BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

E. V. & R. O. MARTENSON 940 Kimbark St., Longmont, ^Colorado

PERMIT NO. C-2078

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March 16, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

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requesti	ing	that	his	Pern	nit	No	C	-20	78	******		be	canç	elled	•		

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>C-2078</u>, heretofore issued to <u>K. V. & R. O. Martenson of 940 Kimbark St., Longmont, Colorado</u> be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective February 5, 1945

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this.....loth day of March....., 19....45.

(Decision No. 20606

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF) C. H. & EULA A. BOYD) Cokedale, Colorado)

PERMIT NO. C-1472

March 16, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The	Commission	n is in	receipt	of a	commun	ication from	***********************************	
<u>C. H.</u>	& Dula A.	Boyd			of	Cokedale	Colorado	
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After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>G-1472</u>, heretofore issued to <u>G. H. & Fulm A. Boyd of Cokedale. Colorado</u> be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective **February 2, 1943**

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 16th day of March , 19 45.

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(Decision No. 20607

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

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		do	Spi	ings,	Co	lorado	

PERMIT NO. C-1760

March 16, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-1760, heretofore issued to E. Summer d/b/a Hikers Food Products Company of 200 S. Cliestnut, Colo Springs, Col and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective February 21, 1945

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this leth day of March , 19 43

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

PERMIT NO. B-2697

W. J. DIGBY Route 8, Box 1104 Denver, Colorado

March 16, 1945

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

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THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION THE STATE OF COLORADO wan Permi Concette Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

L. R	. Ai	
1290	Υ.	Alameda
Denv	er,	Colorado

PERMIT NO. B-2849

March 16, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

	The	Commis	sion	is in	receipt	of a	comm	unication	from	*******	
L.		Allen.			,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,		of	1290/Alam	oda ,	Denver,	Colo,
reques	sting	that	his I	Permit	No		2849		be cano	celled.	٠

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. B-2849 heretofore issued to L. R. Allen of 1290 M. Alameda, Denver, Colorado be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 8, 1943

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 16th day of March , 19 45.

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF

CONNIE WILL Forks, Washington PRIVATE PERMIT NO. B_2701

March 16, 1945

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from the above named permittee, requesting that Permit No. B-2701 be suspended for a period of six months from March 4, 1943.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That Commie Will of Forks, Washington be, and he is hereby, authorized to suspend his operations under Permit No. B-2701 for a period of not to exceed six months from March 4, 1945.

That unless said Commis Will shall, prior to the expiration of said suspension period, while a request in writing for the reinstatement of said permit, file insurance, and otherwise comply with all rules and regulations of the Commission applicable to private carrier permits, said permit, without further action by the Commission, shall be revoked without the right to reinstate.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION THE STATE OF GOLORADE Eular Comissioners.

Bated at Benver, Colorado, this 16th day of March, 1945.

(Decision No. 20611)

RE NOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF

E. E. HARPER D/B/A COPE TRUCK LINE 2052 Welton St., Denver, Colorado

PRIVATE PERMIT NO. B-1712

March 16, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from the above named permittee, requesting that Permit No. B-1712 be suspended for a period of six months from March 8, 1943.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That E E Harper d/b/a Gope Truck Line of Denver, Colorado be, and he is hereby, authorized to suspend his operations under Permit No. B-1712 for a period of not to exceed six months from March 8, 1945.

That unless said E. E. Harper d/b/a Cope Truck Line shall, prior to the expiration of said suspension period, make a request in writing for the reinstatement of said permit, file insurance, and otherwise comply with all rules and regulations of the Commission applicable to private carrier permits, said permit, without further action by the Commission, shall be revoked without the right to reinstate.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION THE STATE OF COLORAD 71110 al nissioners.

Bated at Danver, Colorado, this 16th day of March, 1943.

RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

PERMIT NO. C-10469

GLENN L. TABB Craig, Colorado

March 17, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Com	mission is in rec	eipt of a communication	n from
Glenn L.	Tabb	of Craig	Colorado
requesting th		C-10469	

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-10469, heretofore issued to <u>Glenn L. Tabb of Craig, Colorado</u> be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective February 11, 1943

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

GLENN SIMINOE Palisade, Colorado PERMIT NO. C-10546

March 17, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

I	The	Commissi	on i	s in	receipt	of a	a com	munication	fro	Φ
G	llenr	n Siminoe			,		of	Palisade		Colorado
reques	ting							6		

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>C-10546</u>, heretofore issued to <u>Glenn Siminge of Palisade, Colorado</u> be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective **February 9, 1943**

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

JOE ZINNIO Route 1, Box 96 Pueblo, Colorado PERMIT NO. C-10268

March 17, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of	a communication from	
Joe Zinnio	Route 1, Box 9	Pueblo, Colorado
requesting that his Permit No	C-10268	•

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-10268 heretofore issued to Joe Zinnia of Route 1, Box 96, Pueblo, Colorado be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective February 9, 1943

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THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

A. R. SQUIRE Kremmling, Colorado PERMIT NO. C-9565

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Maarch 17, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

The Commis	ssion is in re	eceipt of a communication	from
A. R. Squire	******	of Kremmling	, Colorado ,
requesting that	his Permit No	oC-9 5 65	be cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-9565, heretofore issued A. R. Squire of Kremmling, Colorado be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective February 1, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

O. D. WOODS

PERMIT NO. C-8684

Springfield, Colorado

March 17, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in recei	pt of a communication from	
0. D. Woods	of Springfield,	Colorado
requesting that his Permit No		

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>C-8684</u>, heretofore issued to <u>O. D. Woods of Springfield, Colorado</u> be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 2, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

ROLLA B. BURCH 4559 Yates St., Benver, Colorado PERMIT NO. C-7819

March 17, 1945

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The	Commission	n is in	receipt	of	a	com	munic	ation	from		*********	******
Rolls	B. Burch	·				.of.,	4539) Yate	s St.	, I	enver,	Colorado
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After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-7819, heretofore issued to Rolls B. Burch of 4539 Xates St., Denver, Colorado be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective January 25, 1945

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this 17th day of March , 1945

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

PERMIT NO. C-7687

J. C. CLAUSSEN 4619 Tejon St., Denver, Colorado

March 17, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. 0-7687, heretofore issued to J. C. Claussen of 4619 Tejon St., Denver, Colorado be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective January 1, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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(Decision No. 20619)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

J. M. MUSGROVE Hugoton, Kansas PERMIT NO.

C-7025

March 17, 1945

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

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After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

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and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective February 15, 1945

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this_____.day of _____. 19___45.

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

W. M. ALLEN 128 Main St., Childress, Texas PERMIT NO. C-6955

March 17, 1945

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

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> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this 17th day of March , 19 43

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS	OF)	
H. O. RINEARSON 412 Douglas St.,)	PERMIT NO.
Sterling, Colorado)	,

C-5836

March 17, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. **C-5836**, heretofore issued to **H. Q. Ringerson of 412 Douglas St., Sterling, Colorado** be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective **February 10, 1945**

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

PERMIT NO. C-4569

WESTERN BAKERS SUPPLY COMPANY) P 0 Box 5326) Terminal Annex, Denver, Colorado)

March 17, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from.....

Western Bakers Supply Company of P 0 Box 5326 Terminal Annex, Denver, Cole requesting that his Permit No. C-4569 be cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-4569, heretofore issued to Western Bakers Supply Company of P O Box 5326, Terminal Annex, Denver, Cole and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective February 4, 1945.

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 17th day of March, 19 45....

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(Decision No. 20623)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

HOWARD NEWBERRY Guffey, Colorado PRIVATE PERMIT NO. B-1164

March 17, 1943

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By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from the above named permittee, requesting that Permit No. B-1164 be suspended for an additional period of six months from March 4, 1943.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That Howard Newberry of Guffey, Colorado be, and he is hereby, authorized to suspend his operations under Permit No. B-1164 for an additional period of six months from March 4, 1943.

That unless said Howard Newberry shall, prior to the expiration of said suspension period, make a request in writing for the reinstatement of said permit, file insurance and otherwise comply with all rules and regulations of the Commission applicable to private carrier permits, said permit, without further action by the Commission, shall be revoked without the right to reinstate.

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 17th day of March, 1943.

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(Decision No. 20624

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF) DOMINO MINES INC) P O Box 297) Colorado Springs, Colorado)

PERMIT NO. C-10955

March 17, 1943

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By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt o	f a communication fro	m
Domino Mines Inc	of P 0 Box 297	Colo Springs, Colorado
requesting that his Permit No		cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>C-10955</u>, heretofore issued to <u>Domino Mines Inc of P O Box 297. Colo Springs, Colorado</u> be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective February 18, 1943

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this 17th day of March , 19 43

RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

PERMIT NO. C-11099

1001 W. 3rd La Junta, Colorado

WALTER E. REINDL

March 17, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in	receipt of a communication fro)@
Walter E. Reindl	of 1001 W. 3rd	La Junta, Colorado
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After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-11099, heretofore issued to Walter E. Reindl of 1001 W. 3rd, La Junta, Colorado be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective January 26, 1943

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this 17th day of March		
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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

TONY BARJAS Oak Creek, Colorado PERMIT NO. C-11243

March 17, 1943

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

Tony Barjas			*****		of Oak Creek	Colorado
The Commission	is in	receipt	of	a	communication	from

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-11243, heretofore issued to Tony Barjas of Oak Creek, Colorado be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective February 9, 1943

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THE PUELIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

PERMIT NO. C-13175

F. E. AKINS **810** Palm St., Abilene, Texas

March 17, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The	Commis	sion	is in	receipt	of	a commun	ication fr	om	
F. E	. Akins			-		of 810	Palm St.	Abilene	, Texas
requesting								cancelled.	-

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

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and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective February 23, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 17th day of March , 19 43

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

PERMIT NO. C-13184

Star Route New Castle, Colorado

March 17, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

V. A. TUMMONS

 The Commission is in receipt of a communication from

 V. A. Tummons
 New Castle, Colorado

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After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-13184, heretofore issued to V. A. Tummons of Star Route, New Castle, Colorado be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective February 2, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 17th day of March , 19 43

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

DR. PEPPER BOTTLING COMPANY 410 W.17th St., Cheyenne, Wyoming PERMIT NO. C-13583

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March 17, 1943

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By the Commission:

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

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IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>C-13583</u>, heretofore issued to <u>Dr. Pepper Bottling Company of 410 - 17th St., Cheyenne, Wyoming</u> be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective **February 6, 1943**

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VI	EHICLE	OPERATIONS	OF)
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E. F. LUC	ERO)
Box 121				j
Pagosa Sp	rings,	Colorado		ś

PERMIT NO. C-13654

March 17, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-13654, heretofore issued E. F. Lucero of Box 121, Pagosa Springs, Colorado be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective January 5, 1943.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 17th day of March , 19.43

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATION	s o	F)					
W. A. RHOADARMER & SONS Pierce, Colorado))))	• .		***	PERMIT NO.	C-13701
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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

By the Commission:

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W. A.	Rhoada	rmer (& Sons			of	Pierce	*****	Colorado ,	,
requestin	g that	his P	ermit	No	C-1	3701		.be	cancelled.	

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

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THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 17th day of March, 19.43

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF) WALTER V. PETERSON &) E. L. HOUCHIN &) 2567 S. Acoma St.,) Denver, Colorado)

PERMIT NO. C-13808

March 17, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

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E.	L. Ho	uchin		******	****	<u>`</u>	****	of 2567 S. Acoma St., Denver, Colorado	
reque	stin	g that his	s Per	mit	No	******		C-13808	

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-13808, heretofore issued to Walter V. Peterson & E. L. Houchin of 2567 S. Acoma St., Denver, Colobe, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective January 1, 1943

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THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners.

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 17th day of.

(Decision No.

20633

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

KRAMER MI	IES INC.	
201 Contin	nental Oil	Building
Denver, C	lorado	

PERMIT NO. C-13840

March 17, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The	Commi	ssion	is in	receipt	of	a	communication from	
Kramer	Mines	Inc.					201 Continental Oil Building, Denver, Cold	3
equestin	g that	his I	Permit	, No		C	-13840 be cancelled.	

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-13840 , heretofore issued to <u>Kramer Mines Inc of 201 Continental Oil Building</u>, Denver, Colorado be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective February 11, 1943

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

WARNER SCHATZ					
Box 283					
Brighton,	Colorado				

PERMIT NO. C-13887

March 18, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of	a communication	from
Warner Schatz	of Box 283	Brighton, Colorado,
requesting that his Permit No	C-13887	be cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-13887, heretofore issued to Warner Schatz of Box 283, Brighton, Colorado be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective January 22, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 18th day of March , 19.43

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

PERMIT NO. C-13917

JOE BRADY 1000 North Santa Fe., Pueblo, Colorado

March 18, 1943

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By the Commission:

The Co	mmission	is in	receipt	of	a	communication i	from	0		*******
Joe Bra	dy		*******			of 1000 North	h Sa	nta Fe	Pueblo,	Colorado
requesting t	hat his I	Permit	No	*****		C-13917	be c	ancelled		

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-13917, heretofore issued to Joe Brady of 1000 North Santa Fe, Pueblo, Colorado be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective. February 11, 1943

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this <u>18th</u> day of <u>March</u>, 19.43.

(Decision No.

20636)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

PERMIT NO. C-14073

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March 18, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>.

By the Commission:

JOHN P. MOSES

Clayton, New Mexico

311 Pine

The Commission is in receipt of	of a	communication	from	*****	******
John P. Moses		of		Clayton,	New Mexico
requesting that his Permit No		14073	·		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>C-14073</u>, heretofore issued to <u>John P. Moses of 311 Pine, Clayton, New Mexico</u> be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective February 15, 1943

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 18th day of March , 19 43

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RE	MOTOR	VEHICLE	OPERATIONS	OF	

PERMIT NO. C-14133

March 18, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

LEE HAROLD 423 W. 2nd

Julesburg, Colorado

The Commission is in	receipt of a communication :	from
Lee Harold		Julesburg, Colorado
requesting that his Permit	C-14133	

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>C-14133</u>, heretofore issued to <u>Lee Harold of 423 W. 2nd, Julesburg, Colorado</u> be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective February 11, 1943

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this 18th day of March , 19 43

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF) GUY M. LUNDIN D/B/A) ASSOCIATED BUILDERS SUPPLY CO) 3043 Walnut St.,) Denver, Colorado)

PERMIT NO. C-14271

March 18, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from Guy M. Lundin d/b/a Associated Builders Supply Company 05043 Walnut St., Denver, Colorado requesting that his Permit No. C-14271 be cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>C-14271</u>, heretofore issued to <u>Guy M. Lundin d/b/a Associated Builders Supply Company of 3043 Walnut St</u> Denver, Colorado and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective February 8, 1943

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 18th day of March , 19 43

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF HENRY HAUSER AND HARRY HARBISON, CO-PARTNERS, DOING BUSINESS AS "HAUSER & HARBISON," EAST PROSPECT STREET, FORT COLLINS, COLORADO, FOR AUTHOR-ITY TO TRANSFER INTERSTATE RIGHTS TO HARRY H. HARBISON, P. O. BOX 302, FORT COLLINS, COLORADO.

PUC NO. 907-I

March 18, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

Heretofore, Henry Hauser and Harry Harbison, co-partners, doing business as "Hauser & Harbison," Fort Collins, Colorado, were authorized, subject to the provisions of the Federal Motor Carrier Act of 1935, to operate as common carriers by motor vehicle in interstate commerce, and PUC No. 907-I issued to them.

Said certificate-holders now seek authority to transfer said certificate to Harry H. Harbison, Fort Collins, Colorado.

The records and files of the Commission fail to disclose any reason why said request should not be granted.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said transfer should be authorized.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That Henry Hauser and Harry Harbison, co-partners, doing business as "Hauser & Harbison," Fort Collins, Colorado, should be, and they hereby are, authorized to transfer all their right, title and interest in and to PUC No. 907-I to Harry H. Harbison, Bort Collins, Colorado, said transfer to be subject to the provisions of the

Federal Motor Carrier Act of 1935.

This order shall become effective twenty (20) days from date.

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THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 18th day of March, 1943.

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(Decision No. 20640)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF) MAURICE E. HILL, ENGLEWOOD, COLO-) RADO, FOR A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC) CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY.)

APPLICATION NO. 5875-B

March 18, 1943

Appearances: Worth Allen, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the applicant; Cecil R. Ditsch, Esq., Littleton, Colorado, for Julius Bussard, doing business as "Bussard Taxi."

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The instant matter was heard in Denver, Colorado, on January 8, 1943.

Thereafter, a petition for an order re-opening the case and receipt of further testimony was filed with the Commission.

Said petition for re-opening of the case alleges that certain testimony of the protestant, Julius Bussard, does not conform to the facts.

After careful consideration of said petition, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that said matter should be re-opened for further hearing.

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IT IS ORDERED:

That the instant matter be, and the same is hereby, re-opened for further hearing, which further hearing shall be held in the Hearing Room of the Commission in Denver, Colorado, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., on March 30, 1943.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 18th day of March, 1943.

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE	MOTO	R VEHICLE	OPERATIONS	OF)
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J	ONES	BROTHERS)

Phippsburg, Colorado

PERMIT NO. C-4422

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March 18, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

Box 72

The	Commission	n is in	receipt	of a	communication fr	om	
Jones	Brothers				.of Box 72	Phippsburg,	
requesting	; that his	Permit	No		C-4422	·	•

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No...C-4422......, heretofore issued to.....Jones.Brothers.of.Box.72, Phippsburg, Colorado......be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective December 26, 1942

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this ______ 18th _____ day of ______ March _____, 19____3...

(Decision No. 20642)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

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PERMIT NO. C-13841

March 18, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

The	Commission is in	receipt of a	communication	from.			**********
Leon A.	Moomaw		.of Four miles	nort	h of	Bayard,	Nebraska
requesting	g that his Permit				-		•

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-13841, heretofore issued to Leon A. Moomaw of Four miles north of Bayard, Nebraska be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective January 28, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 18th day of March , 19.43

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF RUPERT E. BORDEN, GRAND JUNCTION, COLORADO, FOR AN EXTENSION OF PUC NO. 1384, AUTHORIZING THE TRANSPOR-TATION OF COAL BETWEEN POINTS WITH-IN A RADIUS OF ONE HUNDRED MILES OF URAVAN, COLORADO, AND FOR THE TRANSPORTATION OF SULPHURIC ACID FROM GRAND JUNCTION, COLORADO, TO URAVAN, COLORADO, AND FROM GRAND JUNCTION, COLORADO, TO DURANGO, COLORADO, AND FROM MONTROSE, COLO-RADO, TO DURANGO, COLORADO.

APPLICATION NO. 5431-B

March 19, 1943

Appearances: Lincoln D. Coit, Esq., Grand Junction, Colorado, for applicant;
Wayne N. Aspinall, Esq., Grand Junction, Colorado, by James K. Groves, Esq., Grand Junction, Colorado, for G. W. Hawthorne;
Cass M. Herrington, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for The Rio Grande Southern Railroad Company.

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

At the opening of the hearing, which was held in Grand Junction, Colorado, on March 2, 1943, applicant asked to amend his application to include transportation of soda ash from Grand Junction and Montrose to Uravan and to Durango, and the transportation of ore and concentrates from Uravan to Grand Junction and Durango.

No objections were interposed to said amendment, and the same was authorized, save and except that any competitors may, within sixty days from the date hereof, by written notice to the Commission, request a hearing upon the additional authority granted under said amendment.

It was stipulated that in the transportation of coal, applicant would agree not to serve any destination points presently served by Rio Grande Southern Railroad.

Applicant testified as to the necessity for the proposed additional authority he is seeking and the demands that had been made upon him by shippers to perform said service.

It appears that special equipment is needed for the transportation of sulphuric acid, and applicant owns such equipment. No other freight can be transported with sulphuric acid.

No protests were interposed to the granting of the authority sought.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that applicant should be authorized to extend his operations under Certificate No. 1384 to include the additional authority sought.

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IT IS ORDERED:

That the public convenience and necessity require the proposed extension of operations under Certificate No. 1384 to include the transportation of coal between points within a radius of one hundred miles of Uravan, Colorado, save and except that no delivery of coal shall be made to destination points presently served by the Ric Grande Southern Railroad Company; also including the transportation of sulphuric acid and soda ash from Grand Junction and Montrose, Colorado, to Uravan and Durango, Colorado, as well as the transportation of ore and concentrates from Uravan to Grand Junction and Durango; provided, however, that the authority to transport soda ash and ore and concentrates is subject to the right of any competitor not appearing at the instant hearing to file a written request with the Commission on or before sixty (60) days from the date of this order, asking for a hearing upon the question of said additional authority, and this order shall be taken, deemed and held to be a certificate of public convenience and necessity therefor.

The applicant shall file tariffs of rates, rules and regulations and time and distance schedules as required by the rules and regulations of this Commission, within twenty (20) days from date.

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The applicant shall operate his carrier system according to the schedule filed except when prevented by Act of God, the public enemy, or extreme conditions.

This order is subject to compliance by applicant with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of The Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government. This order shall become effective twenty (20) days from date.

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 19th day of March, 1943.

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(Decision No. 20644)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF E. B. HARDENBURGH, DOING BUSI-NESS AS "MARTIN TRUCK LINE," GRAND JUNCTION, COLORADO, PRI-VATE CARRIER PERMIT NO. A-494.

CASE NO. 4880

March 19, 1943

Appearances: E. B. Evans, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the Commission; Cecil S. Haynie, Esq., Grand Junction, Colorado, for Respondent.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The instant case was instituted by issuance of a Show Cause Order on October 9, 1941, alleging that Respondent, in her operations under Private Permit No. A-494, had violated the law and our rules and regulations. Twelve separate charges are contained in said Show Cause Order.

At the hearing, most of these violations were rather satisfactorily explained on the part of Respondent. At least, it is clear from the record, we believe, that such violations as did occur were not wilfull, but stemmed from a desire on the part of the manager of respondent's operation to secure more business.

The evidence does disclose that respondent has transported freight shipments from and to points off of and outside of the territory described in the permit issued to Respondent. The excuse for these operations was the fact that predecessors in interest of Respondent had served said communities under said permit, and Respondent assumed she had like authority.

One of the violations charged is that Respondent's operations under private permit had been, in effect, those of a common carrier. The Commission has heretofore, in Case No. 4827, considered the question of revision of its Rules and Regulations Governing Private Carriers, and several hearings in connection therewith have been held. Due to the outbreak of the war and the resultant demands on all classes of transportation service, we have deemed it unwise to complete our investigation of said private carrier rules and regulations at the present time, and perhaps not until normal conditions once more return in the motor truck transportation industry. Therefore, in the instant case, we will not pass upon the question of whether, under the law and our presently established rules and regulations governing private carriers, Respondent has, as a matter of fact, been operating as a common carrier. However, this action is not to be construed to mean that we are, in any way, relaxing the law or our presently established rules and regulations.

Considerable time has elapsed since the hearing in the instant case, and we have had no further complaints concerning the operations of Respondent.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that the instant case should be dismissed, with a warning to respondent, however, that services under said Permit No. A-494 must be confined to and from points specifically named in the order granting said permit.

<u>ORDER</u>

IT IS ORDERED:

That the instant case be, and the same is hereby, dismissed, with a warning to Respondent, however, that operations under her permit must be confined to those points which have been specifically authorized to be served under the order originally granting said permit.

This order shall become effective twenty (20) days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION COLORADO

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 19th day of March, 1943.

OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF) C. J. MOBERLI, DOING BUSINESS AS) SAN MIGUEL STAGES, MONTROSE, COLO-) RADO.)

March 17, 1943.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

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C. J. Moberly, of Montrose, Colorado, is now the enner of certificate of public convenience and necessity No. 1345, authorizing certain motor vehicle operations between Montrese, Colorado, and Grand Junstien, Colorado, and certain intermediate points, via Placerville, Newwood, and Uravan. Written petition has been filed with the Commission seeking authority to pledge and mortgage said Certificate No. 1345 with the Reconstruction Finance Corporation as partial security for a lean in the principal amount of \$10,000.00. Said lean is payable in approximately three years from the date hereof, at a monthly rute of \$300.00. Certain equipment belonging to mortgager is also pledged to secure said lean.

The records of the Commission indicate that said certificate is in good standing, and it is alleged in said petition that due to increased production of strategic metals needed in the war effort, the said C. J. Moberly is desirous of increasing his service in his authorized territory, and said lean is needed to refinance some of his obligations for equipment, as well as to give him some working capital.

