NOVA SCOTIA UTILITY AND REVIEW BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF THE MOTOR CARRIER ACT

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IN THE MATTER OF THE MOTOR VEHICLE TRANSPORT ACT

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION of COACH ATLANTIC TRANSPORTATION GROUP INC. to amend Motor Carrier License Nos. P02697, P02688, and Extra-Provincial Operating License Nos. XP02345 and XP02448

BEFORE: Roland A. Deveau, K.C., Vice Chair

DECISION AND ORDER

Coach Atlantic Transportation Group Inc. applied to the Nova Scotia Utility and Review Board on June 20, 2024, for approval to amend its motor carrier licenses as follows:

- Amend the capacity of Plate P01214 from 21 to 34
- Amend the capacity of Plate P01733 from 21 to 34
- Amend the capacity of Plate PX00810 from 21 to 34
- Amend the capacity of Plate PX01057 from 21 to 24

The application stated that customers demand higher-end experiences with more amenities compared to the current traditional vehicles.

Notice of the application was published in the Royal Gazette on Wednesday, June 26. 2024, and notice provided to the industry. There were no objections received by the stated deadline of July 3, 2024.

The application was considered by the Board without a hearing on July 5, 2024. The Board accepts the evidence filed in support of the application that the amendments are needed because of customers' demands for higher-end experiences.

Having considered the Motor Carrier Act, including the factors set out in s. 13, the Board finds it is in the public interest to approve the application.

The Board approves the application and orders that the license be amended as noted above, effective immediately.

DATED at Halifax, Nova Scotia this 5th day of July 2024.

Clerk of the Board