

the subsidy-eligible flights (which generally constitute only a small percentage of the carriers' total operations) of a small number of air carriers. The collection permits the Department to timely pay air carriers for providing essential air service to certain eligible communities that would not otherwise receive scheduled passenger air service. The Department provides that subsidy to air carriers monthly, and payments will vary according to the actual amount of service performed during the monthly billing cycle. The reports of subsidized air carriers of essential air service are performed on the Department's Form 398, "Air Carrier's Claim for Subsidy."

DATES: Written comments should be submitted by June 29, 2010.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments [identified by Docket No. DOT-OST-2010-01-02] through one of the following methods:

- *Federal eRulemaking Portal:* <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the online instructions for submitting comments.

- *Fax:* 1-202-493-2251.

- *Mail or Hand Delivery:* Docket Management Facility, U.S. Department of Transportation, 1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE., West Building, Room W12-140, Washington, DC 20590, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except on Federal holidays.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Gregory Frazier, 202-366-0473, Office of Resource Directorate, Office of the Secretary, U.S. Department of Transportation, 1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE., Washington, DC 20590.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

OMB Control Number: 2106-0044.

Title: Air Carrier's Claim for Subsidy.

Form Numbers: OST Form 398.

Type of Review: Renewal of a currently approved information collection.

Background: In accordance with 14 CFR 271 of its Aviation Economic Regulations, the Department provides subsidy to air carriers for providing essential air service in small rural communities. Funding will be paid to the air carriers monthly and those payments will vary according to the actual amount of service performed during the month. The report of subsidized air carriers of essential air service performed on the Department's Form 398 "Air Carrier's Claim for Subsidy," establishes the fundamental basis for paying these air carriers on a timely basis. Typically, subsidized air carriers are small businesses and operate only aircraft of limited size over a limited geographical area. The

collection permits subsidized air carriers to submit their monthly claims in a concise, orderly, easy-to process form, without having to devise their own means of submitting support for these claims.

Respondents: Small air carriers selected by the Department in docketed cases to provide subsidized essential air service.

Number of Respondents: 24.

Number of Responses: 1560 annually.

Frequency: Monthly.

Estimated Total Burden on

Respondents: 5,413 annually.

Public Comments Invited: You are asked to comment on any aspect of this information collection, including (a) whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the Department's performance; (b) the accuracy of the estimated burden; (c) ways for the Department to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information collection; and (d) ways that the burden could be minimized without reducing the quality of the collected information. The agency will summarize and/or include your comments in the request for OMB's clearance of this information collection.

Authority: The Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995; 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended; and 49 CFR 1.48.

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John DiLuccio,

Director, Resource Directorate.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Office of the Secretary

Notice of Applications for Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity and Foreign Air Carrier Permits Filed under Subpart B (Formerly Subpart Q) During the Week Ending April 17, 2010

The following Applications for Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity and Foreign Air Carrier Permits were filed under Subpart B (formerly Subpart Q) of the Department of Transportation's Procedural Regulations (*See* 14 CFR 301.201 *et seq.*). The due date for Answers, Conforming Applications, or Motions To Modify Scope are set forth below for each application. Following the Answer period DOT may process the application by expedited procedures. Such procedures may consist of the adoption of a show-cause order, a tentative order, or in appropriate cases a final order without further proceedings.

Docket Number: DOT-OST-2010-0093.

Date Filed: April 13, 2010.

Due Date for Answers, Conforming Applications, or Motion To Modify Scope: May 4, 2010.

Description: Application of Open Joint Stock Company Transaero Airlines ("Transaero") requesting an foreign air carrier permit and exemption authorizing Transaero to provide: (i) Scheduled foreign air transportation of persons, property and mail between Moscow, Russian Federation, on the one hand, and New York, New York and Miami, Florida, on the other hand; and (ii) charter foreign air transportation of persons, property and mail between a point(s) in the Russian Federation, on the one hand, and a point(s) in the United States, on the other hand, and other charter flights as permitted.

Docket Number: DOT-OST-2005-21533.

Date Filed: April 12, 2010.

Due Date for Answers, Conforming Applications, or Motion To Modify Scope: May 3, 2010.

Description: Application of Friendship Airways, Inc., d/b/a Yellow Air Taxi reapplying for issuance of commuter air authority to enable Yellow Air Taxi to engage in interstate and foreign scheduled air transportation operations utilizing small aircraft.

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Program Manager, Docket Operations, Federal Register Liaison.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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The following Applications for Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity and Foreign Air Carrier Permits were filed under subpart B (formerly subpart Q) of the Department of Transportation's Procedural Regulations (*See* 14 CFR 301.201 *et seq.*). The due date for Answers, Conforming Applications, or Motions To Modify Scope are set forth below for each application. Following the Answer period DOT may process the application by expedited procedures. Such procedures may consist of the adoption of a show-cause order, a tentative order, or in appropriate cases a final order without further proceedings.