After careful consideration of said petition and the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the authority sought should be granted.

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ORDER

IT IS OFDERED:

That C. J. Moberly, of Montrose, Celorade, be, and he is hereby, authorized to pledge and mortgage to the Reconstruction Finance Corporation Corporation his presently owned certificate of public convenience and mecessity No. 1345, in accordance with the terms and conditions of a "Memorandum signed by Ross L. Hudson, Manager, Denver Lean Agency, Reconstruction Finance Corporation," a copy of which Memorandum is attached to the petition herein, marked Exhibit "A", and by reference made a part of this record.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That this order shall become effective on the day and date hereof.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Calorade, this 17th day of March, 1943.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION) OF WAYNE B. THOMPSON, MESA, COLO-) RADO, FOR AUTHORITY TO TRANSFER) PERMIT NO. A-1034 TO WILLIS BARNES,) MESA, COLORADO.

APPLICATION NO. 3628-PP-AA

March 19, 1943.

Appearances: Wayne B. Thompson, Mess, Colorado, <u>DTO 50;</u> Willis Barnes, Mesa, Colorado, Transferee, <u>DTO 50</u>.

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By the Commission:

On October 9, 1935, Decision No. 6713, Lee L. Prewett was granted a Class "A" permit authorising,-

> "the transportation of farm products and livestock from Mesa to Grand Junction, butter and sweet cream from Mesa to Grand Junction, Clifton and Palisade, with back haul of groceries, cartons and farm supplies Grand Junction to Mesa, however specifically excluding the right to serve intermediate points Mesa to Grand Junction except butter haul to Clifton and Palisade."

Thereafter, on June 4, 1938, said permit, which had been given the number A-1034, was authorized to be transferred to Wayne B. Thompson, the transferor in the instant case.

At the hearing, which was held in Grand Junction, Colorado, on March 2, 1943, the evidence disclosed that no obligations are outstanding against transferor's operations under said permit; that the consideration to be paid for transfer of said permit, including a 1938 model l_2^2 -ton Chevrolet truck, is the sum of \$500.00.

The financial standing and operating reliability of transferee were established to the satisfaction of the Commission.

Ho objections were interposed to the granting of the authority sought.

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Transferse was advised that he should familiarise himself with the authority authorised under said permit and govern his operations accordingly.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the authority sought should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That Wayne B. Thompson, of Mesa, Celerade, be, and he is hereiv, authorized to transfer to Willis Barnes, of Mesa, Celerade, all of his right, title and interest in and to Permit Me. A-1034.

The right of transferee to operate under this order shall depend upon his compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

This order is made a part of the permit authorized to the transferred, and shall become effective twenty days from date.

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 19th day of March, 1943.

(Decision No. 20647)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF MOAD M. HORM, ECKERT, COLORADO, FOR A CLASS "B" PERMIT TO OPERATE AS A PRIVATE CARRIER BY MOTOR VEHICLE FOR HIRE FOR THE TRANSPORTATION OF FAIM PRODUCE AND COAL FROM POINT TO POINT WITHIN A RADIUS OF 50 MILES OF ECKERT, COLORADO.

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APPLICATION-NO. 6266-PP

March 19, 1943. _ _ _ _ _ _ _

Appearances: Moad N. Horn, Eckert, Colorado, 100 101 Wayne N. Aspinall, Esq., Grand Junction, Colorade, by James K. Groves, and James K. Groves, Esq., Grand Junction, Colorado, for G. W. Hawthorne: W. J. Marlew, Codaredge, Celorade, DTO Se.

STATEMENT

By the Countraion:

At the instant hearing, which was held in Grand Junction, Celerade, on March 2, 1943, applicant, testifying in his own behalf, stated that he had been operating under temporary authority pending hearing upon his application; that he did not desire to transport any livestock; that he had a li-ton 1936 Chevrelet truck with stake bed, which was clear and free of all incombrance. and that he had had numerous requests from various shippers in the Eckert territory to transport coal and farm produce for them. Applicant was the only witness in his own behalf.

W. J. Marlew, who operates under Certificate Ne. 1204, is authorized to perform the same service which applicant is seeking, from point to point within a fifty-sile radius of Oedaredge, which is located five miles from Eckert. He testified that there was no need for another permit in that territory; that he had two good trucks at the present time and one was sufficient to take care of all the business; that the granting of any further

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rights in said territory would impair the service which he is now rendering the public. He conceded that at harvest time all of the trucks in the territory were needed to take care of the drop movements, but objected streamously to any further permanent authority being granted.

Under the law, the Commission may not grant a private carrier permit if we determine that same would impair the service of a common 32 carrier operation. In the instant case, we have only the testimony of applicant himself as to the need of his service. The testimony of protestant W. J. Marlew stands uncontroverted, and upon this record, we are compelled to deny the application.

After a careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the instant application should be denied.

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IT IS OFDERED:

That the instant application be, and the same is hereby, denied. This order shall become effective twenty days from the date

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THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO.

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 19th day of March, 1943.

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF SIDNEY J. BEASLEY, RIDGWAY, COLORADO, FOR A CLASS "B" PERMIT TO OPERATE AS A PRIVATE CARRIER BY MOTOR VEHICLE FOR HIRE FOR THE TRANSPORTATION OF LEAD AND ZING ORE FROM IRONTON TO FRANZ MILL AT OURAY, AND FROM BROWN MOUNTAIN TO MAYFLOWER MILL NEAR SILVERTON, SAN JUAN COUNTY, COLORADO.

APPLICATION NO. 6196-PP

March 19, 1943.

Appearances: Sidney J. Beasley, Ridgway, Colorade, <u>wro</u> se; Jerome Pgul, Esq., Ouray, Colorado, for Fellin Brothers.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

At the hearing in the instant matter, which was held at Ouray, Colorado, on November 30, 1942, applicant, testifying in his own behalf, stated that he had had several requests from operators of mines to transport ore from Brown Nountain and Ironton to the Frans mill at Guray, as well as to the Mayflower mill near Silverton; that the parties who had made said requests had advised him that it was almost impossible to get their ore hauled by presently established transportation service, and he named a number of operators who had made such requests upon him. He owns a 1937 Ford dump truck, and his financial standing and operating reliability were established te the satisfaction of the Commission.

Mr. Earl Alexander, whe operated mining properties in the Brown Meuntain and Ironton districts during the year 1942, testified that Fellin Brothers had hauled some ore for him and the service had been satisfactory, but had declined to give him service at a property situated on Brown Mountain on account of the condition of the road which had been constructed from the

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main highway to said property, and that at another time Fellin had been too busy to give him the service desired. This witness had tried to operate his own truck for the transportation of ore, but had found same unsatisfactory.

On behalf of protestants Fellin Brethers, the evidence disclosed that they own eight trucks, six of which are listed with the Commission; that their equipment had not been busy over fifty per cent of the time during the past year. Various conversations that had taken place between Fellin Brothers and witness Alexander were gone into in great detail and disclosed considerable difference of opinion as to the actual facts. Evidence was also introduced to show that trucks of William Smith, a private carrier, were available for ore transportation. This testimony was to the effect that at the time of the hearing two trucks were available and another could be secured if mecessary.

Under the law the Commission is not empowered to grant private permits if it is determined that the granting of same would impair the service of presently established common carriers.

Outside of Mr. Alexander, no shipper witness testified at the hearing, although applicant stated that he had tried to obtain the presence of several of them.

Upon the record as made, the Commission would not be justified in granting an additional permit in the Ouray territory. However, due to the absence of direct testimony as to the need of additional service, and to the further fact that there may be considerable increase in the movement of ore this coming summer from the territory in question, the Commission feels that applicant should have the right to request a further hearing if he can secure additional evidence as to the need for his service. We realise that during the minter months there is but little demand for one transportation in the mountainous area of Ouray County and such need in all probability would not be established until mining operations have opened up in the spring.

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After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the instant application should be denied; provided, however, that applicant may, if he so desires, request a further hearing for the purpose of introducing additional evidence, and provided further that such request is made on or before the 1st day of July, 1943.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That the instant application be, and the same is hereby, denied; provided, however, that applicant may, if he so desires, request a further hearing for the purpose of introducing additional testimony as to the need for his proposed service, and provided further that such request is made on or before the 1st day of July, 1943.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES CONDISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 19th day of March, 1943.

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION) OF JOE PANARISO, ROUTE 2, BOX 721,) PUEBLO, COLORADO, FOR AUTHORITY) TO TRANSFER PRIVATE PERMIT NO.) A-2255 TO PHILLIP PANARISO, RTE 2,) BOX 721, PUEBLO, COLORADO.)

APPLICATION NO. A798-BP-PBA

March 19, 1943.

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By the Commission:

On February 25, 1943, Decision No. 20515, the Commission authorized the transfer of Permit No. A-2255 from Joe Panariso to Phillip Panariso. The operating authority under said permit is outlined in the statement preceding the order in said decision.

We are now in receipt of a written request from the said transferee, Phillip Panarise; to exclude from his authority all territory within a 50-mile radius of Denver, Colorado.

After a careful consideration of said request, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that same should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That hereafter the operating authority under Permit No. A-2255 shall authorize the following operation, viz.;

Coal from "Leader Mines" in Huerfane County to Pueble, Celo., and from coal mines in Fremont County to Pueble; also the right to transport sand, gravel, and such other read surfacing materials as ordinarily are included in the surfacing of roads, from pits and supply points in the State of Celorade to points within a radius of fifty miles of said pits and supply points, excluding service in Boulder, Clear Creek, and Gilpin Counties, and all territory within a fifty-mile radius of Denver, Colorado.

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That this order shall become effective on the day and date

hereof.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO could ma

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 19th day of March, 1943.

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

I. J. TAYLOR GRAIN COMPANY Paoli, Colorado PERMIT NO. C-851

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March 18, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of	? a communication	from
I. J. Taylor Grain Company	Paoli	Colorado
requesting that his Permit No	C-851	.be cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-851 , heretofore issued to. I. J. Taylor Grain Company of Paoli, Colorado be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective January 21, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 18th day of March , 1943....

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

JOHN PRETIGER Price, Utah PERMIT NO. C-5428

March 18, 1943

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After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

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IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-54288, heretofore issued to John Pretiger of Price, Utah be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective February 1, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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(Decision No. 20652

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF) RAY PADILLA) C/O V. K. JONES) Sunnyside, Utah)

PERMIT NO. C-5967

March 18, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a	communication from
Ray Padilla c/o V. K. Jones	.of
requesting that his Permit No	-5967 be cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-5967, heretofore issued to <u>Rev Padilla c/o V. K. Jones of Sunnyside, Utah</u> be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective **February 6, 1943**

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this 18th day of March , 19 43

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)) WILLIAM VEITH & M. L. FUNK)

PERMIT NO. C-1118

D/B/A) WEST SIDE GROCERY) Gunnison, Colorado)

March 18, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

	The	Commi	ssion	is i	n rec	eipt	of	ac	communication	from.	William	Veith	&
H.	L.]	Punk	d/b/a	West	Side	Gro	cery	c	f Gunnisc	n	Co]	orado	••••••
reques	stin	g that	his	Permi	t No.	****	C	-11	18	be ca	uncelled.		

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

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IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>C-1118</u>, heretofore issued to <u>William Veith & H. L. Funk d/b/a West Side Grocery of Gunnison, Coloradobe</u>, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective February 18, 1943

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 18th day of March , 19.43.

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF) ROY & GLYN CARSON Del Norte, Colorado
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PERMIT NO. C-11303

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March 18, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of	a communication fr	rom
Roy & Glym Carson	of. Del Norte	Colorado
requesting that his Permit No	-11303	e cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>C-11303</u>, heretofore issued to <u>Roy & Glyn Carson of Del Norte, Colorado</u> be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective February 21, 1943

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this 18th day of March, 19.43

(Decision No. 20655

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF) ERNEST ORTIZ & ED MARES

Aguilar, Colorado

PERMIT NO. C-12718

March18, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt (of a commun	ication from	********
Ernest Ortiz & Ed Mares	of	Aguilar	Colorado
requesting that his Permit No	C-12718	be ca	

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-12718, heretofore issued to Ernest Ortiz & Ed Mares of Aguilar, Colorado be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective February 19, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this 18th day of March, 19.43

RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF) SUMMIT-NOEL-HAGGART

PERMIT NO.

C-13993

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March 18, 1943 *******

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

Jetmore, Kansas

The Commissi	ion is in receipt	of a communication	from
Summit-Noel-Ha	ggart	of Jetmore	Kansas
requesting that hi	is Permit No	C-13993	

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-13993 , heretofore issued to _____ Summit-Noel-Haggart of Jetmore, Kansas ______ be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective February 11, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

JACOB MARTIN 3524 W. 45th Ave., Denver, Colorado

PRIVATE PERMIT NO. B-2742

March 20, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from the above named permittee, requesting that Permit No. B-2742 be suspended for a period of six months from March 1, 1943.

ORDER

IT 18 ORDERED:

That Jacob Martin of Denver, Colorado be, and he is hereby, authorized to suspend his operations under Permit No. B-2742 for a period of not to exceed six months from March 1, 1943.

That unless said Jacob Martin shall, prior to the expiration of said suspension period, make a requestin writing for the reinstatement of said permit, file insurance, and otherwise comply with all rules and regulations of the Commission applicable to private carrier permits, said permit, without further action by the Commission, shall be revoked without the right to reinstate.

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 20th day of March, 1943.

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

CLYDE PETERSON 1105 Palmer St., Delta, Colorado

PRIVATE PERMIT NO. B-2852

March 20, 1943

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from the above named permittee, requesting that Permit No. B-2852 be suspended for a period of six months from March 10, 1943.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That Clyde Peterson of Delta, Colorado be, and he is herepy, authorized to suspend his operations under Permit No. B-2852 for a period of not to exceed six months from March 10, 1943.

That unless said Clyde Peterson shall, prior to the expiration of said suspension period, make a request in writing for the reinstatment of said permit, file insurance, and otherwise comply with all rules and regulations of the Commission applicable to private carrier permits, said permit, without further action by the Commission, shall be revoked without the right to reinstate.

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 20th day of March, 1943.

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(Decision No. 20659)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR WEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

Route 1 Trinidad, Colorado

APPLICATION NO. 5754-PP

March 20, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from Raymond Pusedu, of Route 1, Trinidat, Colorado requesting that the authority granted in Application No. 5754-PP, Decision No. 17894 be cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That the authority granted in Application No. 5754-PP, Decision No. 17894, heretofore issued to Raymond Pusedu be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 8, 1943.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION THE STATE OF COLORAD Ellan

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 20th day of March, 1943.

(Decision No. 20660

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

PERMIT NO. C-3311

PHILLIP SCHLAGEL Route 2 Longmont, Colorado

March 20, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of	a communication fr	OM
Phillip Schlagel	of Route 2	Longmont, Colorado
requesting that his Permit No	C-3311 be	cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>C-3311</u>, heretofore issued to <u>Phillip Schlagel of Route 2, Longmont, Colorade</u> be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective February 18, 1943

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this 20th day of March , 19.43

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

PERMIT NO. C-1681

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March 20, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

G. SCHWANINGER

1425 S. Sherman St., Denver, Colorado

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

<u>ORDER</u>

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>C-1681</u>, heretofore issued to <u>G. Schwaninger of 1425 S. Sherman St.</u>, <u>Denver</u>, <u>Colorado</u> be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective <u>March 1</u>, 1943

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this 20th March 19.43

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

Q. W. PETH	
635 North 3rd St.,	2
Grand Junction, Colorado)
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PERMIT NO. C-1808

March 20, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

	The	Commissi	on is	; in	receipt	of	a	commun	icatio	n fr	om		****	-
0.	W.	Peth			***			.of 635	North	3rd	St.,	Grand	Junction,	Colorado
reques	stin	g that hi									-		,	

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

C-1808 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No., heretofore issued to...... O. W. Peth of 635 North 3rd St., Grand Junction, Coloradobe,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 8, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 20th day of March , 19.43

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(Decision No. 20663

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF) MRS. J. J. ANDREWS

1715 Carey Ave., Apt #2

Cheyenne, Wyoming

PERMIT NO. C-5292

March 20, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-5292, heretofore issued to Mrs. J. J. Andrews of 1715¹/₂ Carey Ave., Apt #2, Cheyenne, Wyoming be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 1, 1943

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this 20th day of March , 19 43

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

GEORGE E. ROSE Ovid, Colorado PERMIT NO. C-8029

March 20, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

The	Commission	n is in	receipt	of	a	communication	fro	
Georg	e E. Rose				• • • •	.of Ovid		Colorado
						C-8029		

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-8029, heretofore issued to George E. Rose of Ovid, Colorado be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 8, 1943

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THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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(Decision No. 20665

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

FRED BRO	OWN
Box 714	
•	Colorado

PERMIT NO. C-9537

March 20, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

The	Commission	is in	receipt of	fa	communication fr	om
Fred	Brown				of ^{Box 714}	Arvada, Colorado
	· •				C-9537	

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>C-9537</u>, heretofore issued to <u>Fred Brewn of Box 714</u>, Arvada, Colorado be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 12, 1943

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 20th day of March , 19 43

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)) DELTA COUNTY CANNING COMPANY)

PERMIT NO. C-9765

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March 20, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

Delta, Colorado

The Commission is in receipt of	a communication fr	om
Delta County Canning Company	of Delta	Colorado
requesting that his Permit No		

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-9765, heretofore issued to Delta County Canning Company of Delta, Colorado be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 5, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO nieteron

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 20th day of March , 19 43

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

WILLIAM WOODROW MCHODGKINS Alamosa, Colerado

PERMIT NO. C-12367

March 20, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The	Commission	n is in rece	ipt of a communi	.cation from.	***************************************
William	Woodrow Mc	Hodgkins	Al	amosa	Colorado
requestin	g that his	Permit No	C-12367		

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>C-12367</u>, heretofore issued to <u>William Woodrow McHodgkins of Alamosa, Colorado</u> be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 9, 1943

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this 20th day of March , 19.43

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

WELSH ELEVATOR TRANSIT COMPANY 101 West Main St.,) Sterling, Colorado)

PERMIT NO. C-13769

March 20, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>C-13709</u>, heretofore issued to <u>Welsh Elevator Transit Company of 101 West Main St.</u>, Sterling, Colorado be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective <u>March 9, 1943</u>

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this 20th day of March , 19.43

(Decision No. 20669

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF) SAM ARAGON D/B/A) SAM'S AUTO PLACE) Route 3, Box 64) Greeley, Colorado)

PERMIT NO. C-14314

March 20, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The	Commissio	n is in	receipt	of a	communicat	tion	from	Sam Aragon	d/b/a
Sam !s	Auto Pla	C0			of Route	3, B	ox 64	Greeley,	
requesting	g that his	Permit	No		C-14314	******	.be cai	ncelled.	. •

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>C-14314</u>, heretofore issued to <u>Sam Aragon d/b/a Sam's Auto Place of Route 3, Box 64, Greeley, Colorado</u> and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective <u>March 11, 1943</u>

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this ______ day of ______ March _____, 19_43.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF R. A. BULLOCK, ROUTE 3, LONGMONT, COLORADO, FOR A CLASS "B" PERMIT TO OPERATE AS A PRIVATE CARRIER BY MO-TOR VEHICLE FOR HIRE FOR THE TRANS-PORTATION OF TIMBER, TIMBER PROD-UCTS AND SAWMILL PRODUCTS FROM FOR-ESTS AND CAMPS IN MOUNTAINS WEST OF HIGHWAY NO. 287 AND NORTH OF HIGH-WAY NO. 50 TO POINTS IN SAID AREA AND FROM AND TO POINTS IN SAID AREA, TO AND FROM POINTS IN THE STATE OF COLORADO; FARM PRODUCTS, INCLUDING LIVESTOCK, BETWEEN POINTS WITHIN AN AREA BOUNDED BY A LINE DRAWN NORTH AND SOUTH TEN MILES WEST OF LONG-MONT, SOUTH TO HIGHWAY NO. 36, EAST TO A LINE DRAWN NORTH AND SOUTH THROUGH AKRON, COLORADO, AND NORTH TO STATE LINE.

APPLICATION NO. 6281

March 20, 1943

- Appearances: R. A. Bullock, Route 3, Longmont, Colorado, pro se; A. J. Fregeau, Denver, Colorado, for Weicker Transfer
 - and Storage Company; T. A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the Common Carrier Division of The Colorado Motor Carriers' Association.

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

At the hearing, which was held in Denver, Colorado, on March 16, 1943, applicant agreed to eliminate from his application any town to town movement of timber and sawmill products, and farm produce, between towns in competition with presently established common carrier service.

In view of this stipulation, all objections to the granting of the authority sought were withdrawn.

The financial standing and operating reliability of applicant were established to the satisfaction of the Commission.

After a careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that, as limited by the testimony, the authority sought should be granted.

<u>ORDER</u>

IT IS ORDERED:

That R. A. Bullock, of Longmont, Colorado, be, and he is hereby, authorized to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of timber and timber products, and sawmill products from forests and camps in the mountains west of Highway No. 287 and north of Highway No. 50, to points in said area, and from and to points in said area, to and from points in the State of Colorado, including the right to transport farm products (including livestock) between points within the area bounded by a line drawn north and south ten miles west of Longmont from Highway No. 36 to the Colorado-Wyoming boundary line, and thence from said point on Highway No. 36 east to a line drawn north and south through Akron, Colorado; thence north to the Colorado-Nebraska boundary line, save and except that no town to town movement of either farm products or timber and sawmill products shall be rendered in competition with presently established common carrier service.

All operations hereunder shall be strictly contract operations, the Commission retaining jurisdiction to make such amendments to this permit deemed advisable.

This order is the permit herein provided for, but it shall not become effective until applicant has filed a statement of his customers, copies of all special contracts or memoranda of their terms, the necessary tariffs, required insuance, and has secured identification cards.

The right of applicant to operate hereunder shall depend upon his compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

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The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of The Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government. This order shall become effective twenty (20) days from date.

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 20th day of March, 1943.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF EUGENE GOETZ, WESTMINSTER, COLO-RADO, FOR AN EXTENSION OF HIS PER-MIT NO. B-2870 TO INCLUDE THE TRANS-PORTATION OF HAY, GRAIN, FARM PRODUCTS (NO LIVESTOCK), AND MANURE BETWEEN POINTS WITHIN A RADIUS OF ONE HUNDRED MILES OF WESTMINSTER, COLORADO.

APPLICATION NO. 6125-PP-B

March 20, 1943

Appearances: Eugene Goetz, Westminster, Colorado, pro se; A. J. Fregeau, Denver, Colorado, for Weicker Transfer and Storage Company; T. A. Stockton, Jr., Esq.,

Denver, Colorado, for the Common Carrier Division of The Colorado Motor Carriers' Association.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

At the hearing, which was held in Denver, Colorado, on March 16, 1943, applicant stipulated that he would eliminate from his application any town to town movement of farm products, except for the transportation, in bulk, of loose hay, ground hay, and grain.

In view of this stipulation, all objections to the granting of the authority sought were withdrawn.

The financial standing and operating relisbility of applicant were established to the satisfaction of the Commission.

Applicant is now authorized to transport:

sand, gravel, and other materials used in making up the surface of roads, from pits and supply points in the State of Colorado to points within a radius of fifty miles of said pits and supply points, excluding service in Boulder, Clear Creek and Gilpin Counties and including authority to transport coal from mines in the northern Colo-rado coal fields to Denver.

After a careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that, as limited by the testimony, the authority sought should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That applicant be, and he is hereby, authorized to extend his operations under Permit No. B-2870 to include the transportation of farm products (no livestock) and manure between points within a radius of one hundred miles of Westminster, Colorado, save and except that no farm products outside of manure, loose hay, ground hay and grain, in bulk, shall be transported between towns within said area in competition with presently established common carrier service.

This order is made a part of the permit granted to applicant. The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of The Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government.

This order shall become effective twenty (20) days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 20th day of March, 1943.

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

LE THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF MILES MATEMAN, FORT LUPTON, COLORADO, FOR AM EXTENSION OF HIS PERMIT NO. A-667 TO INCLUDE THE TRANSPORTATION OF COAL, STOCK, FARM PRODUCE, HAY AND GRAIN DETWEEN POINTS WITHIN A RADIUS OF FIFTY MILES OF FORT LUPTON, COLORADO.

