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Notice was duly published March 25, 2025, on page 8 of The Daily Record that the regular public meeting of the Commissioners of the Nebraska Public Service Commission would be held on April 1, 2025, at 10:00 a.m. in the Commission Hearing Room, 300 The Atrium, 1200 N Street, Lincoln.

Chair Commissioner Tim Schram called the regularly scheduled meeting to order at 10:00 a.m. with Commissioners Eric Kamler, Christian Mirch, Dan Watermeier, and Kevin Stocker present in the Commission Hearing Room. Chair Schram stated that a copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act is posted in the meeting room and invited the public to address the Commission. No public comment was offered. No announcements were made.

Attention was called to the following proceedings:

COMMUNICATIONS DEPARTMENT

CPF-1: In the Matter of the Nebraska Public Service Commission, on its own motion, to administer the federal Capital Projects Funds for broadband development in Nebraska. Motion made by Commissioner Eric Kamler, seconded by Commissioner Dan Watermeier to enter an Order accepting the late-filed speed test data filed by Windstream. Motion passed with Commissioners Eric Kamler, Christian Mirch, Tim Schram, Kevin Stocker, and Dan Watermeier voting AYE.

NUSF/TRS/911 Late-Filed Remittance Policy: Motion made by Commissioner Dan Watermeier, seconded by Commissioner Eric Kamler Cullen Robbins seeks Commission approval for the revised Late-Filed Remittance Policy for NUSF/TRS/911. Motion passed with Commissioners Eric Kamler, Christian Mirch, Tim Schram, Kevin Stocker, and Dan Watermeier voting AYE.

TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT

B-1705.04: In the Matter of the Application of Ability Wheel Chair Transportation, LLC, Hastings, seeking cancellation and revocation of its Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity issued in Docket No. B-1705. Motion made by Commissioner Kevin Stocker, seconded by Commissioner Eric Kamler to enter an Order Granting Cancellation of Certificate B-1705. Motion passed with Commissioners Eric Kamler, Christian Mirch, Tim Schram, Kevin Stocker, and Dan Watermeier voting AYE.

B-2066.02: In the Matter of the Application of SLCT Transport d/b/a Snowleopard Medical Transport, Bennington, seeking to extend its authority and remove all restrictions to provide transportation as a common carrier in Nebraska intrastate commerce in the transportation of passengers in Open Class service by sedan, van, and SUV, between all points in Nebraska over irregular routes. HHS Designation: Yes. Motion made by Commissioner Christian Mirch, seconded by Commissioner Dan Watermeier to enter an Order Granting Extension. Motion passed

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with Commissioners Eric Kamler, Christian Mirch, Tim Schram, Kevin Stocker, and Dan Watermeier voting AYE.

B-2130: In the Matter of the Application of The Good Care, LLC, Omaha, seeking authority as a contract carrier in Nebraska intrastate commerce in the transportation of passengers in Open Class service by sedan, van, and SUV in and between all points in Nebraska over irregular routes pursuant to a contract with the Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services, a medicaid-managed care organization under contract with NDHHS, or another agent working on behalf of NDHHS. HHS Designation: Yes. Motion made by Commissioner Christian Mirch, seconded by Commissioner Kevin Stocker to enter an Order Granting Application as Amended. Motion passed with Commissioners Eric Kamler, Christian Mirch, Tim Schram, Kevin Stocker, and Dan Watermeier voting AYE.

B-2140: In the Matter of the Application of Sedic Group, LLC, Omaha, seeking to acquire, through transfer, the authority held by Harmony Transportation Services, in Certificate B-1878. Motion made by Commissioner Christian Mirch, seconded by Commissioner Kevin Stocker to enter an Order Granting Transfer and Cancelling Certificate B-1878. Motion passed with Commissioners Eric Kamler, Christian Mirch, Tim Schram, Kevin Stocker, and Dan Watermeier voting AYE.

B-2144: In the Matter of the Application of Heartland Health Rides, LLC, Fremont, seeking authority as a common carrier in Nebraska intrastate commerce in the transportation of passengers in Open Class service by sedan, van, SUV, between all points in Nebraska over irregular routes. Motion made by Commissioner Eric Kamler, seconded by Commissioner Kevin Stocker to enter an Order Granting Application, as Amended. Motion passed with Commissioners Eric Kamler, Christian Mirch, Tim Schram, Kevin Stocker, and Dan Watermeier voting AYE.

MT-0005: In the Matter of the Nebraska Public Service Commission, on its Own Motion, to require Ability Wheelchair Transportation, LLC; Big Premier Limousine/TAA, LLC d/b/a BIG Premier Limousine; Davis Entertainment, LLC d/b/a Ollie the Trolley; Down The Hatch; Family Empowerment Service, Inc.; Flatland Rentals, LLC; Kidcaboo, LLC; Medics At Home, Inc.; Nebraska Urban Indian Health Coalition; No Prob Limo, LLC; Omaha Brew Bus, LLC; Serving Nebraska Health Transportation Agency; and Unity Transportation Services, Inc; to show cause why their authorities should not be revoked and why a civil penalty should not be assessed. Motion made by Commissioner Kevin Stocker, seconded by Commissioner Eric Kamler to enter an Order to Dismiss, In Part. Motion passed with Commissioners Eric Kamler, Christian Mirch, Tim Schram, Kevin Stocker, and Dan Watermeier voting AYE.

ML-40.01: In the Matter of Mo's Moving, Lincoln, seeking approval of a name change to ROJOLI Services, Inc. d/b/a MHC Moving-Mo's Home & Commercial. Motion made by Commissioner Eric Kamler, seconded by Commissioner Christian Mirch to enter an Order Granting Name Change.

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Motion passed with Commissioners Eric Kamler, Christian Mirch, Tim Schram, Kevin Stocker and Dan Watermeier voting AYE.

LEGISLATIVE

Discussion on pending legislation.

The meeting adjourned at 10:16 a.m. with Commissioners Tim Schram, Eric Kamler, Christian Mirch, Kevin Stocker, and Dan Watermeier present. The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held on April 8, 2025, at 10:00 a.m. with an agenda to be available in the office of the Executive Director at 10:00 a.m. on April 7, 2025.

Chair

Executive Director

PRELIMINARY