

Order 99-10-15

Served: October 21, 1999



**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
WASHINGTON, D.C.**

Issued by the Department of Transportation
on the 18th day of October, 1999

Application of

**THE COAST AIRLINES, INC.
(formerly AIRPortland, Inc.)**

for a certificate of public convenience and necessity under
49 U.S.C. 41102

Docket OST-97-3049

ORDER DISMISSING APPLICATION

On October 24, 1997, The Coast Airlines, Inc. (formerly AIRPortland, Inc.) (The Coast) filed an application in Docket OST-97-3049 requesting a certificate authorizing it to provide interstate scheduled air transportation of persons, property, and mail. By letter dated October 6, 1999, the applicant advised us that it wished to withdraw its application. We will grant The Coast's request and dismiss its application without prejudice to its filing a new application at some future date should it choose to do so.

ACCORDINGLY, Acting under authority assigned by the Department in its Regulations, 14 CFR 385.12:

1. We dismiss, without prejudice, the application filed on October 24, 1997, by The Coast Airlines, Inc. (formerly AIRPortland, Inc.) in Docket OST-97-3049, requesting a certificate of public convenience and necessity.
2. We will serve a copy of this order on the persons listed in Attachment A.

Persons entitled to petition the Department for review of this order, under 14 CFR 385.30, may file their petitions within 10 days of the service date of this order.

This order shall become the final action of the Department of Transportation upon expiration of the above period unless within such period a petition for review is filed or the Department gives notice that it will review this order on its own motion.

By:

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