APPLICATION NO. 5041-PP-NB

March 20, 1943.

Appearances: Miles Bateman, Fort Lupton, Colorado, <u>pro se</u>; A. J. Fregeau, Denver, Colorado, for Weicker Transfer and Storage Company; T. A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Denver, Colorade, for Frank La Hoche, Frederick, Colorado.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

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At the hearing, which was held in Denver, Colorado, on March 16, 1943, applicant stipulated that he would eliminate from his application the deldwary of any coal within a 4-mile radius of Frederick, Colorado, and would further restrict his area to the territory fifty miles east of Highway No. 85 and fifty miles north of Highway No. 36, and did not propose to render any service between terms in competition with established common cerriers.

In view of this stipulation, all objections to the granting of the authority sought were withdrawn.

The financial standing and operating reliability of applicant were established to the satisfaction of the Commission.

Applicant new has a Class "A" permit, and the instant application seeks to extend operations under same. His present authority covers the transportation of .-

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coal from the Baum coal mine, which is located approximately eight miles from Port Lupton, to Fort Lupton and intermediate points, via Colorado Highmay No. 52, and the transportation of coal from the northern Colorado coal fields to Fort Empton and points within a radius of five miles thereof. However, the operations under the proposed extension would be those of a Class "B" instead of a Class "A" carrier, and the permit will be changed accordingly.

After a careful consideration of the record, the Commission is ' of the opinion, and so finds, that, as limited by the testimony at the bearing, the authority sought should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That Permit No. A-667 be changed to "B-667", and that the authority to transport coal thereunder be restricted to provide that ne eval will be delivered within a radius of four miles of Frederick, and that in addition to said coal haul, as restricted, applicant be authorised to transport farm products, including livestock, from point to point within that pertion of a 50-mile radius of Fort Lupton, Colorado, lying east of U. S. Highway No. 85 and north of U. S. Highway No. 36; provided, hewever, that no transportation of farm products, except in bulk, shall be authorized between towns in competition with presently established common carriers.

This order is made a part of the permit granted to applicant, and shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 20th day of March, 1943.

(Decision No. 20673)

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF A GENERAL INVESTIGATION) OF THE FREIGHT RATES, AND CLASSIFICATION) OF FREIGHT, OF ALL COLMON AND PRIVATE) MOTOR VEHICLE CARRIERS.)

CASE NO. 1585

March 20, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a petition from the Motor Truck Common Carriers Association, as Agent, for and on behalf of the Weicker Transfer and Storage Company, requesting authority to put in force a rate of 22 cents per can, subject to a minimum shipment of 25 cans, on milk or cream in ten-gallon shipping cans from Denver, Colorado, to Colorado Springs, Colorado, said rate to include the return of empty cans, and to remain in effect only for the duration of the present war.

In support of its request, the petition sets forth the following special circumstances and conditions:

"The shipments of milk originate at Sterling, Colorado, and are destined to the I. X. L. Creamery in Colorado Springs where it is processed for delivery to the Armed Forces.

"At present shipments move by truck from Sterling, Colorado, to Denver, Colorado, where it is transferred to rail for movement to destination. This method of handling is not approved by the consignee inasmuch as it often arrives in an unsatisfactory condition.

"Your petitioner has been informed that this traffic will average between 30 and 60 ten-gallon cans of milk daily, seven days per week.

"The present rate on milk from Denver to Colorado Springs, a distance of 73 miles, is 71¢ per 100 pounds, while the rate from Sterling to Denver, a distance of 123 miles, is 26¢ per ten-gallon can. In view of this fact, your petitioner feels justified in requesting a rate of 22¢ per ten-gallon can from Denver to Colorado Springs, Colorado." Inasmuch as the Weicker Transfer and Storage Company is the only motor vehicle common carrier involved in the territory in question, the Commission does not feel that a hearing should be required in order to act on this petition.

The Commission finds that the request should be authorized.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That the above statement, and statement of February 5, 1936, and various subsequent dates, are made parts hereof; that the order entered in this proceeding on February 5, 1936, as since amended, is further amended insofar as shall be necessary to give effect to the amended findings made in the above statement; and, except as herein amended, the above order, as amended, shall continue in full force and effect.

That this order shall become effective on the 23rd day of March, 1943, and that the rates prescribed and approved herein shall be published by Weicker Transfer and Storage Company and all private carriers by motor vehicle operating in intrastate commerce in Colorado, to the extent they are affected, on notice to this Commission and the general public by not less than one day's filing and posting in the manner prescribed in Section 16 of the Public Utilities Act of 1913, and Section 10, Chapter 120, Session Laws of 1931, as amended, and that on and after said date said Weicker Transfer and Storage Company shall cease and desist from demanding, charging, and collecting rates and charges which shall be greater or less than the rates herein prescribed; and private carriers by motor vehicle shall cease and desist from demanding, charging, and collecting rates and charges which shall be less than those prescribed herein.

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This order shall not be construed so as to compel a private carrier by motor vehicle to be or become a motor vehicle common carrier, or to subject any such private carrier by motor vehicle to the laws or liability applicable to a motor vehicle common carrier.

That this order shall continue in force until the further order of the Commission; and that the rates herein ordered shall expire at the close of the present war.

That jurisdiction is retained to make such further orders as may be necessary and proper.

That this order shall become effective on less than twenty (20) days' notice.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION. OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 20th day of March, 1943

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(Decision No. 20674)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

RAY LAMBERT Box 113 Morrison, Colorado

APPLICATION NO. 6133-PP

March 24, 1943

SIATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from Ray Lambert of Morrison, Colorado requesting that the authority granted in Application No. 6133-PP, Decision No. 19635 be cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That the authority granted in Application No. 6133-PP, Decision No. 19635, heretofore issued to Ray Lambert be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 18, 1943.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO revan Cŏ missioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 24th day of March, 1943.

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF

YELLOW CAB COMPANY AND/OR) BOULDER TAXI COMPANY) 3158 - 11th St.,) Boulder, Colorado)

PUCNO. 1358

March 24, 1943

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from the above named certificate holder, requesting that Certificate No. 1358 be suspended for an additional six months from April 1, 1943.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That Yellow Cab Company and/or Boulder Taxi Company of Boulder, Colorado be, and is hereby, authorized to suspend operations under Certificate No. 1358 for a period of not to exceed six months from April 1, 1943.

That unless said Yellow cab Company and/or Boulder Taxi Company shall, prior to the expiration of said suspension period, make a request in writing of the reinstatement of said Certificate, file insurance and otherwise comply with all rules and regulations of the Commission applicable to Certificate holders, said Certificate, without further action by the Commission, shall be revoked without the right to reinstate.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 24th day of March, 1943.

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF C. J. SCHULER, TELLURIDE, COLORADO, TO TRANSFER HIS INTEREST IN CERTI-FICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NE-CESSITY NO. 60 TO R. S. DUNN, TELLU-RIDE, COLORADO.

APPLICATIONS NOS. 564-BBB-A 3152-AA

March 25, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

Heretofore, certain certificates of public convenience and necessity have been issued to C. F. Loebnitz and C. J. Schuler, copartners, doing business as "Telluride Transfer Company." Said certificates were operated under PUC No. 60, and the instant application seeks authority to transfer the interest of C. J. Schuler in and to said Certificate No. 60 to R. S. Dunn, Telluride, Colorado.

It further appears that the said R. S. Dunn is purchasing not only the undivided interest of the said C. J. Schuler in said certificate, but also his one-half interest in and to all property now belonging to the Telluride Transfer Company. The balance sheet of said company shows total assets of approximately \$39,000.00.

It also appears that no outstanding obligations, except current bills, exist against the present operations under said certificate, and the Commission is satisfied as to the financial standing and operating reliability of transferee.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the authority sought herein should be granted without the necessity of a formal hearing. <u>ord</u><u>E</u>R

IT IS ORDERED:

That C. J. Schuler be, and he is hereby, authorized to transfer to R. S. Dunn all of his right, title and interest in and to certificate of public convenience and necessity No. 60.

This order shall become effective ten (10) days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 25th day of March, 1943.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF DURAND BROTHERS, DENVER, COLORADO, FOR A CLASS "B" PERMIT TO OPERATE AS A PRIVATE CARRIER BY MOTOR VE-HICLE FOR HIRE FOR THE TRANSPORTA-TION OF BUILDINGS FROM THE GROUNDS OF THE ROCKY MOUNTAIN ARSENAL TO HOME AND BUILDING SITES WITHIN A TWENTY-FIVE-MILE RADIUS OF SAID ARSENAL, FOR W. A. HUTCHENS.

APPLICATION NO. 6188-PP

March 25, 1943

- Appearances: Durand Brothers, 203 South Federal Boulevard, Denver, Colorado, pro se;
 - A. J. Fregeau, Denver, Colorado, for Weicker Transfer and Storage Company:
 - T. A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the Common Carrier Division of The Colorado Motor Carriers' Association, The Duffy Storage and Moving Company.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

At the instant hearing, which was held in Denver, Colorado, on November 18, 1942, it was stipulated that the temporary authority under which applicants were operating, should be extended until such time as all houses and other buildings required to be removed from the Rocky Mountain Arsenal territory had been transported therefrom.

In view of this stipulation, applicants consented that the instant application should be dismissed.

The Commission extended said temporary authority in accordance with said agreement.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the instant application should be dismissed.

IT IS ORDERED:

That the instant application be, and the same is hereby, dismissed.

This order shall become effective twenty (20) days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 25th day of March, 1943.

(Decision No. 20678)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF

W. H. COLLIER 302 Beattie Sterling, Colorado APPLICATION NO. 6174-PP

March 26, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

On September 26, 1942, in Application No. 6174-PP, Decision No. 19733 W. H. Collier of Sterling, Colorado was granted authority to operate as a Class B private carrier by motor vehicle for hire. However, the application was never completed and permit was not issued.

Now the Commission is in receipt of a request to "please suspend authority granted in Decision No. 19733 for duration and six months thereafter as I am entering the armed forces of U.S.A. and refund deposit."

Therefore the Commission finds that said request should be granted.

<u>O R D E R</u>

IT IS ORDERED:

That W. H. Colloer of Sterling, Colorado, be and and hereby authorized to suspend the authority granted in Application No. 6174-PP, Decision No. 19733 to operate as Class B private carrier by motor vehicle for hire, for the direction and sim months from March 20, 1943.

That unless said W. H. Collier shall, prior to the expiration of said suspension period, make a request in writing for the reinstatement of said authority file insurance and otherwise comply with all rules and regulations of the Commission applicable to private carrier permits, said authority, without further action by the Commission, shall be revoked without the right to reinstate.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION THE STATE OF Zuan Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 26th day of March, 1943

(Decision No. 20679)

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF

JOHN A. MEKERS) 4663 Logan St.,) <u>PUCNO.513</u> Denver, Colorado)

March 26, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from the above named certificate holder, requesting that certificate No. 513 be suspended for an additional six months from March 1, 1943.

<u>ORDER</u>

IT IS ORDERED:

That John A. Meyers of Denver, Colorado be, and he is hereby, authorized to suspend his operations under Certificate No. 513 for an additional six months from March 1, 1943.

That unless said John A. Meyers shall, prior to the expiration of said suspension period, make a request in writing for the reinstatement of said Certificate, file insurance, and otherwise comply with all rules and regulations of the Commission applicable to certificate holders, said certificate, without further action by the Commission, shall be revoked without the right to reinstate.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO m Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 26th day of March, 1943.

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(Decision No. 20680)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF

JOSEPH H. LEE Fowler, Colorado P U C NO. 517

March 27, 1943

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from the above named Certificate holder, requesting that Certificate Number 517 be suspended for an additional six months from April 1, 1943.

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IT IS ORDERED:

That Joseph H. Lee of Fowler, Colorado be, and he is hereby, authorized to suspend his operations under Certificate No. 517 for an additional six months from April 1, 1943.

That unless said Joseph H. Lee shall, prior to the expiration of said suspension period, make a request in writing for the reinstatement of said Certificate, file insurance, and otherwise comply with all rules and regulations of the Commission applicable to Certificate holders, said Certificate, without further action by the Commission, shall be revoked without the right to reinstate.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION THE STATE OF COLORADO : Juan Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 27th day of March, 1943.

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

PERMIT NO. C-13041

KLEIN-BARTZ	MOTOR	COMPANY
921 E. 14th	-	
Denver, Cold	orado	

March 30, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a	communication from
Klein-Bartz Motor Company	of 921 E. 14th Ave., Denver, Colorado
requesting that his Permit No	C-13041 be cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-13041, heretofore issued to Elein-Bastz Motor Company of 921 E. 14th Ave., Denver, Colorado be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective January 1, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 30th day of March , 19 43

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

PERMIT NO. 0-11072

LEROY GILES AND COMPANY Idaho Springs, Colorado

March 30, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of	a communication from	*******
Leroy Giles and Company	Idaho Springs,	Colorado
requesting that his Permit No	C-11072	ncelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-11072 , heretofore issued to Leroy Giles and Company of Idaho Springs, Colorado be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective February 23, 1943.

March

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THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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(Decision No. 20683

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

R. A. BETTS Wetmore, Colorado PERMIT NO. C-3323

March 30, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from.....

R.	A. Betts		of	Watmore	Colorado
-	`	Permit No			

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

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and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 3, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

PERMIT NO. C-74

March 30, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

GORDON AULD

La Salle, Colorado

The C	ommission	is in	receipt	of a	communication	from
Gordon	Auld				.ofof	Colorado
requesting	that his	Permit	No			· · ·

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No......G=74....., heretofore issued to <u>Gordon Auld of La Salle, Colorado</u> be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective <u>March 14, 1943</u>

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 30th day of March, 19 43

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

WILLIAM T. BULLERD 417 Mapleton Boulder, Colorado PERMIT NO. C-3984

March 30, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>C-3984</u>, heretofore issued to <u>William T. Bullard of 417 Mapleton, Boulder, Colorado</u> be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective January 15, 1943

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 30th day of March , 19 43

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

HARRY M. BEACH Bayfield, Colorado PERMIT NO. C-

C-3958

March 30, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

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********	Har	ry M.	Beach	1	,		of Bay	field	Colorado	
reques	stin	g that							e cancelled.	-

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-3958, heretofore issued to Harry M. Beach of Bayfield, Colorado be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 17, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this 30th day of March, 19.43

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF) JUNE CHEVROLET COMPANY) 966 Elm Ave.,) Rocky Ford, Colorado)

PERMIT NO. C-14262

March 30, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from June Chevrolet Company 0f 966 Elm Ave., Rocky Ford, Colorado requesting that his Permit No. C-14263 be cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-14263, heretofore issued to June Chevrolet Company of 966 Elm Ave., Rpcky Ford, Colorado be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective February 28, 1943.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this 30th day of March , 19 43

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF

GEORGE VENDEGNIA 3424 Shoshone St., Denver, Colorado PERMIT NO. C-14242

March 30, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of	a communication from
George Vendegnia	3425 Shoshone St., Denver, Colorado
requesting that his Permit No	C-1/2/2

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>C-14242</u>, heretofore issued to <u>George Vendegnia of 3424 Shoshone St., Denver, Colorado</u> be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective <u>March 23, 1943</u>.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this 30th day of March , 19 43.

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

NAGEL BEVERAGE	COMPANY
1301 Main St.,	
Boise, Idaho	

PERMIT NO.

C-13818

March 30, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt	of a communication from
Nagel Beverage Company	of 1301 Main St., Boise, Idaho,
requesting that his Permit No	C-13818 be cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-13818, heretofore issued to Magel Beverage Company of 1301 Main St., Boise, Idaho be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 21, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 30th day of March , 19 43.

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

W. H. COLLIER 302 Beattie St., Sterling, Colorado PERMIT NO.

C-13768

March 30, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

The	C	ommissi	on is	i in	receipt	of	a	communi	ication	from.	*******************	*************
W.]	н.	Collie						.of 302	Beatti	e St.,	Sterling,	Colorado
requestir	ng '	that hi	s Per	mit	No		<u></u>	13768				,

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

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and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 20, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this 30th day of March, 19_43....

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

DON CHANCE Masonville Route Loveland, Colorado PERMIT NO. C-13767

March 30, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Comm	ission is in recei	pt of a communication	from
Don Chance)	Masonville of	
		C-13767	

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-13767 , heretofore issued to Don Chance of Masonville Route, Loveland, Colorado be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective February 25, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this <u>30th</u> day of <u>Narch</u>, 19<u>43</u>

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

G. M. KISER 343 Greenwood Drive Wichita, Kansas PERMIT NO. C-13486

March 30, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

c-13486 requesting that his Permit No.....be cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 16, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this 30th day of March , 19 43

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

MRS MERLE VAHSHOLTZ

Madison, Kansas

Route 1

PERMIT NO. C-13017

March 30, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a	a communication from
Mrs. Merle Vahsholtz	of Route 1, Madison, Kansag
requesting that his Permit No	•

After careful consideration, the commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be grinted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-13017, heretofore issued to Mrs. Merle Vahsholtz of Routel, Madison, Kansas be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 24, 1943

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 30th day of ⁰March , 19.43

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

COOK'S WHOLESALE 1624 - 9th St., Greeley, Colorado PERMIT NO. C-12772

March 30, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt o	f a communication from
Cook's Wholesale	of 1624 - 9th St., Greeley, Colorado
requesting that his Permit No	

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>C-12772</u>, heretofore issued to <u>Cook's Wholesale of 1624 - 9th St., Greeley, Colorado</u> be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective <u>March 8, 1943</u>

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

.Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this <u>30th</u> day of <u>March</u>, 19.43.

RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

PERMIT NO. C-12725

JOHN SMALLEY La Veta, Colorado

March 30, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt	of a communication fro) m
John Smalley	of La Veta	Colorado
requesting that his Permit No		

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-12725, heretofore issued to John Smalley of La Veta, Colorado be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective February 24, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 30th day of March , 19 43

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

EARL FRANKLIN 825 N. 2nd St., Sterling, Colorado

PERMIT NO. C-11232

March 30, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of	a communication from
Earl Franklin	of 825 N. 2nd St., Sterling, Colorado
requesting that his Permit No	C-11232 be cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>C-11232</u>, heretofore issued to <u>Earl Franklin of \$25 N. 2nd St., Sterling, Colorado</u> be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 11, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 30th day of March, 19.43

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

W. W. MALL Meeker, Colorado PERMIT NO. C-10534

March 30, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt	t of a communication fro	
W. W. Mall	of Meeker	Colorado ,
requesting that his Permit No		

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

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THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 30th day of March , 19 43

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS	OF)	
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DAVID ELLIOTT)	P
Timnath, Colorado)	
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PERMIT NO. Del0434

March 30, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of	a communication f	rom
David Elliott	of Timnath	Colorado
requesting that his Permit No	C-10434b	e cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

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and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 12, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 30th day of March, 19.43.

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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7th Ave. and 11th St.,		
WAIKING OIL COMPANY	PERMIT NO.	C-10413

March 30, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of	a communication from
Watkins Oil Company	of 7th Ave and 11th St., Greeley, Colorado
requesting that his Permit No	C-10413 be cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-10413, heretofore issued to Watkins Oil Company of 7th Ave. and 11th St., Greeley, Colorado be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 1, 1943

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 30th day of March, 19 43.

(Decision No. 20700

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	THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISS OF THE STATE OF COLORADO	ION
RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS) OF))	
HARRY N., NORDLOH Box 198 Strasburg, Colorado) PERMIT NO.	C-10355
	March 30, 1943	
	<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>	,
By the Commission:		
The Commission is in r	receipt of a communication f	rom
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THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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(Decision No. 20701)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

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PERMIT NO. C-9629

March 30, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The	Commission is in receipt of a	communication from
Sw1	ft and Company	of 1922 W. Second St., Hastings, Nebraska
· · ·	that his Permit No	

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

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> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 30th day of March , 19 43

(Decision No. 20702

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF) LEONARD ARCHE) PERMIT NO. C-8019 1127 Cascade) Dallas, Texas) March 20 19/3

March 30, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

The Commission is in r	eceipt of a communication fr	om
Leonard Arche		Dallas, Texas
requesting that his Permit N	C-8019	•

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

ADOLPI 927 A	 .
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PERMIT NO. C-7836

March 30, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of	a communication fro	DM
Adolph Luthi	of. 927 Allison	Canon City, Colorado
requesting that his Permit No		

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

<u>ORDER</u>

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 39th day of March , 19 43

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

CLARENCE FREED Box 361 Lamar, Colorado PERMIT NO.

C-14306

March 30, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of	a communication from
Clarence Freed	Box 361 Lamar, Colorado
requesting that his Permit No	

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>C-14306</u>, heretofore issued to <u>Clarence Freed of Box 361</u>, <u>Lamar, Colorado</u> be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective <u>March 15</u>, 1943

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this 30th day of March , 19 43

(Decision No. 20705)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

AGNES AND LEROY PALMER 813 South Weber St., Colorado Springs, Colorado PERMIT NO. B-2805

March 30, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from......

Agnes and Leroy Palmer of 813 South Weber St., Colo Springs, Colorado requesting that his Permit No. B-2805 be cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>B-2805</u>, heretofore issued to <u>Agnes and Leroy Palmer of 813 South Weber St., Colo Springs, Colo be</u>, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective <u>March 20, 1943</u>

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

ALFRED L. SMITH Fort Morgan, Colorado PERMIT NO.

C-1840

March 31, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from.....

Alfred L. Smith of Fort Morgan , Colorado

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective January 1, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this <u>31st</u> day of <u>March</u>, 19<u>43</u>...

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

CHARLES	I.	WARJ	D
4344 Wya	id	otte	St.,
Denver,			

PERMIT NO.

B-2829

March 31, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a	communication from
Charles W. Ward	of 4344 Wyandotte St., Denver, Colorado
requesting that his Permit No	B-2829

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>B-2829</u>, heretofore issued to <u>Charles W. Ward of 4344 Wyandotte St.</u>, <u>Denver</u>, <u>Colorado</u> be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective <u>March 27</u>, 1943

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THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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31st day of

(Decision No. 20708

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

LEO E. MARQUEZ 935 Mavajo St., Denver, Colorado PERMIT NO. B-2768

March 31, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The	Commission	is in	receipt	of	a	com	nunic	ation	fro	om	********	**********	*******
Leo E.	Marquez					of	935	Navaj	o S	t.,	Denver,	Color	ado
requestin	g that his									•			•••••

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>B-2768</u>, heretofore issued to <u>Leo E. Marquez of 935 Navajo St., Denver, Colorado</u> be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective <u>March 26, 1943</u>

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 31st day of March , 19.43.

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)
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VICTOR WRIGHT) PERMIT
5069 Grant St.,)
Denver, Colorado)
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NO.

C-11122

March 31, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

The Commission	n is in receipt of	' a communication fro	om
Victor Wright	•	5069 Grant S	t., Denver, Colorado
requesting that his	Permit No	C-11122	

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-11122, heretofore issued to Victor Wright of 5069 Grant St., Denver, Coloradobe,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective January 1, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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(Decision No. 20710

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

ALMA LINCOLN MINING COMPANY Idaho Springs, Colorado

PERMIT NO.

C - 11022

March 31, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The	Commission i	s in receipt of a	communication from	om.:
<u> Ilma</u>	Lincoln Mini	ng Company	of Idaho Springs	Colorado ,
requesting	g that his Pe	rmit No	C-11022 be	cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-11022 , heretofore issued to Alma Lincoln Mining Company of Idaho Springs, Colorado be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 25, 1943

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

31st day of March , 19 43 this.

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF) STERLING TRANSPORTATION COMPANY) 106 S. 2md St., West) Salt Lake Sity, Utah)

PUC XBEREMIXIX NO. 874-I

March 31, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

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IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That **Ferris**t No. <u>874-I</u>, heretofore issued to <u>Sterling Transportation Company of 106 S. 2nd West, Salt Lake City, Utabe</u>, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective <u>March 22, 1943</u>

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 31st day of March , 19.43

E	MOTOR	VEHICLE	OPERATIONS	OF	

JACOB	THOMPSON
Wray,	Colorado

PERMIT NO.

