NEW YORK CITY TAXI AND LIMOUSINE COMMISSION

Minutes of Commission Meeting

July 18, 2006

PRESENT:

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

1. The Chair called the meeting to order and reported the following:

- Legislation has passed the N.Y.S. Assembly and Senate, and awaits the Governor's signature, concerning:
 - For-hire vehicle licensing reciprocity among New York City, Westchester and Nassau Counties; (Tr. pp.3-9)
 - Permitting up to (150) additional accessible vehicle medallions to be auctioned at a future sale; and (Tr. pp.9-10)
 - A tax credit of up to \$10,000 for retrofitting for-hire vehicles and other liveries to make them accessible. (Tr. p.10)
- The TLC denied three petitions for fuel surcharges from three different groups on June 30. A copy of each petition denial was provided to each Commissioner at the Commission Meeting. (Tr. pp.11-15)
- Two successful medallion auctions were held in June. On June 16, (54) accessible medallions were sold, and on June 22, (254) alternative fuel medallions were sold. (Tr. pp.15-16)
- The TLC will work with the Mayor's Office for People with Disabilities, as well as its advisory boards, to develop recommendations for two stickers on taxicabs: one to identify accessible cabs and the other to identify clean air cabs. (Tr. pp.18-19)
- The next Commission Meetings are tentatively scheduled for August 10 and September 14. (Tr. pp.19-20)

- 2. Commissioner Sander made a motion to adopt the minutes of the June 8, 2006 Commission Meeting. Commissioner Vargas seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously. (Tr. p.28)
- 3. Sara Meyers, Director of Special Projects, presented the following base station license applications for consideration:

Renewal Applications

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60 th Street Car Service Inc. d/b/a Jay's Car Service	B00314
128 Blue Bird d/b/a Latch Car Service	B00054
1431 Car Service Inc. d/b/a Three Guys Car Service	B00983
A Town Express, Inc. d/b/a Town Car Service	B01193
Absolute Car & Limo. Service Inc.	B01617
Ahsan Inc. d/b/a Marlboro Car Service	B00987
All People Car Service Inc.	B01343
Allied Central Car Service Inc. d/b/a Black Pearl C/S	B00420
Always On Time Car Service	B01475
Arts Place Inc. d/b/a On Time Car Service	B01653
Bamadu Car Service	B00746
Black Sea Car & Limo. Service Inc.	B01495
Brothers Car Service	B01469
Bushwick Car Service Inc.	B00693
Champion Car & Limo. Service Inc.	B00350
Cheers Dispatch, Inc. d/b/a Seventh Avenue Car Service	B00692
Cibao Radio Dispatch	B01663
Community Car Service Priscilla Corp.	B00041
East River Car & Limo. Service Inc. d/b/a East River C/S	B01997
Emunah Car Service Inc.	B00170
Family Car Service	B00278
Fast Operating Corp. d/b/a Carmel Car & Limo. Service	B00256
First Class Services	B01485
Globe Car Service, Inc.	B01625
Goodfellows Car Service d/b/a Newport Car Service	B00965
Harborview Trans. of Staten Island	B00112
High Class Limo. Car Service Corp.	B01639
Hillside 24 Hours Radio Dispatch, Inc.	B01048
Indo Pak Inc. d/b/a Main Street Car Service	B01815
Kingsbird Car Service Corp.	B00338
Lindy's Cars Inc.	B00548
New College Car Service Inc.	B00058
New Easy Way Radio Dispatch Inc.	B00196
New Elegante Car Service Inc.	B01288
New Golden Horse Car & Limo. Service Inc.	B01667
New Montague	B01699
New York Velotax Inc.	B01470
Park Terrace Car Service Inc. d/b/a Vista Car & Limo.	B00074

Pratt Car Service	B01479
Princess Limousine Inc.	B00430
Queens Dispatch Service, Inc.	B00210
Rainbow Radio Dispatch Inc.	B00149
Reyno Car Service Inc.	B00222
Riverside Radio Dispatcher	B00222
Seaman Radio Dispatchers Inc.	B00860
Servicios De Choferes, Inc. d/b/a Monchito Car Service	B00831
Together Car Service	
Ultra Radio Dispatcher Service Inc.	B00876
Uptown Transit Corp.	B01145
Vin Jac Corp.	B00850
Watson Car Service Inc.	B01250
	B00310
Winthrop Holding Corp.	B00536
Combination Applications	
(Renewal and Relocation)	
Americana	Dozos
KLS Trans. Inc.	B01013
United Limo. Car Service Corp.	B01978
	B01009
Washington Radio Dispatch	B01737
(Renewal and Ownership Change)	
C-Anne Corp. d/b/a AAA Apple Car Service	B00718
Cabrini Car Service Corp.	B00457
Dominican Car Service Inc.	B00302
Jaffa Car & Limo. Service Inc.	B00160
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(Renewal, Relocation and Ownership Change)	
New Cypress Car Service Corp.	B01893
(Relocation and Ownership Change)	
JJS Transp. Co. Inc. d/b/a Grant City Car Service	Dotomo
Mazin Car & Limo. Service	B01379
Mazin Car & Limo. Service	B02050
Relocation Application	
Jubilee Radio Disp. Corp.	B02031
Ownership Change Applications	
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A to Z Car & Limousine Service	B02035
Eastern Jr. Inc.	B01927
(Tr. pp. 29-32)	

- Commissioner Arout made a motion to approve all of the base station license ap-4. plications that were recommended for approval. Commissioner Sander seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously. (Tr. p. 32)
- The Chair reiterated that the following base stations have one or more convictions 5. for unlicensed activity, which they must address forthwith: 128 Blue Bird d/b/a Latch Car Service; 1431 Car Service Inc. d/b/a Three Guys Car Service; Absolute Car & Limo Service Inc.; Brothers Car Service; Cheers Dispatch, Inc. d/b/a Seventh Ave Car Service; East River Car & Limo Service, Inc. d/b/a East River Car Service; Fast Operating Corp. d/b/a Carmel Car & Limo Service; First Class Services; Globe Car Service, Inc.; Goodfellows Car Service d/b/a Newport Car Service; High Class Limo Car Service Corp.; Indo Pak Inc. d/b/a Main Street Car Service; Kingsbird Car Service Corp.; Lindy's Cars Inc.; Pratt Car Service; Queens Dispatch Service, Inc.; Rainbow Radio Dispatch Inc.; Together Car Service; Ultra Radio Dispatcher Service, Inc.; Watson Car Service; Americana; United Limo Car Service Corp.; Washington Radio Dispatch; C-Anne Corp. d/b/a AAA Apple Car Service; Cabrini Car Service Corp.; Dominican Car Service, Inc. (Tr. pp. 33-34)
- 6. Deborah Martin, Executive Director for the Design Trust for Public Space, gave an update on Taxi '07. (Tr. pp. 34-48)
- Bernie and Ed Massey, founders of Portraits of Hope, delivered a presentation 7. concerning Gardens in Transit, which included written materials and a video. The Chair subsequently made a motion to approve the stickers that would be applied to taxicabs under the Taxi '07 celebration, which appeared on pages two and three of the booklet distributed to the Commissioners, for a period of approximately (4) months beginning in September 2007. Commissioner Arout seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously. (Tr. pp. 48-57)
- 8. Commissioner Weinshall made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Commissioner Dear seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously. (Tr. pp. 57-58)

(The meeting was adjourned at approximately 10:40 a.m.)

Minutes as approved by the Taxi and Limousine Commission on September 14, 2006.

Deputy Commissioner for Legal Affairs/General Counsel

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