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**June 17, 2026**

**A-6413974**

**A-2026-3063184**

**VISIT VANS LLC  
1101 HAMILTON STREET  
SUITE 160  
ALLENTOWN PA 18101**

**RE: Application of Visit Vans LLC for Paratransit Authority, 1101 Hamilton Street, Suite 160, Allentown, Lehigh County, PA 18101-1043. 484-550-6388**

To Whom It May Concern:

The purpose of this Letter is to advise you that your Application, Docket No. A-2026-3063184 has been **DENIED** by the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission (Commission). The Commission has determined that a Certificate of Public Convenience **WILL NOT BE GRANTED** for the following reason(s):

On June 9, 2026, at Docket A-2026-3061668, the applicant was approved to expand its existing paratransit rights. The expanded rights increased the applicant's territory from two counties with services limited to those seeking transportation to correctional facilities, to six counties with general paratransit rights.

In the previous application, at Docket A-2026-3061668, the applicant indicated that it would require at least three additional drivers per county to properly service the approved expansion and the applicant restates that need for the two additional counties it wishes to add service to in the present application. However, at this time, the applicant has provided no evidence that it has sufficiently staffed itself to meet the demands of its most recent expansion, nor has it addressed the probable need to supply additional vehicles to service the two additional counties requested in the present application. Additionally, each of the three vehicles presently operated by the applicant for paratransit service are at least 15 model years old with higher mileage ranging from 130k miles to 189k miles.

In considering the applicant's present request, the Commission must consider the additional burden and expense the applicant has incurred, the necessity to provide additional staff and vehicles to satisfactorily handle the demands of its most recent expansion, and the additional staff, financial, maintenance expenses it would expect in yet one more expansion. Weighing all of these demands against the applicant's current account balances creates grave concerns about the applicants ability to handle such a large expansion in a very short time frame. As such, the Commission believes the applicant lacks sufficient resources and finances to undertake an additional expansion at this time, without it having first demonstrated its ability to satisfactorily service the previous.

**For these reasons the application is DISMISSED and DENIED**

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If you disagree with this determination, you may send a Petition for Reconsideration of Staff Action to: Secretary, Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission, 400 North Street, Harrisburg, PA 17120. Such a Petition is a written statement asking the Commission to change its determination.

The Petition must be filed with the Commission within twenty (20) days of the date of this letter. If no timely request for reconsideration is made, this action will be deemed to be the final action of the Commission.

The Petition MUST include: (1) a written statement (divided into numbered paragraphs) outlining the reasons for the request, (2) the case docket number(s) (they are provided for you at the top right hand corner of this letter), (3) the name of the person on whose behalf the petition is made, (4) copies of relevant documentation, and (5) a verification with original signature. See 52 Pa. Code §§-1.31 and 5.44.

### **Below is a sample Verification:**

#### *VERIFICATION*

*I, (YOUR NAME GOES HERE), hereby state that the facts above set forth are true and correct (or are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief) and that I expect to be able to prove the same at a hearing held in this matter. I understand that the statements herein are made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa.C.S. § 4904 (relating to unsworn falsification to authorities).*

*(Applicant is not now engaged in intrastate transportation of property or passengers for compensation in this Commonwealth except as authorized by the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission certificate or permit, and will not engage in the transportation for which approval is herein sought, unless and until the transportation is authorized by your Honorable Commission.)*

*(SIGN AND DATE)*

#### **CONCLUSION**

If you believe that you have received this letter in error, please contact the Compliance Office of the Motor Carrier Services in the Bureau of Technical Utility Services at 717-787-3834 within ten (10) days of the date of this letter.

Sincerely



Matthew L. Homsher  
Secretary