C - 12792

March 31, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receip	t of a communication	ation from	*****
Jacob Thompson	of Wray	Coldrado	
requesting that his Permit No		,	

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-12792 , heretofore issued to Jacob Thompson of Wray, Coloradobe,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 10, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF COLORADO
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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

31st day of March this

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

JACOB HENKLE 29 Locust St.,	•)))
Windsor, Colorado		1	

PERMIT NO. A-2533

March 31, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

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Jacob	Henkle			******		of	29 Locust	t St		Windsor,	Colorado
requesting	g that his	s Pern	nit 1	No	= = = + = + = + = =	£- 2533		.be	cano	celled.	•

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>A-2533</u>, heretofore issued to <u>Jacob Henkle of 29 Locust St., Windsor, Colorado</u> be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective <u>March 30, 1943</u>

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this <u>31st</u> day of <u>March</u>, 19.43.

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF

FRANCIS TUCK Idaho Springs, Colorado PRIVATE PERMIT NO. A-818

March 31, 1943

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<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from the above named permittee, requesting that Permit No. A-818 be suspended for the duration and six months from March 26, 1943.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That Francis Tnakk of Idaho Springs, Colorado be, and he is hereby, authorized to suspend his operations under Permit No. A-818 for the duration and six months from March 26, 1943.

That unless said Francis Tuck shall, prior to the expiration of said suspension period, make a request in writing for the reinstatement of said permitsional insurance, and otherwise comply with all rules and regulations of the Commission applicable to private carrier permits, said permit, without further action by the Commission, shall be revoked without the right to reinstate.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO STURAN cury Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 31st day of March, 1943

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF

PARKINSON T & T COMPANY Delta, Colorado PRIVATE PERMIT NO. A-60

March 31, 1943

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from the above named permittee, requesting that Permit No. A-60 be suspended for a period of six months from March 29, 1943.

<u>O R D E R</u>

IT IS ORDERED:

That Parkinson T & T Company of Delta, Colorado be, and are hereby, authorized to suspend operations under Permit No. A-60 for a period of not to exceed six months from March 29, 1943.

That unless said Parkinson T & T Company of Delta, Colorado shall, prior to the expirations of said suspension period, make a request in writing 66r the reinstatement of said permit, file insurance and otherwise comply with all rules and regulations of the Commission applicable to private carrier permits, said permit, without further action by the Commission, shall be revoked without the right to reinstate.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO MILLAN Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 31st day of Mardh, 1943

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF ORE TRANSFER & STORAGE COMPANY, 212 W. ST. PAUL, WAUKESHA, WIS-CONSIN, P.U.C. NO. 1063-I.

CASE NO. 20827-Ins.

March 31, 1943.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

On February 26, 1943, Certificate No. 1063-I was revolved for failure to have on file with the Commission the necessary insurance required by law. It now appears that said insurance was on file with the Commission at the time of the hearing in said matter, but through oversight had not been posted, and the Commission has been requested to reinstate said certificate.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that said request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That our order of February 26, 1943, cancelling interstate certificate No. 1063-I, be vacated, and that said Certificate No. 1063-I be reinstated, effective February 26, 1943.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION or THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 31st day of March, 1943.

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF LEE MORRIS, CORTEZ, COLORADO, FOR AN EXTENSION OF PERMIT NO. A-2620 TO IN-CLUDE THE TRANSPORTATION OF ORE FROM MINES AND STOCK PILES MITHIN A RADIUS OF 75 MILES OF EGNAR, COLORADO, TO MILLS IN THE SAME RADIUS.

APPLICATION NO. 5448-PP-B

March 31, 1943.

Appearances: Dan Milenski, Esq., Cortes, Celerado, for applicant; T. A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Denver, Colorado, for Rupert E. Borden. doing business as Borden Transportation Company; Harold Newrock, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for Haines Motor Freight: Cass M. Herrington, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for Rio Grande Southern Railroad Company.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

On February 28, 1941, Decision No. 16731, applicant was granted a Class "A" permit authorizing the transportation of ore from mines within a radius of ten miles of Egnar, Colorado, to Uravan, Colorado. In the instant case, which was heard at Cortes, Colorado, on February 17, 1943, authority is sought to extend operations under said permit to increase the pickup area to a radius of 75 miles of Egnar, and to include all mills within said area as destination points.

Testifying in his own behalf, applicant stated that he was willing . to confine his operations to the delivery of cres to mills of the United States Vanadium Company. He has a li-ton 1940 Chevrolet truck which he loads with approximately five tons of one. He further testified that he not only manted to transport ore from the se-called "Canon Mines" to stock piles, but would also want the privilege of transporting said ores to the mill which has been

erected at Durango, Colorado, for the treatment of vanadium ores. He stipulated that in the event a stock pile of vanadium ore was started at Dolores, he would not transport any ores from Dolores to Durango in competition with Rie Grande Southern Railroad.

No other witness appeared on behalf of applicant. However, request was made that the Commission consider the evidence introduced in Application No. 6154-PP, Verl Hamilton, which was heard at Cortez, Colorado, on September 30, 1942.

On behalf of protestant Eupert E. Borden, the evidence introduced disclosed the amount of equipment which he owned and which is available for use in transporting vanadium ore from stock pile at Dove Creek to Durango. This equipment consists of a number of large units which, according to the testimony would be available at all times to handle said movement.

It was further developed that the crushing plant of the mill at Durange was kept busy crushing ore received at said mill by rail, and for that reason it was advisable to crush and stock pile the crude ore at Dove Creek.

It further appeared that the rates now in effect for the transportation of this ere from the "Canon" mines to said stock pile, vary from seven to ten cents per ton mile, depending somewhat on the condition of the roads to the various mines. The rate from the Dove Creek stock pile to Durango is 4 cents per ton mile.

It is the position of the Borden line that ample common carrier service is available for the transportation of the crushed ore from the stock pile at Dove Creek to the mill at Durange, and the granting of any further permits for such service would impair the common carrier service.

Applicant was recalled at the close of protestant's testimony and stated that he would not desire to haul ore from the Canon mines unless he could transport same clear through to Durango.

In the Verl Hamilton case, <u>supra</u>, the Commission granted authority to transport ore from the Canon mines, but denied the right to haul the same

from the stock pile at Dove Creek to Durango. No new or additional evidence has been introduced in the instant case to change the conclusion of the Commission which was reached in the Hamilton case by order dated December 23, 1942, Decision No. 20216. Applicant stated that he had been requested by the U. S. Vanadium Corporation to seek this extension. However, no one representing said company appeared on behalf of applicant, and so far as the record is concerned it would appear that the presently established common carrier service is adequate to handle the movement of crushed ore from Dove Creek to Durango. This adequate common carrier service must be maintained, and under the law we are not permitted to grant private carrier permits which, in our opinion, might impair such service.

Applicant contends that the ore will not be transported from the Canon mines unless carriers are permitted to carry it clear through to Durange, and cited the fact that one or two of the carriers that had been authorized to haul ore in that territory had quit. Applicant considers the haul from Dove Creek to Durange as the "cream" and the transportation from Canon mines to this stock pile as the "skim milk" so far as the transportation service is concerned.

It would appear to the Commission that if sufficient compensation is not paid the carriers to justify the transportation from the Canon mines to the stock pile, the remedy is not to grant authority to transport the product on into Durango, but rather an increase in the rates paid from the mines to the stock pile.

In view of the fact that applicant has stated that he did not desire the extension unless authorized to haul to Durango, we have no alternative except to deny the application.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the instant application should be denied.

IT IS ORDERED:

That the instant application be, and the same is hereby,

denied.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 31st day of March, 1943.

(Decision No. 20718)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF RUPERT EL BORDEN, GRAND JUNCTION, COLORADO, FOR AN EXTENSION OF CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY NO. 1344.

APPLICATION NO. 5431-B

March 31, 1943.

Appearances: Lincoln D. Coit, Esq., Grand Junction, Colorado, for applicant; Wayne N. Aspinall, Esq., Grand Junction, Colorado, by James K. Groves, Esq., Grand Junction, for G. W. Hawthorne; Cass M. Herrington, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for The Rio Grande Southern Railroad Company.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

On March 19, 1943, Decision No. 20643, Rupert E. Borden was authorized to extend his operations under Certificate No. 1384 to include, <u>inter alia</u>, the transportation of ore and concentrates from Uravan to Grand Junction and Durango. It was further provided in said order that the right to transport said ores and concentrates was subject to the filing by any competitor who was not present at the hearing in said matter of a written notice with the Commission on or before sixty (60) days from the date of the order, that a hearing on said additional authority would be demanded.

The Commission is now in receipt of such written notice from Cass M. Herrington, Receiver for the Rio Grande Southern Bailroad Company.

In view of said notice and the provisions of said order, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that a further hearing should be held.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That the instant matter be, and the same is hereby, set for

further hearing at the Court House in Grand Junction, Colorado, on April 9, 1943, at the hour of 9:30 A. M., only upon the question of the authority to transport ore and concentrates from Uravan to Grand Junction and Durange, Colorado.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO wonen

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 31st day of March, 1943.

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF) B. H. EITEMILLER, 1530 TENTH) <u>PERMIT NO. A-742</u> AVENUE, GREELEY, COLORADO.) April 2, 1943. S T A T E M E N T

By the Commission:

On September 12, 1942, by Decision No. 19680, B. H. Eitemiller was authorized to suspend his operations under Permit No. A-742 for a period of not to exceed six months from August 28, 1942, with reinstatement proviso.

Under date of March 4, 1943, permittee requested additional suspension of his operations under said permit for a period of six months from February 28, 1943, and under date of March 5, 1943, by letter directed to permittee, the Commission granted him until April 5, 1943, to reinstate his permit. Thereafter, on March 12, 1943, the Commission refused to grant a further suspension.

Permittee now represents to the Commission that his son is in the Marine Corps, and that permittee himself is physically incapacitated from performing service required in his trucking operations, and hence is unable to carry on the business. He further represents that if he had known prior to March 12, 1943, that a second suspension for a period of six months could not have been obtained, he would have made efforts to dispose of his permit.

Under the circumstances, the Commission is of the opinion that a further suspension should be granted, and finds that applicant should be authorized to suspend his operations under Permit No. A-742 until July 5, 1943.

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ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That B. H. Eitemiller, Greeley, Colorado, be, and he hereby is, authorized to suspend his operations under Permit No. A-742 until July 5, 1943.

That unless said B. R. Eitemiller shall, prior to the expiration of said suspension period, make a request in writing for the reinstatement of said permit, file insurance, and otherwise comply with all rules and regulations of the Commission applicable to private carrier permits, said permit, without further action by the Commission, shall be reveked without the right to reinstate.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO Zuan Va and

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 2nd day of April, 1943.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF TONY MULAY, 917 WEST TENTH STREET, PUEBLO, COLORADO, FOR A CLASS "B" PERMIT TO OPERATE AS A PRIVATE CARRIER BY MOTOR VEHICLE FOR HIRE.

APPLICATION NO. 6308-PP

April 3, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

Applicant herein seeks authority to operate as a Glass "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of sand, gravel, and other materials used in making up the surface of the roads, from pits and supply points in the State of Colorado to jobs within a radius of fifty miles of said pits and supply points, excluding service in Boulder, Glear Creek and Gilpin Counties, and also excluding service within a radius of fifty miles of Denver, Colorado.

Inasmuch as the motor carrier associations, heretofore, have indicated they have no objection to the granting of permits, limited to the service herein sought to be performed by applicant, the Commission determined to hear, and has heard, said matter, forthwith, without formal notice, upon the records and files herein.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said application should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That Tony Mulay, Pueble, Colorade, should be, and he hereby is, authorized to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of annd, gravel, and other materials used in making up the surface of the roads, from pits and supply points in the State of Celorado to jobs within a radius of fifty miles of said

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pits and supply points, excluding service in Boulder, Clear Greek and Gilpin Counties, and also excluding service within a radius of fifty miles of Denver, Colorado.

All operations hereunder shall be strictly contract operations, the Commission retaining jurisdiction to make such amendments to this permit deemed advisable.

This order is the permit herein provided for, but it shall not become effective until applicant has filed a statement of his customers, copies of all special contracts or memoranda of their terms, the necessary tariffs, required insurance, and has secured identification cards.

The right of applicant to operate hereunder shall depend upon his compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of The Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 3rd day of April, 1943.

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(Decision No. 20721)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF MABLE L. PARKER AND JOHN D. PARKER,) DOING BUSINESS AS "PARKER TRANSFER &) STORAGE," SIOUX FALLS, SOUTH DAKOTA,) TO HAVE THE INTEREST OF W. PARKER, DE-) CEASED, IN P.U.C. NO. 1428-I, TRANS-) FERRED TO SAID MABLE L. PARKER AND) JOHN L. PARKER, DOING BUSINESS AS) "PARKER TRANSFER & STORAGE."

P.U.C. NO. 1428-1

April 3, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

Heretofore, Interstate Certificate No. 1428-I issued to Walter Parker, doing business as "Parker Transfer & Storage."

On April 10, 1942, in MC-FC-16494, the Interstate Commerce Commission authorized the transfer of its certificate No. MC-71820, issued to said Parker, to Mable L. Parker and John D. Parker, copartners, doing business as "Parker Transfer & Storage."

Thereupon, said transferees' insurance carrier, at their request, filed insurance with this Commission covering transferees' operations.

Formal application, through a misunderstanding, was not filed to transfer said permit on our records. Such application has now been filed.

Our records fail to disclose any reason why the request should not be granted.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said transfer should be authorized.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That all the right, title and interest in and to P.U.C. No. 1428-I formerly held by Walter Parker, doing business as "Parker Transfer & Storage," be, and the same hereby is, transferred to Mable L. Parker and John D. Parker, doing business as "Parker Transfer & Storage," Sioux Falls, South Dakota, said transfer to be subject to the provisions of the Federal Motor Carrier Act of 1935.

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 3rd day of April, 1943.

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(Decision No. 20722)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF) RUSSELL VENEZIO, 717 EAST SECOND,) PUEBLO, COLORADO, FOR A CLASS "B") PERMIT TO OPERATE AS A PRIVATE) CARRIER BY MOTOR VEHICLE FOR HIRE.)

APPLICATION NO. 6307-PP

April 3, 1943.

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

Applicant herein seeks authority to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of coal and slack from coal mines in Fremont County to Pueblo, Colorado, also from coal mines in Huerfano County to Pueblo, Colorado.

Inasmuch as the motor carrier associations heretofore have indicated they have no objection to the granting of permits limited to the service herein sought to be performed by applicant, the Commission determined to hear, and has heard, said matter forthwith, without formal notice, upon the records and files herein.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said application should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That Russell Venezio, Pueblo, Colorado, should be, and he hereby is, authorized to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of coal and slack from coal mines in Fremont and Huerfane Counties to Pueblo, Colorado.

All operations hereunder shall be strictly contract operations, the Commission retaining jurisdiction to make such amendments to this permit deemed advisable.

This order is the permit herein provided for, but it shall not

become effective until applicant has filed a statement of his customers, copies of all special contracts or memoranda of their terms, the necessary tariffs, required insurance, and has secured identification cards.

The right of applicant to operate hereunder shall depend upon his compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of the Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 3rd day of April, 1943.

RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF JAMES A. SCHAEFFER, DOING BUSINESS AS "SCHAEFFER TRUCK LINE," 1420 MARKET STREET, DENVER, COLORADO.

P.U.C. NO. 1195 SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER

April 3, 1943.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

On February 15, 1943, the Commission entered herein, without hearing, its order and decision No. 20476, authorizing James A. Schaeffer, doing business as "Schaeffer Truck Line," pending hearing on formal application for said authority to be filed by him, to:

> "accept freight at Frisco on interchange with Rio Grande Motor Way from Grand Junction, destined to Leadville, and to transport freight between Wheeler, Frisco, Dillon, Breckenridge, Kokomo, Montezuma, Loveland Pass, and Climax."

Said Schaeffer and Rio Grande Motor Way, Inc., have asked that the name "Leadville" be changed to "Climax"," inasmuch as service contemplated was between Grand Junction and Climax, and not Grand Junction and Leadville.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that the request should be granted, and that said order and decision should be so amended.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That the name "Leadville", appearing in the fifth line of the first paragraph of the order contained in Decision No. 20470, be changed to the name "Climax", and that said decision and order in all other respects shall remain in full force and effect.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO Julian Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 3rd day of April, 1943.

(Decision No. 20724)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF JOE E. BERTA, RURAL ROUTE 1, CANON CITY, COLORADO, FOR A CLASS "B" PERMIT TO OPERATE AS A PRIVATE CARRIER BY MOTOR VEHICLE FOR HIRE.

APPLICATION NO. 6306-PP

April 3, 1943.

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STATEMENT

By the Commission:

Applicant herein seeks authority to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of coal between points within a radius of one hundred miles of Canen City, Colorade.

Inasmuch as the motor carrier associations heretofore have indicated they have no objection to the granting of permits limited to the service herein sought to be performed by applicant, the Commission determined to hear, and has heard, said matter forthwith, without formal notice, upon the records and files herein.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said application should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That Joe E. Berta, Canon City, Celorado, should be, and he hereby is, authorized to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of ceal between points within a radius of one hundred miles of Canon City, Celorado.

All operations hereunder shall be strictly contract operations, the Commission retaining jurisdiction to make such amendments to this permit deemed advisable.

This order is the permit herein provided for, but it shall not became effective until applicant has filed a statement of his customers,

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copies of all special contracts or memoranda of their terms, the necessary tariffs, required insurance, and has secured identification cards.

The right of applicant to operate hereunder shall depend upon his compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of the Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 3rd day of April, 1943.

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF A. L. BUCK, PALISADE, COLORADO, FOR A CLASS "B" PERMIT TO OPERATE AS A PRIVATE CARRIER BY MOTOR VEHICLE FOR HIRE.

APPLICATION NO. 4841-PP SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER

RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF A. L.) BUCK, PALISADE, COLORADO.) PERMIT NO. B-1903 CASE NO. 18300-R

April 3, 1943.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

On April 4, 1942, Permit No. B-1903 was cancelled, on account of failure of Respondent to file reports for the months of October, November, and December, 1940, the entire year of 1941, and the month of January, 1942.

On April 9, 1942, James H. Cole, Deputy Supervisor of the Colorado Highway Courtesy Patrol at Grand Junction, Colorado, informed the Commission that reports had been filed by Respondent for the months of October, November and December, 1940, and for the year 1941, on April 24, 1941, and report filed for the year 1942 on February 27, 1942, on a flat-rate basis. All taxes were paid.

Thereupon, Mr. Pollock, Secretary of the Commission informed Mr. Cole that cancellation order would be set aside. This was not done, and on March 2, 1943, Mr. Buck filed an application for a new permit.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that applicant should not have been required to file a new application; that said order cancelling the permit, Decision No. 18300-R, of date April 4, 1942, should be set aside, and said permit restored to its active status.

<u>ORDER</u>

IT IS ORDERED:

That said order of revocation, of date April 4, 1942, in Case No. 18300-R, be, and the same hereby is, set aside and held for naught, and said Permit No. B-1903 restored to its active status; that application fee of five dollars paid by Mr. A. L. Buck, under Receipt No. 27434, be transferred to his tax account.

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Bated at Denver, Colorado, this 3rd day of April, 1943.

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF JOE TORTORICE AND SONS, ROUTE 1, BOX 52, TRINIDAD, COLORADO.

PERMIT NO. B-2711

April 3, 1943.

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

On November 21, 1942, by Decision No. 20055, Permit No. B-2711 was suspended for a period of not to exceed six months from September 29, 1942.

On March 4, 1943, permit holders filed the necessary insurance and asked that said permit be reinstated.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said permit should be reinstated, as of March 4, 1943.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That Private Carrier Permit B-2711 be, and the same hereby is, reinstated and restored to its active status, as of date March 4, 1943.

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 3rd day of April, 1943.

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF) JONES BROTHERS, BOX 72,) PHIPPSBURG, COLORADO.)

PERMIT NO. B-1018

April 3, 1943.

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

On March 11, 1943, by Decision No. 20560, Jones Brothers, of Phippsburg, Colorado, were authorized to suspend operations under Permit No. B-1018 for a period of not to exceed six months from December 26, 1942.

On March 26, 1943, they asked that said permit be reinstated, effective as of April 1, 1943.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That Permit No. B-1018 be, and the same hereby is, reinstated, effective as of April 1, 1943.

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 3rd day of April, 1943.

(Decision No. 20728)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF CLYDE BEESON AND A. L. BEESON, LONG-MONT, COLORADO, TO TRANSFER PERMIT NO. A-114 TO CLYDE BEESON, TO MAKE MORE DEFINITE AND CERTAIN THE AUTHORITY CONTAINED UNDER PERMIT NO. A-114 AND PERMIT NO. A-561, AND TO COMBINE SAME UNDER ONE NUMBER.

APPLICATION NO. 4028-PP-A CLARIFICATION SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER

April 5, 1943

Appearances: Marion F. Jones, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the applicants; V. G. Garnett, Denver, Colorado, for The Colorado Rapid Transit Company.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

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On April 13, 1939, the Commission entered its order and decision No. 13339, and sought to determine definitely and accurately the territory which had been served, and was to be served, by Clyde Beeson under that part of Permit No. A-114 which was known as "Route No. 13," and under that part of Permit No. A-561, which was known as "Route No. 6."

It having developed that said territories were inaccurately described in said order, and that the second paragraph of the order contained in said Decision No. 13339 should be changed and amended to read as set forth in the order following.

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The Commission, by letter, notified interested parties, and informed them that, in the absence of objections by them, said decision would be amended, so that said routes would be accurately described.

Said notices were forwarded on February 23, 1943. To date, no objections have been entered or received.

Therefore, after careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said order should be amended, as hereafter provided:

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That the second paragraph of the order contained in Decision No. 13339 be amended and changed to read:

> "IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That the territory heretofore known as Route No. 13, mentioned in Permit No. A-114, be, and the same hereby is, declared to include that territory described as follows:

"'Beginning at a point two and one-half (2 1/2) miles south of Longmont on U. S. Highway No. 87; thence east a distance of six and one-half (6 1/2) miles to Colorado Highway No. 185; thence south two and one-half (2 1/2) miles; thence west six and one-half (6 1/2) miles to U. S. Highway No. 87; thence north to the point of beginning,'

"and that the territory known as Route No. 6 in Permit No. A-561 be, and the same hereby is, declared to comprise all that territory described as follows:

"'Beginning at the Rinn Church located on Colorado Highway No. 185, being the northwest corner of Sec. 23, Township 2-North, Range 68-West; thence east six (6) miles to the northeast corner of Sec. 22, Township 2-North, Range 67-West; thence south eight (8) miles; thence west seven (7) miles to the country road one (1) mile west of Colorado Highway No. 185; thence north six (6) miles; thence east one (1) mile; thence north two (2) miles to the point of beginning,"

"and that the authority granted under Permit No. A-114, known as Route 13, as hereinabuve described, and the authority known as Route 6, as hereinabove described, shall be consolidated; that hereafter the same shall be operated as Permit No. A-561, and the number A-114 be, and the same hereby is, declared abandoned," in lieu of the provisions contained in the second paragraph of said order contained in Decision No. 13339.

That said Decision No. 13339, except as herein amended, shall remain in full force and effect.

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 5th day of April, 1943

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(Decision No. 20729)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF C. WILLIAMS AND V. WILLIAMS, SALIDA, COLORADO, FOR AUTHORITY TO EXTEND THEIR OPERATIONS UNDER PERMIT NO. A-2589.

APPLICATION NO. 5294-PP-BB

April 3, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

On September 23, 1942, C. and V. Williams filed their application to extend their authority under Permit No. A-2589 to include the right to transport ore from Kramer Mines located in Brown Canyon, about nine and one-half miles from the main line of The Denver and Rio Grande Western Railroad Company, to mill in Chaffee County, and ores and concentrates from said mines and mill to railroad loading points in said county.

Upon receipt of said application, the Commission, on February 18, 1943, by letter, requested Everready Truck Line, Southwestern Transportation Company, and Rio Grande Motor Way, Inc., to state their objections, if any they had, to the granting of the said authority.

Everready Truck Line and Southwestern Transportation Company have not replied. Rio Grande Motor Way, Inc., has informed the Commission that it has no objection to the extension of the permit, as stated.

It would seem that no useful purpose would be served by setting said matter for hearing, after formal notice. The Commission therefore has determined to hear, and has heard, said application, forthwith, upon the records and files herein.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the epinion, and finds, that the authority sought should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That C. Williams and V. Williams, Salida, Colorado, should be, and they hereby are, authorized to extend their operations under Permit No. A-2589 to include the right to transport ore from Kramer Mines located in Brown Canyon, about nine and one-half miles from the main line of The Denver and Rio Grande Western Railroad Company, to mill in Chaffee County, and ores and concentrates from said mines and mill to railroad loading points in said county.

