

BEFORE THE STATE OF NEVADA TAXICAB AUTHORITY

IN THE MATTER OF:

DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE DECISION
REGARDING THE ANNUAL REVIEW OF
RATES, CHARGES, AND FARES

ORDER

At a regular monthly session of the State of Nevada Taxicab Authority Board, held at the Nevada Taxicab Authority, 2080 E. Flamingo Rd. #114, Las Vegas, NV 89119.

PRESENT: Ileana Drobkin, Chairperson
Dean Collins, Member
Bruce Aguilera, Member
Dennis Nolan, Member
Jennifer DeRose, Acting Taxicab Authority Administrator
Christine Guerci-Nyhus, Deputy Attorney General

The STATE OF NEVADA TAXICAB AUTHORITY makes the following findings of fact and conclusions of law.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. On October 20, 2014, a public hearing was held regarding the above-entitled matter, in compliance with the provisions of the Nevada Open Meeting Law, the Nevada Administrative Procedure Act, Chapter 706 of the Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) and the Nevada Administrative Code (NAC), at which time all interested parties appeared and were permitted to be heard.
2. The following filed Petitions to Intervene and all were permitted to intervene and be heard: 1) Western Cab Company, 2) Desert Cab Company, 3) Yellow/Checker/Star Cab Companies, 4) A Cab, LLC, 5) Whittlesea Blue/Henderson Taxi, 6) Lucky Cab Company, 7) Boulder Cab Inc. d/b/a Deluxe Taxicab Service, 8) Ace Cab, Inc., Union

1 Cab Co., A NLV Cab Co., Vegas-Western Cab, Inc., and Virgin Valley Cab Company,
2 Inc., 9) ITPE Union, 10) Nellis Cab Company.

- 3 3. Intervenors were allowed to present argument and evidence regarding whether current
4 circumstances require any new charges or fares, or any adjustments, alterations, or
5 changes to the current rates, charges, or fares.
- 6 4. If any of the foregoing findings of fact is more properly deemed a conclusion of law, it
7 may be so construed.
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9 CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

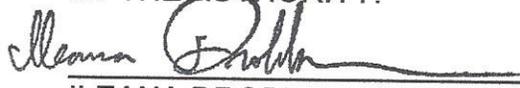
- 10 1. Pursuant to NRS 706.8819 and NAC 706.471, the Taxicab Authority is authorized to
11 set, adjust, alter, or change rates, charges, or fares for service by taxicabs in its
12 jurisdiction.
- 13 2. Pursuant to NRS 706.8824, on an annual basis, the Taxicab Authority shall review the
14 rates, charges, and fares of the Certificate Holders in its jurisdiction.
- 15 3. Based upon the arguments, evidence, and recommendations submitted by Intervenors,
16 the Board finds that there is currently a need for a rate/fare adjustment, as follows:
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- 18 a. The initial meter activation should be increased from \$3.30 to \$3.45;
 - 19 b. Each additional metered mile should be increased from \$2.40 to \$2.68; and
 - 20 c. The waiting time/hour should be increased from \$30.00 to \$32.40.
- 21 4. There should be no change to the current fuel surcharge amount of \$.20/metered mile.
- 22 5. If any of the foregoing conclusions of law is more appropriately construed a finding of
23 fact, it may be so construed.
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1 THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the aforementioned rate/fare adjustment
2 shall become effective, as follows:

- 3 a. The initial meter activation should be increased from \$3.30 to \$3.45;
4 b. Each additional metered mile should be increased from \$2.40 to \$2.68; and
5 c. The waiting time/hour should be increased from \$30.00 to \$32.40.

6 Dated this 21st day of November, 2014.

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8 BY THE AUTHORITY:

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11 ILEANA DROBKIN – CHAIRWOMAN