

Service Date: December 2, 1985

FINAL ORDER NO. 5657

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SERVICE REGULATION
MONTANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application of)	DOCKET NO. T-8787
Arlund Automotive, Inc., Billings,)	
Montana for a Certificate of Public)	ORDER NO. 5657
Convenience and Necessity.)	

The Commission, having taken evidence and being fully advised in the premises, makes the following findings, conclusions and order:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. On June 25, 1985, Arlund Automotive, Inc., 2540 Phyllis Lane, Billings, Montana 59102, filed an application with the Montana Public Service Commission under Title 69, MCA, for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity authorizing the transportation of passengers, Class B, between all points and places in the Counties of Yellowstone, Stillwater, Carbon and Sweet Grass.
2. In accordance with Section 69-23-321, MCA, as amended, this matter was noticed to the public July 5, 1985.
3. Protests were filed on the docket and a public hearing was scheduled for September 25, 1985 in Billings, Montana. Prior to taking testimony at that hearing, all parties stipulated to a limited grant of authority.
4. The record of this application is available for inspection at the Public Service Commission Office, 2701 Prospect Avenue, Helena, Montana 59620.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The Montana Public Service Commission properly exercises jurisdiction over the parties and subject matter in this proceeding.
2. The Commission afforded all parties interested in this proceeding proper notice and an opportunity to participate.
3. Public Convenience and Necessity require a grant of the authority sought by the Applicant.

ORDER

NOW THEREFORE, at a session of the Public Service Commission, Department of Public Service Regulation of the State of Montana, held in its offices at 2701 Prospect Avenue, Helena, Montana, on the 2nd day of December 1985, there being present a quorum of Commissioners, there came regularly before the Commission for final action the matters and things in Docket No. T-8787, and the Commission being fully advised in the premises;

IT IS ORDERED by the Commission that the application of Arnlund Automotive, Inc., Billings, Montana for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity IS GRANTED to the following extent: Class B: Passengers between all points and places in Yellowstone and Sweetgrass Counties. Limitations: 1) Transportation of Burlington Northern train crews is prohibited. 2) Transportation is limited to five (5) passengers or less per vehicle and further limited to limousine transportation only. 3) Reservations for limousine service must be made at least 24 hours in advance. 4) Transportation as a taxi or jitney is prohibited.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a full, true and correct copy of this order be sent forthwith by certified mail to the Applicant herein.

THE FOREGOING ORDER was adopted by the Department of Public Service Regulation of the State of Montana, Public Service Commission, IN OPEN SESSION at Helena, Montana, this 2nd of December, 1985 by a vote of 5-0.

BY ORDER OF THE MONTANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

CLYDE JARVIS, Chairman

JOHN B. DRISCOLL, Commissioner

HOWARD L. ELLIS, Commissioner

TOM MONAHAN, Commissioner

DANNY OBERG, Commissioner

ATTEST:

Trenna Scoffield
Commission Secretary

NOTE: Any interested party may request the Commission to reconsider this decision. A motion to reconsider must be filed within ten (10) days. See 38.2.4806, ARM.