This order is made a part of the permit granted to applicant, and shall become effective twenty days from date.

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 3rd day of April, 1943.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF) JOHN TOLER AND E. S. ROBINSON, DOING) BUSINESS AS "TOLER AND ROBINSON",) 611 UNION STREET, COLORADO SPRINGS,) COLORADO, FOR A CLASS "B" PERMIT TO) OPERATE AS PRIVATE CARRIERS BY MOTOR) VEHICLE FOR HIRE.)

APPLICATION NO. 6305-PP

April 3, 1943.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

Applicants herein seek authority to operate as Class "B" private carriers by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of coal from the Canon City-Florence coal district and mines in El Paso County to Colorado Springs, and timber from timber camps within a radius of twenty-five miles of Lake George to mines in El Paso County.

Inasmuch as the motor carriers associations heretofore have indicated they have no objection to the granting of permits limited to the service herein sought to be performed by applicants, the Commission determined to hear, and has heard, said matter forthwith, without formal notice, upon the records and files herein.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said application should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That John Toler and E. S. Robinson, doing business as "Toler and Robinson", Colorado Springs, Colorado, should be, and they hereby are, authorized to operate as Class "B" private carriers by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of coal from Canon City-Florence coal district and mines in El Paso County to Colorado Springs, and timber from timber camps within a radius of twenty-five miles of Lake George to mines in El Paso County.

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All operations hereunder shall be strictly contract operations, the Commission retaining jurisdiction to make such amendments to this permit deemed advisable.

This order is the permit herein provided for, but it shall not become effective until applicants have filed a statement of their customers, copies of all special contracts or memoranda of their terms, the necessary tariffs, required insurance, and has secured identification cards.

The right of applicants to operate hereunder shall depend upon their compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of the Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 3rd day of April, 1943.

(Decision No. 20731)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF) JESSE C. LINDER, 405 WALNUT STREET,) FORT MORGAN, COLORADO, TO TRANSFER) A PART OF PERMIT NO. B-1942 TO E. N.) SOUTHWORTH, FORT MORGAN, COLORADO.)

APPLICATION NO. 4012-PP-A SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER

April 3, 1943.

Appearances: Jesse C. Linder, Fort Morgan, Colorado, <u>pro se</u>; E. N. Southworth, Fort Morgan, Colorado, <u>pro se</u>; T. A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the Common Carrier Division of The Colorado Motor Carriers[†] Association.

STATEMENT_

By the Commission:

On July 30, 1942, the Commission entered its order and decision, No. 19390, authorizing the transfer by Jesse C. Linder, of Fort Morgan, Colorado, to E. N. Southworth, of Fort Morgan, Colorado, of that portion of Permit No. B-1942 which authorized the transportation of:

> "milk from points in the area described as: Commencing at Fort Morgan, Colorado, thence north and west to Weldon Valley; thence south to Platte Avenue (U. S. Highway No. 6); thence east to Fort Morgan, Colorado."

Subsequently, it developed that the description furnished the Commission was not accurate, and that the area to be served should be

described as:

"Transportation of milk to Fort Morgan, Colorado, from points within and farms adjacent to the area described as: 'Commencing at Fort Morgan, Colorado; thence west on Highway No. 34 to intersection of Highway No. 39; thence north on Highway No. 39 to intersection of Highway No. 144; thence east on Highway i No. 144 to intersection with road known as 'River Road,'" thence along said road to Fort Morgan, Colorado." Applicants asked that said decision be amended so that the

berritory served be correctly described.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is

of the opinion, and finds, that the first paragraph of the order contained in Decision No. 19390 should be amended and changed as requested; that said decision, in all other respects, shall remain in full force and effect, and that a new number, designating the portion transferred, be issued to E. N. Southworth, Jesse C. Linder to retain the number "B-1942 for operations under that portion of the permit retained by him.

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IT IS ORDERED:

That the first paragraph of the Order contained in Decision No.. 19390 should be, and the same hereby is, amended and changed to read as follows:

> That Jesse C. Linder, Fort Morgan, Colorado, should be, and he hereby is, authorized to transfer to E. N. Southworth, Fort Morgan, Colorado, a portion of Permit No. B-1942 authorizing the transportation of milk to Fort Morgan, Colorado, from points within and farms adjacent to the area described as:

Commencing at Fort Morgan, Colorado; thence west on Highway No. 34 to intersection with Highway No. 39; thence north on Highway No. 39 to intersection with Highway No. 144; thence east on Highway No. 144 to intersection with road known as "River Road"; thence along said road to Fort Morgan, Colorado. That said Decision No. 19390, in all other respects, shall remain

in full force and effect.

That a new number, designating the portion transferred, be issued to E. N. Southworth, Jesse C. Linder to retain the number "B-1942" for operations under that portion of the permit retained by him.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 3rd day of April, 1943.

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF L. E. HOCKETT, 1909 SIXTH AVENUE, GREELEY, COLORADO, FOR A CLASS "B" PERMIT TO OPERATE AS A PRIVATE CARRIER BY MOTOR VEHICLE FOR HIRE.

APPLICATION NO. 6273-PP

April 5, 1943

Appearances: Robert McConnell, 1104 Sixth Avenue, Greeley, Colorado, for the applicant.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

As limited by the testimony offered at the hearing, in Fort Cellins, Colorado, on March 4, 1943, at 1:30 o'clock P.M., applicant herein seeks authority to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of baled hay and straw, in intrastate and interstate commerce, from points in the area extending:

> U. S. Highway No. 40 on the south, the Colorado-Nebraska-Wyoming boundary line on the north, the Colorado-Nebraska-Kansas boundary line on the east, and the Continental Divide on the west,

to points in said area, and to Army Camps in the State of Colorado, and points in Wyoming and Nebraska.

At the hearing, it appeared that Robert McConnell, who represented applicant, buys, bales, and sells alfalfa and native hay and straw; that said commodities are sold to dairies, feeders, and Army camps; that some of the hay so sold is hauled by McConnell's trucks; that Hockett's services are needed to haul for hire, McConnell's own equipment being insufficient to satisfy demands of customers.

No one objected to the granting of the authority sought.

The operating experience and peruniany responsibility of applicant were established to the satisfaction of the Commission.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said application should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That L. E. Hockett, Greeley, Colorado, should be, and he hereby is, authorized to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of baled hay and straw, in intrastate and interstate commerce, from points in the area extending:

U. S. Highway No. 40 on the south, the Colorado-Nebraska-Wyöming boundary line on the north, the Colorado-Webraska-Kansas boundary line on the east, and the Continental Divide on the west,

to points in said area, and to Army Camps in the State of Colorado, in intrastate commerce and to Wyoming and Nebraska, in interstate commerce.

All operations hereunder shall be strictly contract operations, the Commission retaining jurisdiction to make such amendments to this permit deemed advisable.

This order is the permit herein provided for, but it shall not become effective until applicant has filed a statement of his customers, copies of all special contracts or memoranda of their terms, the necessary tariffs, required insurance, and has secured identification cards.

The right of applicant to operate hereunder shall depend upon his compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of The Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 5th day of April, 1943.

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(Decision No. 20733)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF BENNIE GOLDSTEIN, DOING BUSINESS AS "GOLDSTEIN REFRIGERATOR LINE," 3358 LARIMER STREET, DENVER, COLORADO, FOR AN EXTENSION OF PERMIT NO. A-787.

APPLICATION NO. 3162-PP-AAAAA-B PETITION FOR REHEARING

April 5, 1943

Appearances: John P. Beck, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the applicant; A. J. Fregeau, Denver, Colorado, for Weicker Transfer and Storage Co.; Marion F. Jones, Esq., Denver, Colorado, and Truman A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Denver, Colorado, for Gottula Transfer_and Trucking Company.

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

On February 15, 1943, by Decision No. 20475, the Commission denied the application of Bennie Goldstein, doing business as "Goldstein Refrigerator Line," for an extension under his Permit No. A-787 to include the right to transport fresh meat and packing house products to the United States Air Base, located about seven miles east of Colorado Springs on Highway No. 24, and the Air Base located twelve miles east of Pueblo, on U. S. Highway No. 96.

On March 2, 1943, said Goldstein filed petition for rehearing, stating that if rehearing is granted he would be able to, and will, present testimony by officers of the United States Army that said service is absolutely needed, and that service of common carriers new serving the points will not be impaired.

After careful consideration of said application for rehearing, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that the same should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That petition for rehearing filed on March 2, 1943 in the above styled matter be, and the same hereby is, granted, and that said matter be, and the same hereby is, set for further hearing at the Hearing Room of the Commission, 330 State Office Building, Denver, Colorado, on the 15th day of April, 1943, at 10 o'clock A.M.

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 5th day of April, 1943.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF) F. A. MATHEWS, ROUTE 5, LONGMONT,) COLORADO, FOR A CLARIFICATION OF) PRIVATE PERMIT NO. A-588.

APPLICATION NO. 3793-PP-B

April 7, 1943

Appearances: F. A. Mathews, Longmont, Colorado, pro se; Truman A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the Common Carrier -Division of The Colorado Motor Carriers' Association.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

On January 2, 1934, Private Carrier Permit No.A-588 issued to F. A. Mathews, authorizing a milk operation over a route described

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"Berthoud south and west to Johnstown. 40 miles in any other territory described in writing to the Commission."

Recently, said Mathews was required by the ODT to specifically

describe his route.

He now asks that description of his authority under said permit be changed to conform to the description furnished The Office of Defense Transportation, which is:

> beginning at the northwest corner of Section 24, Township 4-North, Range 69-West; thence south 3 miles; thence west 1/2 mile; thence south 4 miles; thence west 1 mile to U S Highway 287; thence on Highway 287 to the Si corner of Section 27, Township 2-North, Range 69-West; thence west to Colorado Highway No. 7; thence north on Highway 7 to junction of Colorado Highway 66; thence west through the Town of Lyons and 1 mile beyond on each of Highways 7 and 66, return on Highway 66 to the Si corner of Section 24, Township 3-North, Range 70-West; thence north 2 miles, thence east 1 mile; thence north 3 miles; thence east to U S Highway No. 287, thence north is mile; thence east 1 mile; thence of line of beginning.

At the hearing, in Denver, Colorado, on February 26, 1943, it appeared that the request does not involve any enlargement of territory; that he has continuously served along said route since 1934.

No one appeared in opposition.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That hereafter F. A. Mathews, Longmont, Colorado, under his Permit No. A-588, in addition to the right to transport coal, granted by Decision No. 9447, shall be authorized to transport milk to Johnstown, Colorado, over the route and from farms along the route described as:

> beginning at the northwest corner of Section 24, Township 4-North, Range 69-West; thence south 3 miles; thence west $\frac{1}{2}$ mile; thence south 4 miles; thence west 1 mile to U S Highway 287; thence on Highway 287 to the S_{4}^{1} corner of Section 27, Township 2-North, Range 69-West; thence west to Colorado Highway No. 7; thence north on Highway 7 to junction of Colorado Highway 66; thence west through the Town of Lyons and 1 mile beyond on each of Highways 7 and 66, return on Highway 66 to the S_{4}^{1} corner of Section 24, Township 3-North, Range 70-West; thence north 2 miles, thence east 1 mile; thence north 3 miles; thence east to U S Highway No. 287, thence north $\frac{1}{2}$ mile; thence east $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles to intersection of line of beginning,

with back-haul of empty cans.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 7th day of April, 1943.

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(Decision No. 20735)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF) H. E. COX, BOX 342, MILLIKEN, COLORADO,) APPLICATION NO. 6274-PP TO CLARIFY AND PROPERLY DESCRIBE MILK) ROUTE, NOW BEING SERVED BY HIM.)

April 7, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

On November 8, 1933, H. E. Cox was authorized to operate as a Class "A" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of:

> milk to Johnstown over a regular established route described as: Milliken northeast and back to Johnstown. 15 miles in any other territory described in writing to the Commission.

Recently, applicant has been required, under the Office of Defense Transportation regulations, to describe particularly the territory served by him, and to list customers served who reside in the area described.

He now asks that the authority under his permit be amended and changed, so as to conform with the description of the territory furnished the O.D.T., which territory has been served by him continuously since 1933.

He failed to appear at the hearing, but inasmuch as no one appeared in opposition to the granting of his request, the Commission determined to hear, and heard, said matter. The application and files in Permit No. A-579 were made a part of the record.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that application should be granted, and territory hereafter served by applicant, H. E. Cox, under Permit No. A-579, should be described as set forth in the order herein. <u>order</u>

IT IS ORDERED:

That H. E. Cox, Milliken, Colorado, be, and he hereby is, authorized to operate hereafter as a Class "A" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of milk, only, to Johnstown from farms along the route described as:

> beginning at Johnstown, thence north 4 miles; thence east 7 miles; thence south to the north bank of Platte River, along the north bank of river to the southeast corner of Section 27, Township 4-North, Range 67-West; thence west to the southwest corner of Section 28, Township 4-North, Range 67-West; thence north to the point of beginning,

with back haul of empty cans; and that our records and files be amended and changed to conform with this order.

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 7th day of April, 1943.

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(Decision No. 20736)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF) JOE RICHARD, WEILINGTON, COLORADO,) TO EXTEND HIS MILK ROUTE UNDER PERMIT) NO. B-1284.

APPLICATION NO. 2436-PP-BB

April 7, 1943

Appearances: Winton S. Ault, Greeley, Colorado, for the applicant; Herbert E. Mann, Esq., Coronado Bldg., Greeley, Colorado, for Miller and Son.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

Applicant, who operates as a milk hauler under Permit No. B-1284, herein seeks authority to extend his operations under said permit by adding certain territory to the territory which he now is authorized to serve, said additional territory being adjacent on the west to territory now served by Richard, and being described as:

> commencing at the southwest corner of Section 2, Township 8-North, Range 69-West, thence west three miles to the southeast corner of Section 6, thence north 13 miles, thence east 3 miles, thence south 13 miles, to the point of beginning.

At the hearing, in Fort Collins, Colorado, on March 4, 1943, at 1:30 o'clock P.M., it appeared that applicant has been transporting milk from said area for a number of customers; that, recently, he determined that the territory in question is not included in his permit.

It did not appear that the proposed extension will impair the efficiency of any authorized common carrier service. In fact, it developed that no one is serving in the territory.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that the extension sought should be granted. IT IS ORDERED:

That Joe Richard, Wellington, Colorado, should be, and he hereby is, authorized to extend his operations under Permit No. B-1284 to include the right to transport milk to Johnstown, Colo., from the territory described as:

> beginning at the southwest corner of Section 2, Township 8-North, Range 69-West, thence west 3 miles to the southeast corner of Section 6, thence north 13 miles, thence east 3 miles, thence south 13 miles, to the point of beginning,

with back haul of empty cans.

This order is made a part of the permit granted to applicant, and shall become effective twenty days from date.

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 7th day of April, 1943

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(Decision No. 20737)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF) WESLEY J. HERTER, BOX 175, JOHNS-) APPLICATION NO. 3142-PP-AB TOWN, COLORADO, TO CLARIFY PERMIT NO.) A-581.)

April 7, 1943

Appearances: Wesley J. Herter, Johnstown, Colorado, pro se.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

This is an application by Wesley J. Herter to have his operating rights under Permit No. A-581 extended, amended, or clarified, to include the right to transport milk, only, to Johnstown, Colorado, from the territory described as:

> Sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 and 34, in Township 4-North, Range 67-West, and Sections 11, 12, 13, 14, 23, 24, 25, 26, 35, and 36 in Township 4-North, Range 68-West, and Sections numbered 3 to 10, inclusive, in Township 3-North, Range 67-West, and Sections 1, 2, 11, and 12 in Township 3-North, Range 68-West,

with back-haul of empty cans.

The matter was regularly set for hearing, and heard, in Fort Collins, Colorado, on March 4, 1943, at 1:30 o'clock P.M.

No one appeared in opposition to the granting of the authority sought.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that the application should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That Wesley J. Herter, Johnstown, Colorado, be, and he hereby is, authorized to extend his authority under Private Carrier Permit No. A-581 to include the right under said extended authority to transport milk, only, to Johnstown, Colorado, from the territory described as:

> Sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 and 34, in Township 4-North, Range 67-West, and Sections 11, 12, 13, 14, 23, 24, 25, 26, 35, and 36 in Township 4-North, Range 68-West, and Sections numbered 3 to 10, inclusive, in Township 3-North, Range 67-West, and Sections 1, 2, 11 and 12 in Township 3-North, Range 68-West,

with back-haul of empty cans.

This order is made a part of the permit granted to applicant, and shall become effective twenty days from date.

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 7th day of April, 1943.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF C. C. GIBSON, 6200 NORTH FEDERAL BOULEVARD, DENVER, COLORADO, FOR A CLASS "B" PERMIT TO OPERATE AS A PRIVATE CARRIER BY MOTOR VEHICLE FOR HIRE.

APPLICATION NO. 6287-PP

April 7, 1943

Appearances: C. C. Gibson, Denver, Colorado, pro se; Truman A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Denver, Colorado, for Southwestern Transportation Company; A. J. Fregeau, Denver, Colorado, for Weicker Transfer and Storage Company.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

As limited by the testimony offered at the hearing in Denver, Colorado, on March 18, 1943, applicant herein seeks authority to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of livestock to sales barn located at 5800 Federal Boulevard, Denver, Colorado, from points within a radius of ten miles of Denver; hay to feed barns and farms within said tenmile radius and to Westminster from South Park and points within said ten-mile area; hay, baled or loose, and grain, in bulk, from points within a radius of ten miles of Salida to Westminster and points within a radius of ten miles of Denver; dirt and trash between points within said ten-mile radius of Denver; coal from mines in the northern Colorado coal fields to points within a radius of ten miles of Denver.

There was no objection to the granting of the authority sought.

The operating experience and pecuniary responsibility of applicant were established to the satisfaction of the Commission.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said application should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That C. C. Gibson, Denver, Colorado, be, and he hereby is, authorized to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of livestock to sales barn located at 5800 Federal Bouleward, Denver, Colorado, from points within a radius of tem miles of Denver; hay to feed barns and farms within said tenmile radius and to Westminster from South Park and points within said ten-mile area; hay, baled or loose, and grain, in bulk, from points within a radius of ten miles of Salida to Westminster and points within a radius of ten miles of Denver; dirt and trash between points within said ten-mile radius of Denver; coal from mines in the northern Colorado coal fields to points within a radius of ten miles of Denver, Colorado.

All operations hereunder shall be strictly contract operations, the Commission retaining jurisdiction to make such amendments to this permit deemed advisable.

This order is the permit herein provided for, but it shall not become effective until applicant has filed a statement of his customers, copies of all special contracts or memoranda of their terms, the necessary tariffs, required insurance, and has secured identification cards.

The right of applicant to operate hereunder shall depend upon his compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of the Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF) COLORADO.

Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 7th day of April, 1943. JH

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF) JAMES M. MOSES, 3616 WEST WALCH) STREET, DENVER, COLORADO, FOR A) CLASS "B" PERMIT TO OPERATE AS A) PRIVATE CARRIER BY MOTOR VEHICLE) FOR HIRE.

APPLICATION NO. 6285_PP

April 7, 1943

Appearances: A. J. Fregeau, Denver, Colorado, for Weicker Transfer and Storage Company.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

Applicant herein seeks authority to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of ashes, trash, sand, gravel, kindling, and firewood between points within a radius of ten miles of Garden Home Addition, which addition is located near Loretta Heights College.

Applicant, although duly notified of the time and place designated for hearing, which was set in Denver, Colerado, on March 18, 1943, failed to appear.

Notwithstanding his non-appearance, there being no objections to the granting of the authority sought, the Commission determined to hear, and heard, said matter.

The records and files in said application were made a part of the record, and the matter taken under advisement.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that the authority sought should be granted. IT IS ORDERED:

That James M. Moses, Denver, Colorado, should be, and he hereby is, authorized to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of ashes, trash, sand, gravel, kindling, and firewood between points within a radius of ten miles of Garden Home Addition, which addition is located near Loretta Heights College.

All operations hereunder shall be strictly contract operations, the Commission retaining jurisdiction to make such amendments to this permit deemed advisable.

This order is the permit herein provided for, but it shall not become effective until applicant has filed a statement of his customers, copies of all special contracts or memoranda of their terms, the necessary tariffs, required insurance, and has secured identification cards.

The right of applicant to operate hereunder shall depend upon his compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of The Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 7th day of April, 1943.

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF CHRIS CHRISTENSEN, 330 NORTH WOOD STREET, FORT COLLINS, COLORADO, FOR AUTHORITY TO TRANSFER CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY NO. 376 TO JOHN S. GRIFFITH, 117 SOUTH WHITCOME STREET, FORT COLLINS, COLORADQ.

APPLICATION NO. 1375-A

April 7, 1943.

Appearances: John S. Griffith, 117 S. Whitcomb Street, Fort Collins, Colorado, for applicants.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

On July 8, 1929, Decision No. 2366, Chris Christensen was granted a certificate of public convenience and necessity authorizing a taxicab eperation in and out of Fort Collins, Colorado, limited to a radius of not to exceed 75 miles of Fort Collins. The instant application, which was heard at Denver, Colorado, on April 2, 1943, seeks authority to transfer said certificate, which has been designated No. 376, to John S. Griffith, of Fort Collins.

The evidence disclosed that no outstanding obligations exist against the operations presently conducted by transferor; that the consideration being paid for the transfer of said certificate, including three cars, is the sum of \$2500.00; that in addition to the cars purchased from transferor, transferee has another car which can be used if business warrants.

The financial standing and operating reliability of transferee were established to the satisfaction of the Commission.

No protests were interposed to the granting of the authority sought.

After a careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of

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the opinion, and so finds, that the authority sought should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That Chris Christensen, of Fort Collins, Colorado, be, and he is hereby, authorized to transfer all of his right, title and interest in and to certificate of public convenience and necessity No. 376 to John S. Griffith, of Fort Collins, Colorado.

The tariff of rates, rules and regulations of the transferor shall become and remain those of the transferee until changed according to law and the rules and regulations of the Commission.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 7th day of April, 1943.

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF) HENRY VIEBROCK, 1211 NO. CUSTER,) COLORADO SPRINGS, COLORADO, PERMIT) NO. B-2208. April 7, 1943.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

On March 22, 1943, Private Permit No. B-2208 was revoked for failure to have on file with the Commission the necessary insurance required by law.

It now appears that said insurance was on file with the Commission at the time of the hearing in said matter, but through oversight had not been posted, and the Commission has been requested to reinstate said permit.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that said request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That our order of March 22, 1943, revoking Permit No. B-2208, be, and the same is hereby, vacated, and said Permit No. B-2208 is reinstated, effective as of March 22, 1943.

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 7th day of April, 1943.

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

APPLICATIONS NOS. 765-AA AND 799-AA

April 7, 1943.

Appearances:	Ε.	T. Tengdin, Commercial National
		Bank Building, Kansas City, Kansas,
		for applicants;
	R.	E. Schweßer, 204 S. 19th St.,
		Omaha, Nebraska, for M. E.
		Isaacson, doing business as
		Sedgwick County Electric Company.
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		<u>STATENENT</u>

By the Commission:

On June 24, 1927, Application 765, Decision No. 1349, Public Service Company of Colorado was granted a certificate of public convenience and necessity authorizing the exercise of franchise rights for the distribution and sale of electricity within the corporate limits of the Town of Ovid. Said certificate also included the right to operate as a public utility for the sale and distribution of electricity along the route of its then established transmission lines and territory contiguous thereto, all situate within the County of Sedgwick, Colorado.

Upon the same date, in Application No. 799, Decision No. 1351, the said Public Service Company of Colorado was granted a certificate of convenience and necessity authorizing the exercise of certain franchise rights granted to it by the Town of Sedgwick, said certificate also authorizing an operation as a public utility for the sale and distribution of electricity along the transmission line or lines of said Public Service Company, and territory contiguous thereto, situate within said County of Sedgwick.

Thereafter, on January 6, 1942, Decision No. 18101, Public Service Company of Colorado was authorized to transfer said certificates of public

convenience and necessity to M. E. Isaacson, doing business as "Sedgwick County Electric Company."

The instant application seeks authority to transfer said certificates from the said M. E. Isaacson to Highline Electric Association, Incorporated, organized and existing under the laws of the State of Colorado.

