281.6185 Disabled persons carriers -- Requirements -- Effect of changes on certificate holders and applicants.

- (1) For human service transportation delivery programs, any disabled persons carrier transporting persons with disabilities requiring the use of specialized equipment shall comply with the provisions of KRS 281.014(5)(a). A carrier operating under a disabled person certificate may provide service to any person not requiring the use of the specialized equipment. A person requiring the use of specialized equipment may be accompanied by a companion.
- (2) Any person or his predecessor in interest engaged as of January 1, 1998, in the transportation of disabled persons, pursuant to a valid taxicab certificate or a taxicab certificate limited to wheelchair equipped vans issued by the department, authorizing this activity, shall, upon application, be issued a certificate as a disabled persons carrier to authorize a continuation of the same operation, except the origin of the trip may be anywhere in the authorized county rather than restricted to the city and its suburban area. Any person or the person's predecessor in interest with a pending taxicab application filed prior to January 1, 1998, may elect to amend the pending taxicab application so as to designate all or a portion of the application as an application for approval to operate disabled person vehicles.

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