicle decals, inspections, markings and posting of credentials should be ready for the March meeting at the earliest. (Tr. pp. 6-7).
  - The Chair announced that Elliott Sander was resigning from his position because he was appointed by Governor Spitzer as the Chief Executive Officer of the MTA, and presented Mr. Sander with a plaque in thanks for his years of service. (Tr. pp. 7-13).

2. A motion to adopt the minutes of the December 14, 2006 Commission meeting was made by Commissioner Weinshall and seconded by Commissioner Dear. It passed unanimously. (Tr. p. 15).
3. Peter Schenkman, Assistant Commissioner for Standards and Emissions, delivered a presentation on partition and camera specifications. (Tr. pp. 16-24).
4. Samara Epstein, Director of Constituent Affairs, delivered a presentation on for-hire vehicle markings, credential posting, and inspections. (Tr. pp. 24-50).
5. Sara Meyers, Director of Special Projects, presented the following base station license renewal applications for consideration:

The following base stations were recommended for approval:

**NEW APPLICATIONS (2)**

Chase Car & Limo. Service Inc.	B02118
Easy Limo Leasing Inc.	B02168

**RENEWAL APPLICATIONS (9)**

Adams Car & Limousine Service	B01934
American Dream Car Service	B01734
Big D Royal Car Service	B00136
Carlton & Carlton Car Service Inc.	B01793
Easy Fast Car Service Inc	B01924
Hospital Shuttle Service Inc. d/b/a Plaza Town Cars	B00480
Masada C & L Svc Inc	B00952
Natashas Group Car Corp	B00932
New Mazel Corp	B01160

**RENEWAL, RELOCATION, & OWNERSHIP CHANGE**

**(1)**

TS Limo. Corp. LLC d/b/a Continental Private Car & L Service	B00710
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**RENEWAL & OWNERSHIP CHANGE (1)**

Santo Domingo Car Service Inc	B01176
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**RELOCATION & OWNERSHIP CHANGE (1)**

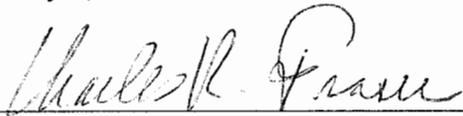
Dinder Car & Limousine Service	B02080
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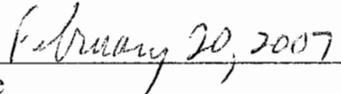
(Tr. pp. 50-61).

6. Commissioner Weinshall made a motion to approve all of the base station license applications that were recommended for approval except for Adams Car & Limousine Service. It was seconded by Commissioner Gonzales, and the motion passed unanimously. (Tr. pp. 61-62).
7. A motion was made to approve Adams Car & Limousine Service. There were four votes in favor and one vote opposed. The Chairman stated that he would raise Adams Car & Limousine Service at the next Commission meeting because of a potential quorum issue regarding the motion. (Tr. p. 62).
8. Commissioner Dear made a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded, and it passed unanimously. (Tr. p. 63).

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 11:00 a.m.

Minutes as approved by the Taxi & Limousine Commission on  
February 8, 2007.

  
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Deputy Commissioner for Legal Affairs / General Counsel

  
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Date