At the hearing, which was held in Denver, Colorado, on April 2, 1943, the evidence disclosed that a cash consideration of \$84,900.00 was being paid for said certificates, including all physical property of transferor being operated under said certificates; that transferor's reasons for selling consisted of the fact that his operations were now surrounded by transferee's project, and he felt there was little chance for expanding his own business. It was further stated that the agitation for a State Power Authority also contributed to his decision to sell. It was further developed that some twenty miles of parallel lines could be eliminated, with a resultant saving in needed war materials, and it was felt that on the whole service would be improved.

The operating reliability of transferee was established to the satisfaction of the Commission.

No protests were interposed to the granting of the authority sought.

After a careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that said transfer should be authorized.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That M. E. Isaacson, doing business as Sedgwick County Electric Company, be, and he is hereby, authorized to transfer to Highline Electric Association, Inc., all of his right, title and interest in and to certificates of public convenience and necessity, heretofore issued

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in Applications Nos. 765 and 799.

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This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 7th day of April, 1943.

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(Decision No. 20743)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF) J. J. STROH, 1630 FIRST AVENUE,) GREELEY, COLORADO, FOR AN EXTENSION) OF PUC MO. 518.)

APPLICATION NO. 1608-BB

April 7, 1943

Appearances: Truman A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the applicant; A. J. Fregeau, Denver, Colorado, for Weicker Transfer and Storage Company; M. S. Weber, Greeley, Colorado, for Union Delivery Company.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

Applicant, J. J. Stroh, who operates as a common carrier by motor vehicle for hire on call and demand, PUC No. 518, for the transportation of:

> livestock from points and places within twentyfive miles of Greeley, Colorado, to Denver, Colorado,

herein seeks authority to extend his operations under said certificate to include the right to haul beet pulp from Brighton and Ovid, Gelorado, to farms, ranches, feed lots and feed yards within a twenty-five-mile radius of Greeley, Colorado.

At the hearing, in Fort Collins, Colorado, on March 4, 1943, it appeared that, under ODT regulations, applicant is required to obtain a back-haul, if such haul is available; that, on account of lack of trucks and scarcemess of help, feed yards operating in the Greekey area have been unable to get beet pulp from the factorizes at Brighton and Ovid; that a number of large feeders, including Nontfort, Avery, Pates, Alex Ferguson, Henderson and Clark and others, have mequested applicant to get the authority he same. No objections were made by anyone to the granting of the extension.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that public convenience and necessity require the proposed extended operations of applicant, and that certificate of public convenience and necessity should issue therefor.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That public convenience and necessity require the extended metor vehicle operations, (PUC No. 518), on call and demand, of J. J. Stroh, Greeley, Colorado, for the transportation of beet pulp from Brighton and Ovid, Colorado, to farms, ranches, feed lots and feed yards within a twenty-five-mile radius of Greeley, Colorado, and this order shall be taken, deemed and held to be a certificate of public convenience and necessity therefor.

The applicant shall file tariffs of rates, rules and regulations as required by the rules and regulations of this Commission within twenty days from date.

The applicant shall operate his carrier system in accordance with the order of the Commission except when prevented by Act of God, the public energy or extreme conditions.

This order is subject to compliance by applicant with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of The Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government. This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CONORADO

Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 7th day of April, 1943.

(Decision No. 20744)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF CLYDE LENGCKER, LA JUNTA, COLORADO, TO SELL THE TAXI BUSINESS OPERATED BY HIM UNDER CERTIFICATE NO. 474 TO CHARLES F. BRILEY AND JOHN T. SIVILS, OF LA JUNTA, COLORADO.

APPLICATION NO. 1344-A

April 7, 1943.

Appearances: G. S. Cosand, Esq., La Junta, Colorado, for applicants.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

On April 30, 1930, Decision No. 2068, Clyde Lenocker was granted a certificate of public convenience and necessity designated as PUC No. 474, authorizing.-

> the transportation of passengers and freight from point to point within the city of La Junta, Colorado, the transportation of passengers between the said city of La Junta and the territory lying within a radius of 20 miles thereof and all other points within the State of Colorado, and the transportation of freight between said city and points lying within a radius of fifty miles thereof and all other points within the state.

Under said certificate, no operations outside of the city of La Junta can be on schedule, and the rates of applicant on all trips made to points then having regular service, whether by rail or motor vehicle, had to be at least 33-1/3 per cent greater per passenger than the effective rate of such motor vehicle carrier.

The instant application, which was heard at Denver, Celorado, on April 2, 1943, seeks authority to transfer to Charles F. Briley and John T. Sivils that portion of said Certificate No. 474 authorising a taricab operation.

The evidence disclosed that the consideration being paid, including transferer's equipment used in the taxi operation, is the sum of \$2500.00.

Transferor desires to retain his freight and transfer operations, as well as his certificate number 474. Transferees desire to operate under the trade name of "Victory Cab".

The financial standing and operating reliability of transferees were established to the satisfaction of the Commission.

No protests were interposed to the granting of the authority sought.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that said transfer should be authorized.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That Clyde Lenocker be, and he is hereby, authorized to sell to Charles F. Briley and John T. Sivils, doing business as "Victory Cab", all that portion of Certificate No. 474 heretofore issued in Application No. 1344, which authorizes the operation of a taxicab service.

That the remaining portion of said certificate as operated by transferor shall carry PUC No. 474, and that a new certificate number shall be granted to transferees.

The tariff of rates, rules and regulations of the transferor shall become and remain those of the transferees until changed according to law and the rules and regulations of this Commission.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 7th day of April, 1943.

(Decision No. 20745)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF) A. G. GOODWIN, 436 WEST FIRST) STREET, LOVELAND, COLORADO, FOR) AUTHORITY TO TRANSFER PERMIT NO.) A-707 TO J. C. HANSEN, 528 EAST) SEVENTH STREET, LOVELAND, COLORADO.)

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF) J. C. HANSEN, 538 EAST SEVENTH ST.,) LOVELAND, COLORADO, TO EXTEND HIS) MILK ROUTE UNDER PERMIT NO. A-707.) APPLICATION NO. 3864-PP-A

APPLICATION NO. 3864-PP-AB

April 7, 1943.

Appearances: T. J. Warren, Avery Building, Fort Collins, Colorado, for A. G. Goodwin; J. C. Hansen, Loveland, Colorado, <u>Ero Se;</u> Herbert E. Mann, Coronado Bldg., Greeley, Colorado, for Miller Brothers.

STATEMENT

By the Counission:

A. G. Goodwin, who, under Permit No. A-707, is authorized to

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milk to Loveland and Johnstewn from points in the area described as: commencing at Loveland with Highway No. 37 as the eastern boundary, thence to a point two miles south of Fort Cellins; thence on Highway 186 via Stout to Masonville; thence southerly to Celorado Highway No. 16; thence via Highway No. 56 south to Highway No. 87; thence via Highway No. 37 to Loveland and also to Johnswota,

herein seeks authority to transfer said permit to J. C. Hansen.

Hansen also asked to have the authority under said permit extended to authorize the transportation of milk to Johnstown from an area which is adjacent to and north of his present authority, and is bounded by the highway extending from the southwest corner of Section 27, thence north to the northeast corner of Section 22, thence east to the northwest corner of Section 21, thence south along the west side of Section 21 about threequarters of a mile, thence west and south along the highway to its intersection with State Highway No. 186.

At the hearing in Fort Cellins, Celorade, on March 4, 1943, at 1:30 o'cleck P. M., it appeared that the consideration for the transfer is the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00); that application for extension was filed because applicant had been required to file a detailed description of his route with the Office of Defense Transportation, and to list his customers served. When checked by ODT against our records, it appeared that he was not authorized to serve John Soderberg, George Graham, and Bem Whitesell; that customers to be served reside along the highway heretefore described. He agreed to restrict the customers served by him under the extension to the three named, it also appearing that Soderberg resides on the highway just west of the territory described.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that the transfer should be allowed and the extension granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That A. G. Goodwin, Loveland, Colorade, should be, and he hereby is, authorized to transfer all his right, title and interest in and to Permit No. A-707 to J. C. Hansen, Loveland, Colorado.

The right of transferee to operate under this order shall depend upon his compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

That said J. C. Hansen should be, and he hereby is, authorized to extend his operations under said Permit No. A-707 to include the right to transport milk to Johnstown for John Soderberg, George Graham, and Ben Whitesell, who reside in or adjacent to the territory described as:

"bounded by the highway extending from the southeast corner of Section 27, thence north to the northeast corner of Section 22, thence west to the northwest corner of Section 21, thence south along the west side of Section 21 about three-quarters of a mile, thence west and south along the highway to its intersection with State Highway No. 186, all in Township 7 North, Hange 69 West",

with back-haul of empty cans.

This order is made a part of the permit granted to applicant, and shall become effective twenty days from date.

OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 7th day of April, 1943.

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(Decision No. 20746)

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF) G. L. VAIL, ELBERT, COLORADO, FOR) AN EXTENSION OF PERMIT NO. A-72.)

APPLICATION NO. 6292-PP-B

April 7, 1943.

Appearances: G. L. Vail, Elbert, Colorado, pro se.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

On July 15, 1931, G. L. Vail was granted Private Permit No. A-72, authorizing an operation between Elbert and Denver. The instant application seeks authority to extend operations under said permit to include the transportation of milk, only, from an area described in said application to Denver, with the right to return empty milk containers.

At the hearing, which was held in Denver on April 2, 1943, applicant testified that heretofore he had transported milk from the creamery in Elbert, but that said creamery had closed and that it was now necessary to pick up the milk in the territory in which he seeks the extension and transport same directly to Denver.

No protests were interposed to the granting of the authority sought.

Applicant has the necessary equipment to take care of the proposed increased operation.

After a careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the extension sought should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That G. L. Vail, of Elbert, Colorado, be, and he is hereby, authorized to extend his operations under Permit A-72 to include the transportation of milk, only, to Denver from the area described as:

Beginning at the SE Cor. of Sec. 18, T. 10 S., Range 63 W.; thence North to the NE Cor. of Sec. 6, T. 9 S., R. 63 W.; thence W. to the NW Cor of Sec. 1, T. 9 S., R. 64 W.; thence N. to Colo. Highway No. 86; thence W. via Highway 86 to the N. W. Cor. of Sec. 15, T. 8 S., R. 65 W., thence S. to the SW Cor. of Sec. 15, T. 10 S., R. 65 W.; thence E. to point of beginning,

including the right to transport back empty milk containers.

This order is made a part of the permit granted to applicant and shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 7th day of April, 1943.

(Decision No. 20747)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF JIM MCMILLION, RAGO, COLORADO, FOR A REISSUE OF PERMIT NO. B-2336 FOR THE TRANSPORTATION OF CREAM FROM RAGO TO DENVER, COLORADO.

APPLICATION NO. 6286-PP

April 7, 1943.

Appearances: Marion F. Jones, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the applicant.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

Applicant herein seeks authority to operate as a Class "A" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of cream from . Rage to Denver, Colorado, with back-haul of empty cans. He asks that the number of a permit formerly owned by him, which was "Permit No. B-2336", be assigned to this permit in the event it issues.

No one appeared in opposition to the granting of the authority sought.

It did not appear that the proposed operation would impair the efficiency of any motor motor vehicle common carrier service now authorized to serve on schedule, or otherwise, between Rago and Denver, Colorado.

The operating experience and pecuniary responsibility of applicant were established to the satisfaction of the Commission.

After a careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said application should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That Jim McMillion, Rago, Colorado, be, and he hereby is

authorized to operate as a Class "A" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of cream from Rago to Denver, Colorado, with back-haul of empty cans.

That said permit, when issued, shall bear the number "A-2336."

All operations hereunder shall be strictly contract operations, the Commission retaining jurisdiction to make such amendments to this permit deemed advisable.

This order is the permit herein provided for, but it shall not become effective until applicant has filed a statement of his customers, copies of all special contracts or memoranda of their terms, the necessary tariffs,, required insurance, and has secured identification cards.

The right of applicant to operate hereunder shall depend upon his compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable erders of the Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government. This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 7th day of April, 1943.

(Decision No. 20748)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF) BYRON S. BUNKER, ARRIBA, COLORADO,) FOR AN EXTENSION OF PUC NO. 403,) AND FOR AUTHORITY TO TRANSFER SAME) TO ROY E. JOHNSON, ARRIBA, COLORADO.)

APPLICATION NO. 1889-AAA-B

April 8, 1943.

Appearances: Marion F. Jones, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the applicant.

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

On September 12, 1929, by Decision No. 2485, W. W. Clark, doing business as #The Clark Transportation Company," was authorized to operate as a common carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of:

> freight between Arriba, Celerado, and points. within the area extending 35 miles north, 6 miles east, 7 miles west thereof, on the one hand, and Denver, Colorado, on the other,

said certificate, PUC No. 403, by authority of the Commission, thereafter being acquired by M. E. Wagner, who subsequently, with the consent of the Commission, transferred said certificate to Byron S. Bunker, who now seeks an order of the Commission extending his authority under said certificate to serve the area immediately adjacent to the territory now served by him on the south, and extending to a point ten miles south of Arriba, and to transfer said certificate, as extended, to Roy E. Johnson, Arriba, Colorado.

A number of witnesses testified in behalf of applicant. It appeared that Frank W. Miller, doing business as Denver-Limon-Burlington Transportation Company, operates a line haul service, with authority to serve between Denver and Arriba; that he also serves points along U. S. Highway No. 40 and other highways south and east of Arriba as far as Cheyenne Wells and Burlington on the east, and Eads on the Wouth; that his service is not satisfactory; that he hauls Arriba freight through Arriba, and back-hauls it for delivery--sometimes as long as two days later; that a

great number of farmers, ranchers, and feeders operate in the territory south of Arriba; that it is difficult to get transportation service for the neroment of their stock in and out, and for the transportation of feed which they need for cattle, sheep and hogs; that, on occasions, a number of ranchers have been compelled to go to Denver to get trucks to haul their cattle; that secsionally truck service can be obtained from Huge; that the Arriba farming territory and the Huge territory are separated by an extensive strip of grass land, and Arriba is not within the Huge trade territory; that service by Huge truckers has not been satisfactory for some four or five years; that while rail service is available, and was reasonably satisfactory until about a year ago, it is not now adequate.

No one appeared in opposition to the granting of the authority sought.

It would seem that public convenience and necessity require the proposed extension, and that transfer proposed should be authorized.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that public convenience and necessity require the proposed extended operations of applicant, and that certificate of public convenience and necessity should issue therefor, and that he should the authorized to transfer said certificate, as extended, to Roy E. Johnson,

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IT IS OFDERED:

That public convenience and necessity require the extended motor vehicle operations under PUC No. 403 of applicant, on call and demand, to serve the area south of and immediately adjacent to the territory now served, said area extending to a point ten miles south of Arriba, and this order shall be taken, deemed and held to be a certificate of public convenience and necessity therefor.

Applicant shall file tariffs of rates, rules and regulations as required by the rules and regulations of this Commission within twenty days from date.

Applicant shall operate his carrier system in accordance with the order of the Commission, except when prevented by Act of Ged, the public enemy or extreme conditions.

This order is subject to compliance by applicant with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That Byron S. Bunker, Arriba, Colorado, be, and he hereby is authorized to transfer all his right, title and interest in P.U.C. No. 403, as herein extended, to Roy E. Johnson, Arriba, Colorado.

The tariff of rates, rules and regulations of the transferor herein shall become and remain those of the transferoe herein until changed according to law and the rules and regulations of this Commission.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 8th day of April, 1943.

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF) RUPERT E. BORDEN, GRAND JUNCTION,) COLORADO, FOR AN EXTENSION OF) CERTIFICATE NO. 1384.)

APPLICATION NO. 5431-B SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER

April 8, 1943.

Appearances: Lincoln D. Coit, Esq., Grand Junction, Colorado, for applicant; Wayne N. Aspinall, Esq., Grand Junction, Colorado, by James K. Groves, Esq., Grand Junction, Celerado, for G. W. Hawthorne; Cass M. Herrington, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for Rio Grande Southern Railroad Company.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

On March 19, 1943, Decision No. 20643, the Commission granted an extension of Certificate No. 1384 to Rupert E. Borden, authorizing the transportation of coal, sulphuric acid and soda ash, and eres and concentrates within certain areas.

Our attention has been called to the fact that at the hearing in said matter, it was stipulated by counsel that service under said extension between Grand Junction and Gateway, Colorade, in competition with the operations of G. W. Hawthorne would be excluded from the authority granted. However, the order fails to make said exclusion, and we have been requested to amend the same, <u>nume pro tunc</u>, to conform to the fact.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that said request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That our Decision No. 20643 of March 19, 1943, be, and the same is hereby, amended, <u>nuac pro tunc</u>, to provide that in the transportation of

commodities authorized under said decision, no transportation service shall be performed between Grand Junction and Gateway in competition with the presently established operations of G. W. Hawthorne.

That except as herein amended and modified, said original order of March 19, 1943, shall remain in full force and effect.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners

Bated at Denver, Colorado, this 8th day of April, 1943.

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(Decision No. 20750)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMPLISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF A GENERAL INVESTIGATION OF THE FREIGHT RATES, AND CLASSIFICATION OF FREIGHT, OF ALL COMMON AND PRIVATE MOTOR VEHICLE CARRIERS.

CASE NO. 1585

April 6, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a petition from the Meter Truck Common Carriers Association, as Agent, for and on behalf of the Ric Grande Motor Way, Inc., requesting authority to put in force a rate of 37 1/2 cents per 100 pounds, subject to a minimum weight of 25,000 pounds, on butter; cream, in bottles, in cases, or in shipping cans; Eggs; Frosted Foods; Ice Cream; Milk, in bettles, in cases, or in shipping cans; Orange Juice, in bottles, in cases, straight or mixed shipments, from Denver to Pando, Colorado, said rate to include the return of empty containers, and to remain in effect only for the duration of the present war.

In support of its request, the petition sets forth the following special circumstances and conditions:

> "Since the establishment of Camp Hale at Pando, Colorado, by the U. S. Army, there has been a growing demand for the commodities named in the above requested item.

> "The Meadow Gold Dairies entered into a contract with the War Department to furnish the above described commodities to Camp Hale, and was doing so by use of leased equipment. However, it develops that they are no longer able to obtain the necessary equipment for handling of the proposed shipments and must now rely upon the presently available common carrier service.

** * * The present prescribed rate on these commodities between Denver and Pando, Colorado, is 51 cents per one hundred pounds, subject to a minimum weight of 10,000 pounds."

Inasmuch as the Rio Grande Motor Way, Inc. is the only motor vehicle common carrier involved in the territory in question, the Commission does not feel that a hearing should be required in order to act on this petition.

The Commission finds that the request should be authorized.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That the above statement, and statement of February 5, 1936, and various subsequent dates, are made parts hereof; that the order entered in this proceeding on February 5, 1936, as since amended, is further amended insofar as shall be necessary to give effect to the amended findings made in the above statement; and, except as herein amended, the above order, as amended, shall continue in full force and effect.

That this order shall become effective on the 9th day of April, 1943, and that the rates prescribed and approved herein shall be published by Rio Grande Motor Way, Inc. and all private carriers by motor vehicle operating in intrastate commerce in Colorado, to the extent they are affected, on notice to this Commission and the general public by not less than one day's filing and posting in the manner prescribed in Section 16 of the Public Utilities Act of 1913, and Section 10, Chapter 120, Session Laws of 1931, as amended, and that on and after said date said Rio Grande Motor Way, Inc. shall cease and desist from demanding, charging, and collecting rates and oharges which shall be greater or less than the rates herein prescribed; and private carriers by motor vehicle shall cease and desist from demanding, charging rates and charges which shall be less than those prescribed herein.

This order shall not be construed so as to compel a private carrier by motor vehicle to be or become a motor vehicle common carrier, or to subject any such private carrier by motor vehicle to the laws or liability applicable to a motor vehicle common carrier. That this order shall continue in force until the further order of the Commission; and that the rates herein ordered shall expire at the close of the present war.

That jurisdiction is retained to make such further orders as may be necessary and proper.

That this order shall become effective on less than twenty (20) days' notice.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 6th day of April, 1943.

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF) E. O. STEVENS, HUDSON, COLORADO, FOR) AUTHORITY TO TRANSFER PUC NO. 257) TO L. C. BENNETT, HUDSON, COLORADO.)

APPLICATION NO. 1062-AA SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER

April 9, 1943.

Appearances: W. W. Gaunt, Esq., Brighton, Colorado, for L. C. Bennett.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

On November 10, 1942, by Decision No. 19982, the Commission authorized E. O. Stevens, Hudson, Colorado, to transfer PUC No. 257 to L. C. Bennett, Hudson, Colorado.

It appears that Transferee L. C. Bennett has now returned to his position with the Colorado State Courtesy Patrol, and does not desire to conduct operations under PUC No. 257, and requests that said certificate be transferred back to E. O. Stevens. Transferor E. O. Stevens is willing to resume said operations.

The Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That L. C. Bennett, Hudson, Colorado, is hereby authorized to transfer all his right, title and interest in and to PUC No. 257 to E. O. Stevens, Hudson, Colorado.

The tariff of rates, rules and regulations of the transferor shall become and remain those of the transferee until changed according to law and the rules and regulations of the Commission.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 9th day of April, 1943.

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF) FRED T. GIBSON, LA JARA, COLORADO,) FOR AN EXTENSION OF PERMIT NO. B-2394.)

APPLICATION NO. 3808-PP-AB

April 9, 1943.

Appearances: Marion F. Jones, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the applicant.

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

On September 18, 1942, Fred T. Gibson filed application for extension of his operating rights under Permit No. B-2394.

The matter was set for hearing in Alamosa, Colorado, on March 11, 1943. At that time, Marion F. Jones, as attorney for applicant, asked that said application be dismissed.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That the above-styled application be, and the same hereby is, dismissed.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Celorado, this 9th day of April, 1943.

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF THOMAS L. REASONER, 113 EAST PIKES PEAK AVENUE, COLORADO SPRINGS, COLORADO, FOR AUTHORITY TO TRANSFER PUC MO. 164 TO THOMAS L. REASONER AND R. A. COOK, DOING BUSINESS AS "ALLIED MOTOR TOURS," COLORADO SPRINGS, COLORADO.

APPLICATION NO. 847-AAA

April 9, 1943.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

By Decision No. 17399, PUC No. 164, authorizing the use of two cars in sightseeing service, was transferred from B. E. Beals to Thomas L. Reasoner.

By Decision No. 20045, authority was granted to transfer certificate of public convenience and necessity, PUC No. 165, from the Morgan W. James Estate to Thomas L. Reasoner, said certificate authorizing the use of three cars. Said order also directed the consolidation of the certificates if and when the transfer was consummated.

Pursuant to the authority contained in said decision, said transfers were duly consummated and the consolidated was effected.

Said Thomas L. Reasoner now informs the Commission that he, heretofore, subject to the approval of the Commission, transferred an undivided one-half interest in said operating rights to R. A. Gook, and asks that said consolidated eperation, P.U.C. No. 164, be transferred to Thomas L. Reasoner and R. A. Gook, c0-partners, doing business as "Allied Motor Tours."

It appears from the application that transferee Cook is an experienced sightseeing operator, and is financially, and otherwise, able and qualified to carry on said operation.

After careful consideration of the record, the Cemmission is of the opinion, and finds, that the authority sought should be granted.

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IT IS GEDERED:

That Thomas L. Reasoner be, and he hereby is, authorized to transfer P.U.C. No. 164, authorizing the operation of five cars in sightseeing service, subject to the conditions and restrictions, if any, governing said operations contained in previous orders of the Commission, to Thomas L. Reasoner and R. A. Gock, doing business as "Allied Motor Tours," Colorado Springs, Colorado.

The tariff of rates, rules and regulations of the transferor shall become and remain those of the transferees until changed according to law and the rules and regulations of the Commission.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 9th day of April, 1943.

(Decision No. 20754)

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLONADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ADOLPH A BETHKE, GILCREST, COLO. RADO, FOR AN EXTENSION OF FUC NO. 557.

