

DECISION 2014 – 07 - 14
TRAVEL AGENCY COMMISSIONER – AREA 3

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New Zealand

Applicant:

Hawera Travel Centre Ltd.
163 High Street
Hawera,
New Zealand.
Represented by Ms. Diane Tosland, Managing Director

Respondent:

Agency Administrator, Geneva
International Air Transport Association, IATA
Represented by Mr. Nawaz Shaikh, Manager Agency Risk Management Asia/Pacific,
IATA, Singapore.

The Case and Decision

The Agent was due to submit its financial statements to IATA for the Annual Financial Review on 24 July 2014. On 14 July 2014 the Agent contacted the writer with a request to extend the deadline date for a further 2 days. The explanation given was that the Agency had just switched to a new accounting package which their Accountant would have to become familiar with when he returned from vacation on 22 July 2014.

On being questioned by the writer the Agent confirmed that this additional time would allow the audited financial statements to be in the hands of IATA SIN should the period of interlocutory relief be granted.

IATA has not objected to interlocutory relief being granted for the time requested. In accordance with the amended sub paragraph 2.3 of Resolution 820e both Parties have been placed on notice that in the writer's judgement an oral hearing is not justified and the written information submitted will form the basis for the decision.

Bearing the foregoing in mind and having established that a 2 day extension would finish on a Saturday it is hereby decided as follows:-

1. The Agent is granted interlocutory relief until Monday 28 July 2014.

Decided this 14th day of July 2014 in Auckland

Jorgen Foged
Travel Agency Commissioner Area 3

Notes:

1. As per Resolution 820e, Section 4, any Party has the right, if it considers itself aggrieved by this Decision, to seek review by Arbitration in accordance with the provisions of Resolution 824, Section 14.
2. The Parties are advised that effective from 1 June 2012, according to Subparagraph 2.10 of Resolution 820e, any of them may request an interpretation of this Decision, or for a correction of any error in computation, any clerical or typographical error, or any omission in this Decision. Such request must be made within 15 days of receipt of the electronic version of this Decision.