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Via Electronic Filing

Matthew Homsher, Secretary
Pa. Public Utility Commission
400 North Street
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RE: Application of A AA Medical Transport Inc. t/a AAA Fleet, AAA Medical Group, Telecare Group, and Telecare Health Solutions for Authority to Conduct Motor Common Carrier of Persons in Paratransit Service (Allegheny, Bedford, Chester, Cumberland, Dauphin, Franklin, Fulton, Somerset, and Westmoreland Counties) A-2025-

Dear Secretary Homsher:

On behalf of A AA Medical Transport Inc. t/a AAA Fleet, AAA Medical Group, Telecare Group, and Telecare Health Solutions, enclosed for electronic filing please find the Application for Motor Common Carrier of Persons in Paratransit Service (Allegheny, Bedford, Chester, Cumberland, Dauphin, Franklin, Fulton, Somerset, and Westmoreland Counties).

The payment of the \$350.00 application fee is included with this filing in check format.

If you need anything further, please let me know. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

/s/ Deanne M. O'Dell

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Enclosure

Application for Motor Common Carrier of Persons in Paratransit Service

THIS APPLICATION IS TO BE USED FOR COMMON CARRIER PASSENGER SERVICE WHEN PROVIDING TRANSPORTATION ON A NONEXCLUSIVE, ADVANCE RESERVATION BASIS.

1. **Legal Name of Applicant** (Individual, Partnership or Corporation)

A AA Medical Transport Inc.

- If you are an individual who has not formed any type of corporate entity, you should enter your name **as it will appear on your insurance documents**.
- If you are filing for a partnership, but **not a limited liability partnership**, the names of all partners must be entered on this line. Those names should be entered **as they will appear on your insurance documents**. This includes husbands and wives filing jointly.
- If you are filing for a corporate entity (corporation, limited liability company, or limited liability partnership), **even if you are the sole shareholder member**, you must enter the name **exactly as it appears on the registration papers from the Corporation Bureau of the Pennsylvania Department of State**.

2. **Trade Name** (Attach a copy of fictitious name registration if applicable)

AAA Fleet, AAA Medical Group, Telecare Group, and Telecare Health Solutions

This is any name which you will be operating under which differs from the **LEGAL NAME OF APPLICANT**. A **TRADE NAME** is considered a **FICTITIOUS NAME** if the identity of the applicant cannot be readily determined. *EXAMPLE: John Doe is the applicant and wants to use the name "Johnboy Vans" as his trade name. People cannot readily determine that John Doe is the actual operator; therefore, the name is fictitious and must be registered as such. Trade names such as "John Doe Vans" or "J Doe Vans" are not considered fictitious and would not have to be registered.*

3. **Do you currently hold PUC Authority?** YES Previous Authority? NO

If YES, at PUC No. A- 2016-2553645; A-2017-2605802; A-2018-3004485

4. **Are you a business entity registered with the PA Dept. of State?** YES

If NO, you must register (see checklist on how to register)

If YES, provide your PA Corporation Bureau Entity ID Number See below.

(See checklist and indicate type of business entity registered)

The Certificated Carrier's business entity, A AA Medical Transport Inc. was registered on September 21, 2011 as a Domestic Business Corporation at the Pennsylvania Department of State's Entity No. 4056769 for the purpose of operating an ambulance business. The trade name of AAA Fleet was established on July 5, 2015 at Entity No. 4367936. The trade names AAA Medical Group, Telecare Group, and Telecare Health Solutions were established on November 2, 2018 at Entity Nos. 6793255, 6793263, and 6793264 (respectively).

10. **Describe the service area proposed by this application.**

(Use the space below or attach additional sheet if space provided is not sufficient).

To transport persons as a common carrier in paratransit service from points in the Counties of Allegheny, Bedford, Chester, Cumberland, Dauphin, Franklin, Fulton, Somerset, and Westmoreland to points in Pennsylvania, and return.

Examples:

- *To transport people whose personal convictions prevent them from owning or operating motor vehicles from points in Lancaster County to points in PA, and return*
- *To transport people from the city and county of Philadelphia to correctional facilities in PA, and return*
- *To transport people in wheelchair and stretcher vans from points in the city of Pittsburgh to points in Allegheny County, and return.*
- *To transport people between points in Northumberland County.*

11. **Certification:**

Applicant certifies that it is not now engaged in unauthorized intrastate transportation for compensation between points in Pennsylvania and will not engage in said transportation unless and until authorization is received from the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission.