AFFLICATION NO. 1658-A-BB

April 9, 1943

Appearances: Marion F. Jones, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the applicant; Herbert Boyle, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the Colorado and Southern Railway Company; E. G. Knowles, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for Union Pacific Railroad Company; Herbert E. Mann, Esq., Greeley, Colorado, for Miller Brothers; Clay Apple, Esq., Greeley, Colo-rado, for E. H. Shepherd and William Romey; Worth Allen, Esq., Denver, Colo-rado, for Tom Connell, Frank Pless, A. W. Karr and Co., H. Connell, and Ed Mapes; Walter H. Borgman, Longmont, Colorado, for Borgnan Brothers; Walter Moore, Denver, Colorado, Milk Administrator.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

As limited by the amended application filed herein and stipulations of counsel at the hearings, which began in Denver, Colorado, on March 18, 1943, Adolph A. Bethke herein seeks authority to extend his call and demand operations under certificate of public convenience and necessity, FUC No. 557, to include the right to transport milk to the Frink Creamery at Fort Collins, Colorado, from farms within the area described as:

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commencing at the southeast corner of Section 13, Township 5-North, Range 65-West, thence west along the section lines to the southwest corner of Section 13, Township 5-North, Range 67-West; thence north following the section lines to the northwest corner of Section 13, Township 7-North, Range 67-West; thence east following the section lines to the intersection with Highway U. S. 85, thence southeasterly along U. S. Highway 85 to the section line dividing Sections 7 and 18, in Township 6-North, Range 65-West; thence east to the northeast corner of Section 13, Township 6-North, Range 65-West; thence south to the point of beginning,

with back-haul of empty cans, without the right to serve any customers now served by Miller Brothers under their authority PUC No. 1419, and the transportation of milk to Greeley for Beatrice Creamery, only, from farms within and adjacent to the area, being a strip three miles long, immediately west of and adjacent to U. S. Highway No. 85, being more particularly described as:

> starting at a point opposite Seeley's Lake, on U. S. Highway 85, about two miles north of Greeley; thence north along said U. S. Highway No. 85 to the east and west highway one mile north of Eaton; thence west three miles along said highway; thence south parallel to said U. S. Highway No. 85 to a point three miles west of the point of beginning, thence east to the point of beginning,

It developed that the milk moving to the Beatrice Creamery in Greeley is now hauled by farmers in their trucks; that, on account of scarcity of farm help, farmers do not now desire to haul their milk to the creamery in Greeley, and want for-hire service.

There was no opposition on the _art of anyone to the granting of the extension to Greeley.

It also appeared that milk has been moving from the territory first mentioned in Frink trucks to the Frink Creamery; that milk so hauled, for the most part, has been processed at said creamery, but, occasionally, some milk has moved to Denver, to satisfy demands of the so-called "milk pool" in times of scarcity. It was stipulated that, should extension here sought be granted, milk moved by Bethke to Fort Collins under said extension would not be trucked to Denver to anyone except said milk pool. Mr. Walter Moore, employed by "Denver Milk Pool", stated that, in his opinion, too many trucks were now covering the same area, which included territory Bethke now seeks to serve; that such service involves a waste of trucks and manpower; that milk should not go to Fort Collins, but should be put on trucks going to Denver, to which Mr. Jones suggested that if the milk moved to Denver, it could, and would, move in Bethke trucks, since Mr. Bethke now had authority to serve said area for the transportation of milk moving to Denver.

Also, it developed that, until about two years ago, milk was hauled from the area described to Fort Collins by Millian Romey, (PUC No. 1275), and E. H. Shepherd (PUC No. 1426); that they began hauling milk to Golden, and discontinued service to Frink practically without prior notice. Mr. Romey, on cross-examination, admitted that he hauled the milk, which amounted to approximately 2400 pounds daily at the beginning of the service, and about 3600 pounds daily when he discontinued the service, and that he quit hauling on short notice. He justified his action because the trip to Golden, via Fort Collins, involved transportation over a route 110 miles in length, while transportation from the territory directly to Golden meant 82 miles of transportation service, only; that the haul was more profitable for him, and Frink's customers not objecting, he decided to take the milk there.

When Romey and Shepherd discontinued their service, Mr. Frink hauled the milk in his trucks. After considerable period of time, most of his old customers returned to him, and his volume now has increased to 6,000 pounds daily. He stated that he does not like to operate trucks; that he prefers to have a for-hire trucker haul the milk; that he would not like to turn the business over to Mr. Romey if he were willing to haul, because he is afraid that Romey would again persuade his customers to ship their milk to Golden; that, for the most part, said milk is processed into cheese and evaporated milk, some of it moving to Denver, if the pool is short; that there are from 36,000 pounds to 39,000 pounds of milk received daily at Fort Collins; that shippers change infrequently, their business being fairly constant.

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Mr. Romey obviously does not care to handle Frink's milk to Fort Collins, although, when the question was asked him directly, he, after long hesitation, agreed that he would move it "if I have to". He also stated that, while in his opinion there were enough carriers now available to haul all milk to any point -- that is, authorized delivery points of said carriers, he conceded that the granting of the authority sought to Bethke probably would not affect other carriers now serving in the territory because the milk is going to Frink anyway.

Mr. Wagemuth, appearing for the Fort Lupton and Johnstown condenseries, stated that he gets some milk from the territory Bethke proposes to serve; that he, too, on occasions, sends milk to the pool in Denver, if needed, their shipments last year averaging 14,000 pounds daily; that Johnstown receives approximately 100,000 pounds daily, and could release 20,000 pounds of that amount, if necessary; that Bethke serves his plant at Johnstown; that service was very good until about one year ago, when Mr. Bethke became ill; that it continued poor during Bethke's illness, which lasted about nine months, that since his return to the job, about thirty days prior to the hearing, service has been satisfactory; that possibly Bethke's service to his plant might not be so good if he took on more business.

Mr. Bethke stated that he had five trucks hauling milk, and seven additional trucks in line haul service from and to Denver, and maintained one truck in reserve to serve the milk territory, and also for use occasionally in line haul relief work. While it appeared that many of the trucks had seen extensive service, Mr. Bethke claimed, and probably with considerable truth, that they are in as good condition as the trucks of most carriers now operating. He stated that he has operated a milk route for nineteen years, and has never missed serving a day; that as a part of the arrangement to haul Mr. Frink's milk, he is to secure one truck from Frink, which, in his opinion, will be sufficient to serve Fort Collins creanery.

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It would seem that public convenience and necessity require the proposed operation. While service is to Frink Creamery, primarily, the farmers selling milk are receiving the service. It is true that a direct haul to Denver is shorter than via Fort Collins, but haul to Fort Collins is shorter than to Denver. Denver gets milk only when it asks for it from Frink in emergencies. We believe farmers have a right to have access to several markets. Sometimes it is more desirable to ship to one than to the other. This would seem to be obvious, since the fact that Mr. Romey was serving Golden permitted them to ship to Golden instead of to Fort Collins, and to perhaps there receive a better price for their milk. If they desire to ship to Fort Collins, they should have that privilege. It was clear that Mr. Romey did not desire to go to Fort Collins, notwithstanding, under his certificate of public convenience and necessity, he is required to so do. In order to get the milk and his old customers, it was necessary for Frink to institute a Commercial Carrier service. This he did. The service and the price received for the milk apparently were satisfactory, for he now has many of the customers whom Mr. Romey changed to Golden. Now that Frink has been able to locate a common carrier of experience and ability to handle the milk for him, Mr. Romey objects to the granting of the authority to perform the service. In view of the record, and under the circumstances, we do not think that his objections are well taken.

Therefore, after careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that public convenience and necessity require the extended motor vehicle operations of applicant, and that certificate of public convenience and necessity should issue therefor.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That public convenience and necessity require the extended motor vehicle operations of Adolph A. Bethke, Gilcrest, Colorado, under FUC No. 577, on call and demand, to include the right to transport wilk to the Frink Creamery at Fort Collins, Colorado, from farms within the area described as:

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commencing at the southeast corner of Section 13, Township 5-North, Range 65-Kest, thence west along the section lines to the southwest corner of Section 13, Township 5-North, Range 67-West; thence north following the section lines to the northwest corner of Section 13, Township 7-North, Range 67-West; thence east following the section lines to the intersection with Highway U. S. 85, thence southeasterly along U. S. Highway 85 to the section line dividing Sections 7 and 18, in Township 6-North, Hange 65-West; thence east to the northeast corner of Section 13, Township 6-North, Range 65-West; thence south to the point of beginning,

with back-haul of empty cans, without the right to serve any farmers now served by Miller Brothers under FUC 1419, if any there be, said milk not to be trucked from Fort Collins to Denver to any consumer other than "Denver Milk Pool", and the transportation of milk to Greeley for Beatrice Creamery, only, from farms within and adjacent to the area, being a strip three miles long, immediately west of and adjacent to U. S. Highway No. 85, being more particularly described as:

> starting at a point opposite Seeley's Lake, on U. S. Highway 85, about two miles north of Greeley; thence north along said U. S. Highway No. 85 to the east and west highway one mile north of Eaton; thence west three miles along said highway; thence south parallel to said U. S. Highway No. 85 to a point three miles west of the point of beginning, thence east to the point of beginning,

and this order shall be taken, knowed and held to be a certificate of public convenience and necessity therefor.

The applicant shall file tariffs of rates, rules and regulations and time and distance schedules as required by the rules and regulations of this Commission within twenty days from date.

The applicant shall operate his carrier system according to the schedule filed except when prevented by Act of God, the public enemy or extreme conditions.

This order is subject to compliance by applicant with all cresent and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

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The authority herein granted is subject to all a_{pp} licable orders of The Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

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Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 9th day of April, 1943.

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(Decision No. 20755)

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF) LESTER RIGGINS, MONTE VISTA, COLO-RADO, FOR A CLASS "B" PERMIT TO APPLICATION NO. 6280-PP OPERATE AS A PRIVATE CARRIER BY MOTOR VEHICLE FOR HIRE. April 9, 1943. - ----Appearances: Conour and Conour, Esqs., Del Norte, Colorado, for E. B. Faus, James Ashton, E. T. Walker; T. A. White, Esq., Denver, Celorado, for Rio Grande Motor Way, Inc.; A. J. Fregeau, Denver, Colorado, for Weicker Transfer and Storage Company.

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

The above-styled application was filed on February 3, 1943, and set for hearing in Alamosa, Colorado, on March 11, 1943, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., due notice of the time and place of hearing being forwarded to applicant.

Notwithstanding said notice, he failed to appear at the time and place designated for hearing. Thereupon, protestants moved that said application be dismissed for lack of prosecution.

The matter was taken under advisement.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said motion should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That the above-styled application be, and the same is hereby, dismissed, for lack of prosecution.

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This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO 11

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 9th day of April, 1943.

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RE MOTOR VEHIGLE OPERATIONS OF)

WESTERN TANK & ROAD SUPPLY COMPANY 1912 West 2nd St., Wichita, Kansas

PERMIT NO. C-11798

April 9, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>C-11798</u>, heretofore issued to <u>Western Tank & Road Supply Company of 1912 West 2nd St., Wichita, Kanses</u>, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective <u>March 17, 1943</u>

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 9th day of April, 19.43...

(Decision No. 20757)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHIGLE OPERATIONS OF)

F. M. MATCHETT Benkelman, Nebraska PERMIT NO. C-11398

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April 9, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

The	Commission	is in	receipt	of a	communication	from	
<u> </u>	Matchett				of Benkelman	<u> </u>	lebraska
requesting	g that his	Permit	No	C	-11398	Ъе	cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-11398, heretofore issued F. M. Matchett of Benkelman, Nebraska be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 1, 1943

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

PERMIT NO. C-5961

WILLIAM A. LUINO Edgewater, Colorado

April 9, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a	communication from
William A. Luino	of Edgewater , Colorado
requesting that his Permit No	

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-5961 , heretofore issued

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 9, 1943

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 9th day of April , 19.43

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RE MOTOR VEHIGLE OPERATIONS OF)

PERMIT NO. C-3411

Rocky Ford, Colorado

April 9, 1943

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By the Commission:

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After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-3411 , heretofore issued to H. Cohen of Rocky Ford, Colorado be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 30, 1943

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHIGLE OPERATIONS OF)

PERMIT NO. C-906

JOHN LEACH 1047 Kalamath St., Denver, Colorado

April 9, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-906 , heretofore issued to John Leach of 1047 Kalamath St., Denver, Colorado be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 26, 1943

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION THE S Kem

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 9th day of April , 19.43

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RE MOTOR VEHIGLE OPERATIONS OF)

PERMIT NO. C-11830

April 9, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

JACOB HANKLE

29 Locust St., Windsor, Colorado

The Commission is in	receipt of a	communication f	from
Jacob Hankle	_	of 29 Locust	St., Windsor, Colorado
requesting that his Permit		C-11830	

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-11830 , heretofore issued to...Jacob Hankle of 29 Locust St., Windsor, Colorado be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 31, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMPISSION THE STATE OFCO 22 ADO Per - aric Ram

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this_____day of ______ April _____, 19...43.

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(Decision No. 20762)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHIGLE OPERATIONS OF)

ACME LUMBER COMPANY 3424 E. Colfax Ave., Denver, Colorado PERMIT NO. C-14131

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April 9, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from.....

Acme Lumber Company of 3424 E. Colfax, Ave., Denver, Colorado

requesting that his Permit No. C-1/(131) be cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-14131 , heretofore issued to <u>Acme Lumber Company of 3424 E. Colfax Ave., Denver, Colorado</u> be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective <u>March 18, 1943</u>

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF-COLORADO 12:0: ... Concellan Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 9th day of April , 19 43

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RE MOTOR VEHIGLE OPERATIONS OF)

GEORGE F. CARMACK P O Box 82 Durango, Colorado

PERMIT NO. C-14132

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April 9, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a	communication from
George F. Carmack	.of Box 82 Durango, Colorado
requesting that his Permit No.	C-1/132

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

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and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 29, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION THE STATE OF COLORADO. lan alcom Kim 0

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 9th day of April , 19.43

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RE MOTOR VEHIGLE OPERATIONS OF)

PERMIT NO. C7887

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Cedaredge, Colorado

C. E. FLOOD

April 9, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The	Commission	is in	receipt	of	a	communication	from		
C. E.	Flood	*****				of Cedaredge	,	Colorado	
requesting	g that his	Permit	No			C-7887	be	cancelled	•

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-7887 , heretofore issued to C. E. Flood of Cedaredge, Colorado ______be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 9, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE **N**F alcom Gricken

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this_____9th_____day of _____April _____, 19.43....

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RE MOTOR VEHIGLE OPERATIONS OF)

PERMIT NO. C-10221

PAUL FIELD 605 W. 3rd Leadville, Colorado

April 9, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt o	of a communication from.	
Paul Field	of 605 W. 3rd	Leadville, Colorado
requesting that his Permit No	C-10221	be cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-10221 , heretofore issued to Paul Field of 605 W. 3rd, Leadville, Colorado be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective February 1, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 9th day of April , 19 43

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(Decision No. 20766)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHIGLE OPERATIONS OF	F)	
JOHN CHABINO Star Route Kim, Colorado) PERMIT NO.))	C-14083

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The	Commissio	n is	in	receipt	of	a	communication	from		
John	Chabino						of Star Route		Kim,	Colorado
requestin	g that his	Peru	nit	No			C-14083	Ъе	cancelled.	·

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-14083, heretofore issued to John Chabino of Star Route, Kim, Colorado be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective January 1, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF bo PLIT alcom Grickson

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 9th day of April , 19.43

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(Decision No. 20767)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHIGLE OPERATIONS OF)

MRS. HARRIETT M. BUCKINGHAM

201 Colorado Blvd., Denver, Colorado PERMIT NO. B-2871

.April.9, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. B-2871, heretofore issued to Mrs. Harriett M. Buckingham of 201 Colorado Blvd., Denver, Colorado be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 18, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO 242.... many Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 9th day of April 19 43

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RE MOTOR VEHIGLE OPERATIONS OF)

PERMIT NO. C-615

April 9, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

D. J. FLOOK

Genoa, Colorado

The	Commission	is in	receipt	of a	communication	from	*
D.	J. Flook	*********			.of Genoa		Colorado
requesting	g that his]	Permit	No	******	C615	be	cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-615 , heretofore issued D. J. Flook of Genoa, Colorado to.....be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 30, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION HE STATE OF NAN

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this ______ 9th _____ day of ______ April _____, 19 ____43 ____

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(Decision No. 20769)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF

D. J. FLOOK & SON Genca, Colorado

PRIVATE PERMIT NO. A-185

April 9, 1943

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<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from the above named permittee, requesting that Permit No. A-185 be suspended for a period of six months from March 30, 1943.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That D. J. Flook & Son of Genoa, Colorado, be, and are hereby, authorized to suspend operations under Permit No. A-185 for a period of not to exceed six months from March 30, 1943.

That unless said D. J. Flook & Son shall, prior to the expiration of said suspension period, make a request in writing for the reinstatement of said permit, file insurance and otherwise comply with all rules and regulations of the Commission applicable to private carrier permits, said permit, without further action by the Commission, shall be betwoked without the right to reinstate.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION THE STATE COLOR OB OTIIN Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 9th day of April, 1943.

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(Decision No. 20770)

REFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF A. B. COOLEY AND O. B. COOLEY, DOING BUSINESS AS "COOLEY BROTHERS", MOSCA, COLORADO, FOR AUTHORITY TO TRANSFER PERMIT NO. B-1654 TO O. B. COOLEY, MOSCA, COLORADO.

APPLICATION NO. 3313-PP-A

April 9, 1943.

Appearances: O. B. Cooley, Mosca, Colorade, <u>pro se;</u> T. A. White, Esq., Denver, Colorade, for Rio Grande Metor Way, Inc.; A. J. Fregeau, Denver, Colorado, for Weicker Transfer and Storage Company.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

Applicants, A. B. Cooley and O. B. Cooley, doing business as "Cooley Brothers," Mosca, Colorado, herein seek authority to transfer Private Carrier Permit No. B-1654 to O. B. Cooley, the said A. B. Cooley being desirous of withdrawing from the partnership.

At the hearing in Alamosa, Celorade, on March 11, 1943, it appeared that there are no outstanding unpaid obligations against said partnership; that said 0. B. Cooley is capable, willing, and able to carry on the proposed operation.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said application should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That A. B. Cooley, of the firm of A. B. Cooley and O. B. Cooley, doing business as "Cooley Brothers," Mosca, Colorade, operating under Permit No. B-1654, be, and he hereby is, permitted to withdraw from said

operation, and that our records and files be smended to show O. B. Cooley as owner and operator of said Permit No. B-1654.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO 50 16 2

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 9th day of April, 1943.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF R. G. JAMES, 116 WEST VERMIJO STREET, COLORADO SPRINGS, COLORADO, FOR AUTHORITY TO TRANSFER PERMIT NO. B-916 TO T. E. DOBBIE, 1619 CHEVENNE) ROAD, COLORADO SPRINGS, COLORADO. _ _ _ _ _ _ _

APPLICATION NO. 2263-PP-BAA

April 9, 1943. - -- -

Appearances: T. E. Dobbie, Colorado Springs, Colorado, for the applicants:-A. J. Fregeau, Denver, Colorado, for Weicker Transfer and Storage Company; Truman A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the Common Carrier Division of the Celerade Motor Carriers' Association.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

R. G. James herein seeks authority to transfer Private Carrier Permit No. B-916 to T. E. Dobbie, Colorado Springs, Colorado. Said permit authorizes the transportation of:

> coal, ice, sand, gravel and fertilizer between Pikes Peak, Corley and City Mines, and Colorado Springs, Broadmoor, Fountain and Manitow, and between Celerade Springs, Breadmoor, Fountain and Maniton, and coal from Pueblo to Colorado Springs, Breadmoor, Fountain and Manitou, and from mines in the Florence-Canon City coal district to Colorado Springs; livestock from and to points within a radius of ten miles of Celerade Springs, to and from sales ring of Charles McGuire, located on East Boulder Street, in or near Colorado Springs; hay and grain to Colorado Springs and Ivywild from farms east of the mountains, but not more than fifty miles distant from Colorado Springs; ccal from Pikes Peak, Corley and City Mines, and from Florence-Canon City coal district, to Limon.

At the hearing in Colorado Springs, Colorado, on March 17, 1943. it appeared that all outstanding indebtedness of James against said operation

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hes been paid; that two trucks, in addition to the operating right, are to be transferred by him to transferee.

The operating experience and pecuniary responsibility of applicant were established to the satisfaction of the Commission.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said application should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That R. G. James, Colorado Springs, Colorado, should be, and he hereby is, authorized to transfer all his right, title and interest in and to Permit No. B-916 to T. E. Dobbie, Colorado Springs, Colorado.

The right of transferee to operate under this order shall depend upon his compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

This order is made a part of the permit authorized to be transferred, and shall become effective twenty days from date.

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Dated at Danver, Colorado, this 9th day of April, 1943.

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(Decision No. 20772)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF FRED MESTAS, MESITA, COLORADO, FOR AN EXTENSION OF PERMIT NO. B-1787. APPLICATION NO.

3354-PP-BB

April 9, 1943

Appearances: Merle M. Marshall, Esq., Alamosa, Colorado, for the applicant;

T. A. White, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for Rio Grande Motor Way, Inc.; A. J. Fregeau, Denver, Colorado, for Weicker Transfer & Storage Co.; Conour & Conour, Esqs., Del Norte, Colo., for E. B. Faus, E. T. Walker, James Ashton: J. E. Pound, Esq., Alamosa, Colorado,

for Joe F. Gallegos.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

Fred Mestas, on August 24, 1936, by Decision No. 8302, was authorized to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of:

> livestock, grain and potatoes from points within a radius of 30 miles of Mesita, Colorado to points in the San Luis Valley and to Pueblo, with back-haul of coal, only, from mines in the Walsenburg coal fields to points within a radius of 30 miles of Mesita, Colorado.

He now seeks authority to extend his operations under said permit to include the right to transport livestock and farm products from points in said area, to Denver and Alamosa, and mill products from Alamosa and Denver to points in said area.

The testimony developed that Mr. Mestas now has two one and one-half ton trucks, equipped with stock rack and grain box; that, for the most part, livestock formerly moved from his territory around Mesita to Pueblo, but, due to the closing of the Nuckolls Packing Company factory in Pueblo, livestock must now move to Denver or Alamosa; that wheat, peas, and other produce raised around Mesita move to Alamosa; that Mesita is served by the San Luis Valley Southern Railway Company, but its service is so poor farmers ship by truck; that most of his customers live within a fifteen-mile radius of Mesita; that Jee

Galleges, who purchased Arguello's certificate, and resides in Fert Garland, has authority to serve part of the territory served by applicant; that he is not readily available, and has served only when requested so to do by applicant; that applicant does not propose to perform any town to town service; that mill products referred te are millers' tankage, and prepared farm feeds, which would move from Alamosa or from Denver to farms; that Mesita is without a store; that a number of farmers have discussed organizing a omeperative mercantile company, in which event, he might desire to haul said mill products to Mesita for distribution by the store.

A number of large operators living in Mestas' territory appeared and testified generally that service of common carriers was inadequate, and practically wholly lacking; that they needed applicant's service, not only on account of the scarcity of for-hire trucks, but because they no longer are able, on account of lack of farm help or lack of trucks, to furnish their own transportation service; that they ship cattle, hogs, sheep, grain, and vegetables to market. Hogs and cattle formerly moved to Pueblo, but now must move to Alamosa or Denver. They require movements of prepared feeds from Denver and Alamosa to their farms.

Among others who testified were W. J. Jensen, who resides two miles from Mesita, John Winters, whose place is four miles from Mesita, C. E. Shull, and John Rell, of the same vicinity, Frank Peterson, who lives nine miles beyond San Acacia, a feeder and trader and livestock raiser, R. E. Catlan, Henry Quinlan, and Clayton Williams, who live near Mesita.

Joe F. Gallegos stated that he operated under P.U.C. No. 1152; that he has an application for extension pending, which extension would permit him to transport used household goods, furniture, farm equipment, machinery, and livestock from Denver; cement from Portland; lumber and building supplies from Pueblo to points within a radius of fifteen miles of San Luis, being his pick-up territory; that he has two trucks equipped with livestock racks; that, generally, he serves territory around San Luis; that he lives at Fort Garland, but goes to San Luis every other day, Fort Garland being but sixteen miles from San Luis; that he employs two drivers; that he handled nine loads of livestock to Denver in February, and five loads in January; that his business chiefly is around San Luis; that he is willing to serve in the san Acacia area, if requested so to do.

