



DOCKET NO. 2512-N-129-L

RE: APPLICATION OF OSCAR TRANSPORTATION LLC FOR AUTHORITY TO OPERATE THREE (3) MOTOR VEHICLES HAVING A PASSENGER SEATING CAPACITY OF TEN (10) OR LESS IN GENERAL LIVERY SERVICE BETWEEN ALL POINTS IN CONNECTICUT FROM A HEADQUARTERS IN MANCHESTER

DECISION

March 11, 2026

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I. INTRODUCTION

On December 30, 2025, Oscar Transportation LLC (hereinafter “applicant”) filed an application with the Department of Transportation (hereinafter "department"), seeking authorization to operate three (3) motor vehicles having a seating capacity of ten (10) passengers or less in general livery service between all points in Connecticut from a headquarters in Manchester pursuant to Section 13b-103 of the Connecticut General Statutes, as amended.

A public hearing on the application was scheduled for March 6, 2026. Notice of the application and the hearing to be held thereon was given to the applicant and to such other parties as required pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes Section 13b-103, as amended. Legal notice to the public was given by publication on the department’s website.

The public hearing was held on March 6, 2026, by Sharon Peters, the hearing officer designated by the Commissioner pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes Section 13b-103.

At the hearing Ahmed Alsammrai, member of the applicant, appeared pro se. The applicant’s mailing address is 160 Chapel Road, Suite 202G, Manchester, CT 06042.

II. FINDINGS OF FACT

1. The applicant seeks to operate three (3) motor vehicles in general livery service from a headquarters in Manchester.
2. The applicant will operate a 2014 Toyota Camry, a 2024 Toyota Camry and a 2011 Chrysler Town And Country van. There are no outstanding loans on the vehicles.
3. The applicant has operated livery businesses in Vermont, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, and Maine over the last 5 years. The applicant had contracts with transportation broker Access to Care to provide non-emergency medical transportation.
4. Mr. Alsammrai was responsible for the day to day operations of the livery businesses.
5. Access to Care has been purchased by transportation broker MTM.
6. The first six months of the applicant’s expenses include insurance premiums of \$22,465.86, property tax of \$502.32, office space rental of \$2,400.00, maintenance and repair costs of \$2,500.00, communication expenses of \$1842.30 and advertising, marketing and promotional expenses of \$1,500.00.00, for a total expense of \$31,210.48
7. The applicant has an account balance of \$805,655.01.

8. The applicant intends to enter into a contract with MTM to provide non-emergency medical transportation throughout the state.
9. The applicant's Chrysler Town and Country van is equipped for wheelchair transportation.
10. MTM needs drivers for general and wheelchair accessible non-emergency medical transportation.
11. The applicant will have a headquarters in Manchester where it is leasing office space.
12. Mr. Alsammrai will work full-time out of the Manchester office once there is a sufficient volume of work to require him to do so.
13. The applicant has three drivers available to work as independent contractors.
14. Mr. Alsammrai has no criminal history.
15. This application was not opposed.

III. DISCUSSION

The department has jurisdiction over each person, association, limited liability company or corporation owning or operating a motor vehicle in livery service, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes Section 13b-102, as amended.

In determining whether a livery permit should be granted, the department shall take into consideration the present or future public convenience and necessity. The applicant must prove that the public's convenience and necessity will be improved by the proposed service. Additionally, the applicant must show the suitability of the applicant or the suitability of the management if the applicant is a limited liability company or corporation, the financial responsibility of the applicant, the ability of the applicant efficiently and properly to perform the service for which authority is requested and the fitness, willingness and ability of the applicant to conform to the provisions of the statutes and the requirements and regulations of the department thereunder, in accordance with Connecticut General Statutes Section 13b-103.

Regarding the applicant's suitability, Mr. Alsammrai submitted a criminal record check which disclosed no criminal convictions. He has operated livery businesses throughout New England for 5 years. Based on the evidence presented, the applicant is suitable to conduct the proposed intrastate livery business.

As far as the applicant's financial ability is concerned, the first six months of expenses include

insurance premiums of \$22,465.86, property tax of \$502.32, office space rental of \$2,400.00, maintenance and repair costs of \$2,500.00, communication expenses of \$1842.30 and advertising, marketing and promotional expenses of \$1,500.00, for a total expense of \$31,210.48. The applicant currently has \$805,655.01 in its account which is sufficient to meet these expenses, as well as cover the expenses of hiring the independent contractors to drive the vehicles.

On the issue of public convenience and necessity, the applicant has been working in the livery business for 5 years. It has been working with MTM to obtain a contract to provide non-emergency medical transportation throughout the state, including wheelchair transportation, for which there is a great need. The application was not opposed and based on the evidence presented, the applicant's service would improve public convenience and necessity. The applicant will receive authorization for three (3) general livery vehicles.

IV. ORDER

Based upon the above and pursuant to Connecticut General Statute Section 13b-103, as amended, the application in the name of Oscar Transportation LLC is hereby granted, and Livery Permit Number 3883 is hereby issued as follows:

LIVERY PERMIT NUMBER 3883

Oscar Transportation LLC is authorized to operate three (3) motor vehicles with a seating capacity of ten (10) passengers or less in general livery service, between all points in Connecticut from a headquarters in Manchester.

RESTRICTIONS:

The applicant must register and insure the motor vehicle granted in this decision within thirty (30) days. Failure to do so may result in revocation of the general livery authority.

The authority granted under this permit may not be sold or transferred until it has been operational, i.e. a vehicle registered with livery plates thereunder for not less than twenty-four (24) months from the date of this final decision. If at any time during the twenty-four (24) month period the applicant enters into a contract for sale and transfer of any of the vehicles authorized under application 2512-N-129-L, the authority granted herein shall be revoked. This permit is transferable only with the approval of the Department.

This permit shall remain in effect until it is amended, suspended or revoked by the department. Failure of the permit holder to maintain proper insurance and/or comply with all pertinent motor vehicle laws and other state statutes and/or rules, regulations and orders of the department shall be considered sufficient cause to amend, suspend or revoke said permit.

Dated at Newington, Connecticut on the eleventh day of March 2026.

CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Sharon A Peters

Sharon A. Peters
Hearing Officer
Office of Legal Affairs

CERTIFICATION
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I hereby certify that true and correct copies of this decision were forwarded to the following parties on March 11, 2026.

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CERTIFIED MAIL:

APPLICANT'S COUNSEL:

NA

INTERVENORS:

NA

OTHERS:

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CERTIFIED BY:

Sharon A Peters

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