Applicant further certifies that it understands the requirements of the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission, especially as they relate to safety and insurance and that it may be subject to civil penalties, suspension or cancellation of the Certificate for failure to comply with Commission requirements.

Applicant further certifies that it understands that it is subject to an annual assessment based upon its reported gross Pennsylvania intrastate revenues; said assessment to help defray expenses incurred in regulating Motor Common Carriers of Persons in Paratransit Service; and acknowledges that failure to report revenue and pay its annual assessment may result in civil penalties, suspension or cancellation of the certificate.

Verification of Application

I/We hereby state that the statement(s) made in this application is/are true and correct to the best of my/our knowledge and belief.

The undersigned understands that false statements herein are made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa. C.S. Section 4904 relating to unsworn falsification to authorities.

Hanan Sardar

(Print Name)



(Signature)

06/26/2025
(Date)

The verification of the application must be completed by the applicant appearing on Line 1 of the application by the named individual, all partners if a partnership, a member (if a limited liability company), or by the President or Secretary (if a corporation).

VERIFIED STATEMENT OF APPLICANT

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS REQUIRED BY THE COMMISSION TO DETERMINE THE APPLICANT'S FITNESS TO OPERATE. STATEMENTS SHOULD BE TYPED OR PRINTED. ILLEGIBLE STATEMENTS WILL DELAY YOUR APPLICATION.

A AA Medical Transport Inc.

Legal Name of Applicant

AAA Fleet, AAA Fleet, AAA Medical Group, Telecare Group, and Telecare Health Solutions

Trade Name, if any

564 Langhorne Newtown Rd., Unit D.	Langhorne	PA	19047
Street Address (principal place of business)	City or Municipality	State	Zip Code

The Verified Statement of the Applicant factual details about your proposed transportation service. Your Verified Statement must answer all of the items listed below and on the following pages. Provide as much information as possible to prevent delay in processing your application. If you need more space to provide your answer, please attach additional pages identifying the appropriate item number.

1. Identify the person making the Verified Statement on behalf of the applicant. If an employee/officer of applicant is making the statement, give name, title, business address and telephone number.

Hanan Sardar, President
564 Langhorne Newtown Rd., Unit D
Langhorne, PA 19047
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2. List the applicant's affiliation (owner, manager, controls) with any other carrier, with the description of affiliation.

None.

3. Describe the applicant's business experience, particularly any experience relating to the operation of a transportation service. If practical experience is lacking, please provide an explanation and description of any education or training that you believe may be relevant.

Hanan Sardar has 12 years of experience in in the transportation industry working for various companies. He started as an EMT-B and subsequently has overseen all aspects of the business including hiring, dispatch, fleet maintenance, marketing, risk management and regulatory compliance. Mr. Sardar has been running the day-to-day operations of AAA Fleet since January 2022. In his current position at AAA Fleet, Mr. Sardar manages and directs staff that arrange transportation activities including dispatching, routing and tracking vehicles. In addition, Mr. Sardar oversees vehicle maintenance, including repairs and routine maintenance, as well as driver training and compliance with requirements to maintain licenses in good standing.

4. Describe your facilities, record maintenance plan and your communication network. Please include a description of your physical location, to including office machines that will be utilized, and the facility to house vehicles. As a carrier of household goods in use, applicant should include a description of storage facilities, if applicable. Please include an explanation of your plan to maintain records required by the PUC, as well as normal business records. In regard to your communication network, please explain how you will receive customer requests for transportation, how you will dispatch the vehicles to fulfill the request, and how you will maintain continuous communication with your drivers.

The carrier maintains a business office at 564 Langhorne Newtown Rd., Unit D, Langhorne, PA which serves as the dispatch/administration center and is a secure facility. This includes use of computerized dispatch, billing and administrative software, and state of the art hardware including power and data backup mechanisms. The office is equipped with locking file cabinets, computers with up-to-date anti-virus software, and network equipment including modems, routers and firewalls, telephones, scanner, copier machines and fax machines.

All of the records of the business, including logs, complaints, driver records and vehicle maintenance records are maintained at this office. Records are retained for the period of time required by applicable law and regulations. The intended hours of operation are 7 a.m. – 7 p.m.

5. Please state the number of drivers you intend to use or hire in your business and explain why that number of drivers is appropriate for the size of the territory you will be serving. In addition, please explain:
- Your hiring standards for drivers.
 - Your system for conducting criminal background checks;
 - Your driver training program.
 - Your system for conducting driver license checks;
 - Your policies regarding alcohol and drug use by your drivers.

