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Luly Massaro
Clerk
Public Utilities Commission
89 Jefferson Boulevard
Warwick, RI 02888

Re: Interstate Navigation Company
Docket No. 3762

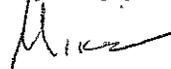
Dear Luly:

In connection with the Joint Petition of Interstate Navigation Company and the Town of New Shoreham regarding the criteria for Block Island discounted resident fares, which we filed on April 16, 2007, enclosed is a slightly revised Application for Issuance of a Block Island Ferry Islander Card. The only revision is that, at the request of the Division, we have added a place for a notary to sign below the applicant's signature.

With the authority of Katherine A. Merolla, Esq., attorney for the Town of New Shoreham, Interstate Navigation Company and the Town of New Shoreham hereby jointly request that the enclosed revised Application be substituted for the Application attached to our April 16, 2007 filing. An original and nine (9) copies are enclosed.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call.

Very truly yours,



Michael R. McElroy

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cc: Susan Linda
William Lueker, Esq.
Katherine Merolla, Esq.

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NOTES:

1. The PUC has ruled that those who are authorized to receive the discounted islander rates “are islanders who commute to the mainland.”
2. Block Island ordinances state in pertinent part:
 - [A] resident is defined as one who resides full time in the Town of New Shoreham.
 - Full time Block Island residency status is not affected by absence due to enrollment at an educational institution or fulfilling a military obligation providing that the resident is also a registered Block Island voter.
 - Full time Block Island residency status is not affected by absence, whatever the reason, of up to three (3) months in any calendar year providing that the resident is also a registered Block Island voter.
3. The Block Island Ferry Islander card must be renewed annually, and you must appear in person to obtain or renew your card.
4. Discounted resident tickets will only be sold on Block Island on a round trip basis. Passenger tickets will be good for 7 days; vehicle tickets will be good for 30 days.
5. If you do not obtain a Block Island Ferry Islander card because you are not a full time Block Island resident, you can still purchase discounted commuter (frequent user) tickets (10 for the price of 9).
6. Block Island Ferry also has reduced rates in effect for all children under 12 and seniors 65 and over, whether or not you are a full time Block Island resident.
7. If your application is denied, you may appeal the denial in writing to Joshua Linda, Vice President, Interstate Navigation Co., P.O. Box 482, New London, CT 06320. Please state why you feel you are a full time Block Island resident (at least 9 months per year). Please include with your written appeal any evidence of your residency that you wish Mr. Linda to review.