



City of Cambridge

IN CITY COUNCIL

January 15, 1973

Councillor Duehay

ORDERED:

That a license is hereby granted to Hospital Transportation Service, Inc. under the provisions of Chapter 159A for the operation of motor vehicles for the carriage of passengers for hire over the following ways in the City of Cambridge:-

Concord Turnpike (Route 2) between the Cambridge-Arlington City line and the Cambridge-Arlington City line,
 Concord Turnpike (Route 2) between the Cambridge-Arlington City line and the Alewife Brook Parkway,
 Acorn Park between the Cambridge-Arlington City line and the plant of Arthur D. Little, Inc.
 Whittemore Avenue between Alewife Brook Parkway and the plant of W. R. Grace & Company,
 Concord Avenue between Alewife Brook Parkway and Garden Street,
 Garden Street between Concord Avenue and Massachusetts Avenue,
 Massachusetts Avenue between Cambridge Street and Quincy Street,
 Quincy Street between Cambridge Street and Massachusetts Avenue,
 Peabody Street between Massachusetts Avenue and Cambridge Street,
 Cambridge Street between Massachusetts Avenue and Quincy Street,
 Broadway between Cambridge Street and Main Street,
 Main Street between Third Street and Longfellow Bridge,
 Third Street between Main Street and Broadway.

That this license is granted subject to the condition that the Hospital Transportation Service, Inc. file with the City Clerk a schedule of all passengers rates and any amendments thereto in the future.

In City Council January 15, 1973.
 Adopted by the affirmative vote of 8 Members.
 Attest:- Paul E. Healy, City Clerk.

Approved by the City Manager
 s/ John H. Corcoran

A true copy,
 ATTEST:- Paul E. Healy

Paul E. Healy,
 City Clerk.

Approved by Mayor

s/ Barbara Ackermann



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Massachusetts Avenue between Cambridge Street and Quincy Street,
Quincy Street between Cambridge Street and Massachusetts Avenue,
Peabody Street between Massachusetts Avenue and Cambridge Street,
Cambridge Street between Massachusetts Avenue and Quincy Street,
Broadway between Cambridge Street and Portland Street,
Portland Street between Broadway and Albany Street,
Albany Street between Portland Street and Massachusetts Avenue,
Massachusetts Avenue between Albany Street and Harvard Bridge.

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IN CITY COUNCIL

May 14, 1973

Councillor Owens

ORDERED:

That the license issued to Hospital Transportation Services, Inc. by this City Council on January 15, 1973 be and hereby is revoked, because it is the determination of the City Council that Hospital Transportation Services, Inc. misrepresented themselves at the time the City Council granted their request for a license.

In City Council May 14, 1973.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of 9 members.

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Paul E. Healy



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HEARING - HOSPITAL TRANSPORTATION SERVICES, INC.

At 6:45 P. M. Mayor Ackermann called the hearing to order after some discussion between the attorney for Hospital Transportation and the attorney for the Taxi Cab industry in Cambridge. It was agreed to request a delay of five or ten minutes to enable all of the City Councillors to be present. The Mayor agreed to a five minutes delay and consequently recessed the hearing at 6:55 P. M.

At 7:03 P. M. the Mayor reconvened the hearing. The City Solicitor briefly reviewed what has happened up to this point in terms of the actual license to operate that was previously granted to Hospital Transportation, Inc. by the City Council. He further stated that although the Department of Public Utilities has not as yet, given its approval to Hospital Transportation, Inc that does not constitute valid grounds for revocation of the license by the City Council. However, if this City Council at the conclusion of this hearing determines that Hospital Transportation Services, Inc. did not present the full and entire story regarding their operation and the reasons behind running a shuttle service through Cambridge; the City Council could then vote to revoke the license previously granted.

At this time Attorney Robert Kline, representing the major taxi cab owners in Cambridge read a letter sent to Hospital Transportation Services, Inc. by the Department of Public Utilities, issuing a cease and desist order pertaining to the Route Two Acton-Maynard run Hospital Transportation Services was making. At this time Attorney Frank Daniels, 15 Court Square, Boston representing Hospital Transportation Services, Inc. stated that although we have a license to operate through Cambridge, we must still get permission from the Department of Public Utilities to maintain our operation.

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Councillor Ownes then asked Mr. Daniels what the status was of Hospital Transportation's application before the Department of Public Utilities, Mr. Daniels reply was that there is not status at this time. We do not have an application before the Department of Public Utilities. for permission to operate in Cambridge. Upon further questioning of Mr. Daniels by Councillors Moncreiff and Duehay it was determined that presently there is not a demand for the type of service offered by Hospital Transportation Services, Inc. in the Route Two area of Cambridge. Consequently, on a motion by Councillor Owens the City Council voted on the following order:-

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The order was unanimously adopted by the City Council.

The hearing adjourned at 8:30 P. M.

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Hearing notes and order revoking permit to
Hospital Transportation Services, Inc.

In City Council,

May 14, 1976