The carrier intends to use of hire drivers from its pool of approximately 80 drivers. Based upon the existing carrier's experience providing paratransit service from points in the Counties of Philadelphia, Bucks, Delaware and Montgomery to points in Pennsylvania, and return, it is expected that this number of drivers will be appropriate. To the extent that additional drivers are need, the company is prepared to use or hire as necessary to meet the demands of the public for paratransit service.

See Attachment 5.

6. Please state the number of vehicles you plan to use in your business and why that number is appropriate to provide reasonable and efficient service to the territory you will be serving. If you have already obtained vehicles for your business, please list them in the chart below.

YEAR	MAKE	MODEL	SEATING CAPACITY*	VEHICLE ID #	MILEAGE

*Vehicles with seating capacity of more than 15 passengers, including driver, can't be used in paratransit service.

Applicant intends to use its existing fleet of vehicles to expand service. Please see Attachment 6 for vehicle list.

7. Describe your vehicle safety program. Please include the following in your explanation:
- a. Your periodic vehicle maintenance plan
 - b. Your system for ensuring your vehicles will continuously comply with applicable Pennsylvania vehicle equipment standards (67 Pa. Code, Chapter 175).

- a. **Maintenance program.** Each vehicle undergoes comprehensive maintenance every 90 days. The Company follows a routine schedule that is established for each vehicle, which includes oil changes and checking all safety components.
- b. **Compliance with Pennsylvania vehicle standards.** The Company has all vehicles inspected on an annual basis by certified inspection mechanics at official inspection stations. Any repairs that are required to ensure compliance with inspection standards and to otherwise ensure and vehicle safety are performed by official inspection stations.
- c. **Ongoing compliance.** Besides having all vehicles undergo annual inspections, the Company visually examines each vehicle in operation to ensure that all doors and hinges are working properly and to ensure that they comply with the PUC's vehicle standards for passenger service operation.

8. Please explain what steps you have taken to determine if you can obtain insurance and pay the required insurance premiums.

AAA Fleet operates a fleet of approximately 17 vehicles and has developed a relationship with several specialty insurance brokers. Applicant already has insurance on file for its existing paratransit operations.

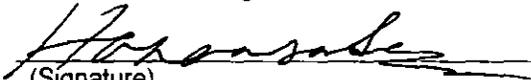
9. State whether the applicant has been convicted of a misdemeanor or felony. If applicant is partnership, limited liability partnership, corporation, or limited liability company this question applies to all members, officers, and/or shareholders. If "YES", explain.

YES NO

10. Financial Data. Complete the "Statement of Financial Position", which follows this page. Please feel free to also provide additional information explaining why you believe you have sufficient funds to ensure your transportation business can provide reliable service to the public in a safe manner.

Verification of Statement

The undersigned deposes and says that he/she is authorized to and does make this verification and that the facts set forth therein are true and correct to the best of his/her knowledge, information, and belief. The undersigned understands that false statements herein are made subject to penalties of 18 Pa. C. S. Section 4904 relating to unsworn falsification to authorities.



 (Signature)

Hanan Sardar, President

 (Name and Title, printed or typed)

06/26/2025
 (Date)

Attachment 5 – Drivers

AAA Fleet Paratransit Application – Supplemental Information

- a. Driver hiring standards. For a driver to begin service, he or she must be interviewed, provide a clean driving record and clean criminal history, and successfully pass a drug test.
- b. Criminal background checks. Criminal records and driving history are obtained from local authorities. These records are reviewed periodically, as required by the Commission's regulations, to ensure compliance.
- c. Driver training program. Drivers are required to complete the company's training program, which focuses on the safety of the vehicle and the safe operation of the vehicle. The program also familiarizes the driver with the operation of the company, including dispatch, maintenance and customer service. Due to the nature of the intended transportation, most drivers are required to be certified emergency medical technicians.
- d. Driver license checks. The company uses an automatic notification system with email/text message alerts one month prior to license expiration date. Also, all drivers are required to notify the company of any change in their driving record. Spot checks of license validity are randomly conducted.
- e. Policies regarding alcohol and drug use. The company is drug and alcohol free with zero tolerance policy for any violations. Possession, use or abuse of alcohol or drugs is cause for immediate dismissal. Drug testing is routinely performed, including random, pre-employment and post-accident.

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