Mr. Concur, for his clients, stated that they had no objection to the granting of the authority requested by applicant, if limited to the Rio Grande River on the west, and points ten miles north, ten miles east, and ten miles south of Mesita.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that the extension sought, as limited in the Order following, should be granted; that it did not appear that the granting of said extension will impair the efficiency of any common carrier now serving the area, and that farmers, who will be served under the extension, require more for-hire service.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That the authority of Fred Mestas, under Private Carrier Permit No. B-1787, should be, and it hereby is, extended to include the right to transport farm products, including livestock, from points within a radius of fifteen miles of Mesita to Denver and Alamosa, and mill products from Alamosa and Denver to points in said fifteenmile radius, without the right to serve between towns served by line haul motor vehicle carriers on schedule.

This order is made a part of the permit granted to applicant, and shall become effective twenty days from date.

That said application, in all other respects, should be, and the same hereby is, denied.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 9th day of April, 1943

Commissioners

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(Decision No. 20773)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF J. P. WIEDERKEHR AND CLYDE WIEDERKEHR,) DOING BUSINESS AS "J. P. WIEDERKEHR) AND SON," DEL NORTE, COLORADO, FOE AN) EXTENSION OF P.U.C. NO. 1451.

APPLICATION NO. 5743-B

April 9, 1943

Appearances: Conour & Conour, Esqs., Del Norte, Celorado, for the applicant;
E. B. Faus, Monte Vista, Colorado, pro se;
T. A. White, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for Rio Grande Motor Way, Inc.;
A. J. Fregeau, Denver, Colorado, for Weicker Transfer & Storage Co.

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

On February 3, 1942, by Decision No. 18274, applicant was authorized to operate as a common carrier by motor vehicle for hire, on call and demand, for the transportation of certain commodities therein designated:

> from point to point within an area fifteen miles north, south and west, and eight miles east of Del Norte, and between points within the area described as two lines drawn east and west fifteen miles north and fifteen miles south, and two lines drawn north and south fifteen miles west and eight miles east of the center of the town of Del Norte, Rio Grande County, Golerado, and between points in said area and points within fifty miles of Del Norte, subject to certain limitations therein expressed.

Applicant herein seeks authority to extend his service by amending his certificate by inserting the words "used household goods and furniture" after the comma between the words "lumber" and "from" in the seventh line of the Order contained in said decision. There was no objection to the granting of the additional authority sought, and protestants stipulated that the testimony submitted in support of the original application of applicants at the hearing, in Alamosa, Colorado, on October 16, 1941, should be made a part of the record. Attention was also called to the fact that the Commission found, in its said Decision No. 18274, that:

> "there is also some demand for the movement of farm families between farms, from town to farm, and from farm to town, especially in the spring of the year when tenants are moving,"

but did not include said authority in the certificate granted, because it was not requested by applicants.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that public convenience and necessity require the amendment requested and the proposed operation of applicant for the transportation of used household goods and furniture, and that certificate of public convenience and necessity should issue therefor.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That public convenience and necessity require the extended motor vehicle common carrier operations of applicants, on call and demand, for transportation of "used household goods and furniture," and that the Order contained in Decision No. 18274 be, and the same hereby is, amended, by inserting the words "used household goods and furniture" after the comma between the words "lumber" and "from" in the seventh line of said Order, and this order shall be taken, deemed and held to be a certificate of public convenience and necessity therefor.

The applicants shall file tariffs of rates, rules and regulations, as required by the rules and regulations of this Commission within twenty days from date.

The applicants shall operate their carrier system in accordance with the order of the Commission except when prevented by Act of God, the public enemy or extreme conditions.

This order is subject to compliance by applicants with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date. That said Decision No. 18274, in all other respects, shall remain in full force and effect.

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 9th day of April, 1943.

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(Decision No. 20774)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF) CHARLEY AKES, ROUTE 3, BOX 37, GOLDEN,) APPLICATION NO. 6231-PP-B COLORADO, FOR AN EXTENSION OF PERMIT) NO. B-2896.

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF CARL AKES, 935 SOUTH TENNYSON STREET, DENVER, COLORADO, FOR AN EXTENSION OF PERMIT NO. B-2344.

APPLICATION NO. 4982-PP-B

April 7, 1943

Appearances: Charley Akes, Golden, Colorado, pro se; Carl Akes, Denver, Colorado, pro se; Truman A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Denver, Colorado, for Buckley Brothers, Curnow Livery and Storage, and Joe Heppberger; Marion F. Jones, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for Roy Kohl and Gately Motor Company.

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

This matter was heard at Denver, Colorado, on April 2, 1943. The applicants, Charley Akes and Carl Akes, being the owners of Permits Nos. B-2896 and B-2344, in the order named above, seek identical authority to extend their operations to include the transportation of ore and concentrates between points within a radius of fifteen miles of Georgetown, and from and to points in said area, to and from Golden, Rollinsville and Leadville, Colorado.

Upon stipulation of applicants and protestants, the above applications were consolidated for hearing.

Applicant Carl Akes testified, to which testimony Charley Akes subscribed, that the inducing motive in seeking extension of operations at the present time was the desire on the part of one H. V. George, who is conducting mining operations within a radius of fifteen miles of Georgetown, to have ores and concentrates transported in the immediate future from said mines to Gelden, Rollinsville and Leadville, and to the Williken Will at Idaho Springs. However, applicant stated that they desired to enter into business under their proposed extended operations and to list other customers with the Commission in proper manner.

Applicant Carl Akes is the owner of one 1936 Ford, two 1937 Fords, one 1939 Chevrolet, and one 1940 Chevrolet dump trucks, all of one and one-half ton capacity, and Applicant Charley Akes is the owner of one 1941 Ford dump truck, with one and one-half ton capacity.

Applicants stated they were willing to limit their operations to serving mines within the area applied for east of the Continental Divide, whereupon Marion F. Jones stated that Roy Kohl and Gately Motor Company withdrew their objections.

Carl Akes further testified that the facilities of other carriers authorized to conduct operations within the territory applied for are adequate, but he reported that Mr. George had stated that the other carriers wanted him to wait until June 1 before they attempted to make any move of the ores and concentrates, on account of weather conditions. Applicant testified that they would be able to get into the mine by using a bulldozer.

William Buckley, of Silver Plume, Colorado, representing Buckley Brothers, testified that he had eight trucks with rover authority to serve the area in question; that he was familiar with the mine operated by George, and also the roads; that it might be pessible at the present time to get into the mine with a bulldeser, but that one trip would cut up the road so badly that that would be all, in his opinion, which could be undertaken until later in the summer. He testified that he advised Mr. George that the ore could not be moved at the present time, and probably not until May 15; that he has trucks available, and is willing to move the ere as soon as it can be moved, in his opinion.

Mrs. Joe Heppberger, testifying on behalf of Gilpin County Bus and Freight Line, stated that this operation owned three dump tracks and a bulldozer, none of which have been used in the last three months; that it has a twenty-mile radius of Blackhawk, in which is included the mine operated by George.

E. J. Trenberth, President of Curnow Livery and Transfer Company, testified that his company has operating authority over the same territory that applicants seek to serve; that he talked with Mr. George about a month ago, and that ^George thought that Curnow would be able to get in with a four-wheel-drive truck, owned by Curnow, but Trenberth thought it impossible. Trenberth testified that he had talked with the man operating the bulldozer at the mine for George, and was told by him that he did not think a truck would be able to get in until July or August. The mine is located at timberline, and the roads are very poor. Trenberth also testified that there is more than adequate equipment and facilities owned by presently-authorized carriers in this area, and that no further service is needed.

Harold Swena, of Swena Transfer, testified that he is the owner of a rover certificate, with authority within a radius of fifteen miles of Golden, which would include the mines operated by George; that he has three or four dump trucks, which have been idle most of the winter, and that service to the area is adequate.

Carl Akes states that he did not want the permit to conduct operations for George alone, but that he wanted authority for future movements and additional customers. Charley Akes subscribed to all of the testimony of Carl Akes.

It appears from the evidence that there is adequate autherized common carrier service within the area applied for and to the points designated, and that any further authorized service by applicants would impair the efficiency of the new adequate motor vehicle common carrier service operating in that area, and the Commission so finds.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That the instant applications of Carl Akes and Charley Akes be, and they hereby are, denied.

This order shall become effective twenty days from

date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 9th day of April, 1943

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(Decision No. 20775)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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APPLICATION NO. 6262

RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF FRED GIBSON, LA JARA, COLORADO. PERMIT NO. B-2394

April 10, 1943

Appearances:

Marion F. Jones, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the applicant;
R. E. Conour, Esq., Del Norte, Colorado, for E. B. Faus, E. T.Walker, and James Ashton;
T. A. White, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for Rio Grande Motor Way, Inc.;
A. J. Fregeau, Denver, Colorado, for Weicker Transfer and Storage Company;
Charles Vance, La Jara, Colorado, for Lute Vance.

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

Fred Gibson, La Jara, Colorado, who heretofore has operated as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire under Permit No. B-2394, herein seeks authority to operate as a common carrier by motor vehicle for hire, on call and demand, for the transportation of farm products, including livestock, and ferm equipment, between points within a radius of twenty-five miles of La Jara, Colorado, and between points in said radius on the one hand, and, on the other, points in the State of Colorado, and the transportation of cement from Portland to Antonito.

At the hearing, in Alamosa, Colorado, on March 11, 1943, it appeared that Gibson, besides a trucking operation under Permit No.

B-2394, which authorizes the transportation of:

farm products and livestock within a fivemile radius of La Jara, and cement from Portland to Antonito,

has operated a gas station at La Jara. He has three Chevrolet trucks -one a 1935 model, two being 1936 models. They are equipped with stock, beet and grain beds. Since November, with the consent of the Commission, he has been furnishing emergency service for the transportation of livestock from La Jara to Denver, and between points within a radius of approximately fifteen miles of La Jara. Demands for common carrier service and the extension of his private carrier service, for the most part, have come from farmers residing within the area extending to Antonito on the south, which is about fifteen miles from La Jara, points within a tenmile radius of La Jara on the north, Mesita on the east, and farms within seven miles of La Jara on the west. He added that he might get some grazed cattle from the mountains distant more than seven miles from La Jara, and that he was willing to cut the radius on the north to fifteen miles, which would take him into Alamosa. On the south, he would be satisfied with the State Line, but wants to extend twenty-five miles to the east and west, respectively. He has not hauled any cement since 1936. At the time, service was performed for WPA. There is no demand for cement movement at this time, inasmuch as Sargent, the dealer in La Jara, now buys cement from Barr Lumber Company. He stated that, due to scarcity of farmerowned trucks, and inability of carriers to get additional equipment, in his opinion, for-hire motor vehicle service is now inadequate. Too, the farmers have been unable to get satisfactory service by rail. It is difficult to get cars when wanted, and much time is consumed in waiting for movement of cars after loading lay-overs in transit. Farming and ranching and livestock operations also have increased in a large way. More cattle are being raised. More lambs, especially clover lambs, are being fed. Clover lambs move to market when ready from small farm flocks, which require shipment by truck, and not by rail. The Barr Lumber Company, a Private Carrier, has two trucks. J. D. Haynie, another Private Carrier, operates one truck, and Lute Vance, a common carrier at La Jara, has six trucks. However, he does not handle

livestock, so applicant, at Vance's request, has been moving livestock from the vicinity of La Jara to Denver about twice weekly, using one or two trucks each trip. This, with the consent of Vance and this Commission. He proposes, if the certificate is granted, to furnish an allinclusive farm service — that is, to move tractors and other farm machinery from sales, from farm to farm, and town to farm, without any town to town service, and to handle all types of farm products, including wool and grease. He admitted that the desire to keep his trucks busy, in addition to his wish to satisfy the farmers' demands for service, brought about the filing of the application.

It appeared that the only common carriers furnishing livestock and farm service were located at Monte Vista, fifty miles by road, and Del Norte, sixty-five miles by road, until recently, when Ashton leased some trucks from one Elmer Nelson, and opened a branch office at Alamosa, with Nelson in charge as agent, using the two semi-trailers and one straight truck so leased for service in that area.

A great number of farmers and ranchers residing in the La Jara district, and Charles Vance, appearing for the La Jara common carrier, Lute Vance, testified in support of the application. S. T. Parsons, a farmer and rancher, who lives three miles south of La Jara and handles hogs, cattle and three thousand sheep, stated that the farms and ranches in the district handle about 90,000 sheep, and large quantities of hogs and cattle; that it is fifty-two miles to the high range from his home ranch; that he has twelve ranches in all, which extend over an area about sixteen miles in length; that it is necessary to move stock and sheep between ranches and from and to ranges; that his neighbors have similar problems; that farm equipment, feed and supplies must be moved; that farm products, including wool, must go to markets; that sheep must be taken to shearing pens, located eighteen miles to twenty miles west of La Jara; that he runs sheep at Deertrail and Summitville; that they, too, must be moved, although it is more convenient to have lambs and sheep, located near Summitville, handled out of Del Norte; that he will have 1800 or 2000 lambs to move next fall; that he prefers, ordinarily, to ship by

rail, but if shipped by rail, it is necessary to move the lambs and sheep to rail-heads by truck; that he does not own any trucks; that rail service has been very unsatisfactory; that last fall he moved green lambs to La Jara for shipment, and was compelled to return them to the ranch because trucks were not available, and when moved by rail, they were forty hours enroute to Denver; that he has not been able to get for-hire truck service when needed; that it is unsatisfactory to make arrangements for truck service, especially at this time, by telephone; that neighborhood service is essential.

Similar testimony was given by Mr. Jackson and Jesse Ross and Frank Ross, who reside on ranches south of La Jara. Mr. Morgan, who has a ranch five miles southwest of La Jara, and Oscar Horton, who lives seven miles northwest of La Jara. Mr. Jackson has twenty-five ewes, one hundred head of cattle, and fifty hogs. Jesse Ross runs horses, cattle, and hogs. Frank Ross raises hogs and cattle. Mr. Morgan has sheep, range cattle, and milk cows. Oscar Horton has livestock and hogs. They all farm extensively. Jackson stated that he attempted to employ Ashton to move two hundred native buck lambs from Wolf Creek last fall; that Ashton then was booked for two weeks ahead; that it was difficult to get sugar beets moved to the railroad at Bountiful, and transportation of green hay and farm machinery, which is necessary throughout the area, has been difficult for farmers to obtain. Frank Ross was compelled to wait ten or twelve days before he could get service from Haynie for movement of some bogs. When finally moved, they were too heavy, and some of them broke down. Jesse Ross was compelled to wait a week or ten days for service by Haynie and Barr. Gibson finally furnished service for both Ross operations. The service was very satisfactory. Mr. Morgan stated that he arranged with Haynie to move some livestock, and gave him a week's notice; that the day appointed, Haynie was in Denver with his truck out of order. He waited until Monday, Finally, he called James Ashton at Del Norte, who moved part of them. Haynie then took a load, but seventeen were left over that he was compelled to feed. His feed was short. He stated that, in his opinion, there were plenty of truckers, but not enough trucks; that the difficulty

was to get service when you wanted it; that the kind of service depends on "how you stand in with the truckers;" that if they wish to, they put off others and give you prompt service. Mr. Horton mentioned a number of occasions when neighbors had been compelled to wait for service because trucks of for-hire carriers were laid up for repairs.

In opposition, James E. Ashton, PUC No. 1313, who is authorized to serve in part of the La Jara area, and between most points in the San Luis Valley, and from and to points in the Valley, to and from points in the State, testified that he now maintains an office in Alamosa; that, prior to its establishment about one and one-half months prior to the hearing, business was handled out of Del Norte; that he handles livestock, farm products, farm supplies, and farm equipment; that he has ten trucks, two thirty-two feet, two thirty feet, one twenty-eight feet, two twentyfour feet, one sixteen feet, and two pick-ups. A year ago, he had only four trailers and one straight job. Two to four of the trucks are used to haul baled hay in the Saguache area to Pando; the sixteen-feet truck is kept at Saguache regularly. He has expended approximately \$10,000.00 for equipment during the past six months. While he has not been able to handle local business around La Jara from Del Norte, he believes that he will not now have any difficulty in handling all business available from Alamosa; that, primarily, he wants to furnish long haul service, and on that account, objects to the in-and-out service proposed by applicant, not to local service. 1942 livestock tonnage was double tonnage handled in 1941, due to high livestock prices and demand for stock. Walker, another common carrier who had one truck a year ago, and who recently acquired the Curtis operation, has four trucks now. Postel continues to operate but one truck. Curtis! operation, which was a three-truckservice, was transferred to Walker.

Bruce Faus, of Faus Transportation Company, stated that his company operates a line haul service between La Jara and Antonito.

E. T. Walker, PUC No. 1251, with headquarters at Del Norte, Colorado, stated that he can serve between points within a radius of twenty-five miles of La Jara under his authority; that he has been serving

the Carmel area, ten to twelve miles northwest of La Jara, where ranchers engage in extensive livestock operations; that Ashton and Postel also serve that area; that he has an agent at Carmel, who calls Del Norte.

Elmer Nelson, of Alamosa, testified to his arrangement with Ashton. He stated that he had been in Alamosa one and one-half months; that he has two semis, and one straight job. He filed an application for permit to operate his trucks for hire, but dismissed the application when be became Ashton's agent.

Charles Vance, of La Jara, who is Manager for Lute Vance, the common carrier operation, PUC No. 441, stated that his father operates six trucks; that the section around La Jara is growing rapidly; that more land is in cultivation, and more livestock is being produced; that farmerowned trucks are few in number; that his trucks are insufficient to handle local or in and out service, especially during the summer and fall months; that the application should be granted.

Upon the record, it appears that the farmers residing in the vicinity of La Jara have not been receiving the service which they require, and are entitled to. It is possible that better service may be offered since Ashton has established an agency in Alamosa. This, however, cannot satisfy the requirements of the people at La Jara as well as their needs can be satisfied by a resident trucker. Mr. Ashton concedes that by stating that he is not interested in, and does not desire to perform, local service; that when he wants is the long haul -- in and out, but the ranchers and farmers, no doubt, would prefer to have all their transportation requirements, when possible, satisfied by one carrier, especially if he is a local operator. It would seem to be desirable, especially in view of the emergency and growth of La Jara community, to allow Mr. Gibson's application for the most part. His primary local service can be supplemented by the long haul service of Ashton, for with his limited equipment of small capacity, he will not be able to handle extensive cattle or sheep movements, and no doubt will call Ashton, Walker, and other carriers when service of that type is

required. Frequently, farmers require shipments of small consignments of livestock. These he will be able to handle as a local service for his customers. There does not seem to be any demand or need for his service in Alamosa, or the territory immediately adjoining. The same reasoning which justified granting a certificate for service in, from and to section around La Jara, would compel the conclusion that Ashton, with his new Alamosa service, can better serve there.

Mr. Vance, who probably is in a better position to know the requirements of the people at La Jara than any of the carriers testifying at the hearing, joins in requesting that Gibson's application be granted.

Therefore, after a careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that public convenience and necessity require the motor vehicle common carrier call and demand service of applicant, as limited in the Order following, and that certificate of public convenience and necessity should issue therefor; that Private Carrier Permit No. B-2394 should be cancelled.

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IT IS ORDERED:

That public convenience and necessity require the proposed motor vehicle common carrier service of Fred Gibson, on call and demand, for the transportation of farm products, including livestock, and wool in grease, and farm equipment, between points within the area extending to the Colorado-New Mexico State Line on the south; on the north to a line drawn east and west through a point ten miles north of La Jara; on the east to a line drawn north and south through Mesita; and on the west to a line drawn north and south through a point seven miles west of La Jara, and from and to points in said area, to and from points in the State of Colorado, without the right to transport farm equipment between towns served by line haul "motor vehicle carriers" operating on schedule, and this order shall be taken, deemed and held to be a certificate of public convenience and necessity therefor.

The applicant shall filed tariffs of rates, rules and regulations, as required by the rules and regulations of this Commission, within twenty (20) days from date.

The applicant shall operate his carrier system in accordance with the order of the Commission, except when prevented by Act of God, the public enemy, or extreme conditions.

This order is subject to compliance by applicant with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of The Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government.

That Permit No. B-2394 be, and the same hereby is, cancelled and revoked.

This order shall become effective twenty (20) days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 10th day of April, 1943.

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(Decision No. 20776)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF JOHN DEINES, JR., LOVELAND, COLO-RADO, FOR AUTHORITY TO TRANSFER PERMIT NO. A-578 TO ROY E. SANS AND FRANK W. BRISTOL, DOING BUSINESS AS "SANS AND BRISTOL," BERTHOUD, COLO-RADO.

APPLICATION NO. 6265-PP-A

April 10, 1943

Appearances: John Deines, Jr., Loveland, Colorado, <u>pro se;</u> Roy E. Sans, Berthoud, Colorado, <u>pro se;</u> Frank W. Bristol, Berthoud, Colorado, <u>pro se</u>.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

John Deines, Jr., of Loveland, Colorado, herein seeks authority to transfer his Private Permit No. A-578 to Frank W. Bristol and Roy E. Sans, doing business as "Sans and Bristol," Berthoud, Colorado. This permit, issued on December 20, 1933, authorized the transportation of:

> freight over regular established routes described as "Johnstown southwest to Berthoud and Loveland. Twenty-eight miles in any other territory described in writing to the Commission."

Under that authority, he has been transporting milk to Johnstown from points in the territory described as:

beginning at the northeast corner of Section 5, Township 4-North, Range 67-West; thence west along the north boundary line of Township 4-North, to U. S. Highway No. 87; thence south via Highway No. 87 to the south line of Township 3-North; thence east along said township line to the southeast corner of Section 32, Township 3-North, Range 67-West; thence north to the point of beginning.

Applicants asked that when and if transfer is authorized, the territory

served under Permit No. A-578 be described as presently served. Also, transferee, on February 19, 1943, by letter, asked the Commission to consolidated milk hauling operations under Permits Nos. A-578 and A-576, and asked that the consolidated territory be described as:

> "beginning at Johnstown, Colorado; thence one mile north, thence west to the northwest corner of Section 6, Township 4-North, Range 69-West; thence south to the southwest corner of Section 31, Township 3-North, Range 69-West; thence east to the southeast corner of Section 32, Township 3-North, Range 67-West; thence north to the point of beginning; also from Fort Collins to Denver and intermediate points."

Application was amended to cover said requests, and notice thereof was duly given parties in interest.

At the hearing, in Fort Collins, Colorado, on March 4, 1943, it appeared that the consideration for the transfer is the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500.00); that transferees now are engaged in transporting milk as Private Carriers, under Permit No. A-576, with authority as follows:

> "milk haul, starting at Berthoud west of Johnstown 36 miles, also Fort Collins to Denver and intermediate points; farm products (except livestock) from farms within a radius of 6 miles of Berthoud, Colorado, to storage and shipping points; building materials only from Denver to Berthoud, for The Gould Lumber Company and the Fred Harsh Lumber Company, only; building materials for said companies only from Berthoud to points within a radius of 6 miles thereof and to branch yards at Eaton, Wellington, Johnstown, La Port, Longmont, and Wildes; cement from Fort Collins and plaster from Loveland factories to yards of said companies; packaged petroleum products from Berthoud to Johnstown; rock from the Benson quarry, located 9 miles west of Berthoud to points within a 6-mile radius of Berthoud, Colorado."

It is proper that the territory to be served should be clearly defined. The suggested description for consolidated territory includes the territory now served under Permits Nos. A-578 and A-576, and some territory where transferees do not now have customers. While no one appeared in opposition at the hearing, some carriers authorized to serve territory not now served by transferees, but sought to be included in the consolidated permit, may have appeared and protested, if they under-

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stood territory described by applicants included some territory not served. It appears from a customers' list furnished the department that the transferees, under Permit No. A-576, do not serve anyone south of the south boundaries of Sections 27, 28, 29, and 30, west of U. S. Highway No. 87, in Township 4-North, Range 69-West; except one customer in Section 22, Township 3-North, Range 69-West, abutting U. S. Highway No. 87 on the west, so they would be able to serve all customers now served if their authorized consolidated pick-up territory is described as:

> "beginning at the northeast corner of Section 5, Township 4-North, Range 67-West; thence west to the northwest corner of Section 6, Township 4-North, Range 69-West; thence south 5 miles to the southwest corner of Section 30, Township 4-North, Range 69-West; thence east three and one-half miles to U. S. Highway No. 87; thence south via Highway 87 to the south center line of Section 34, Township 3-North, Range 69-West; thence east to the southeast corner of Section 32, Township 3-North, Range 67-West; thence north to the point of beginning,"

and they also are allowed to serve the farm in Section 22, Township 3-North, Range 69-West on the west side of, and abutting, U. S. Highway No. 87. which they now serve.

Since no common carrier is presently transporting milk to Johnstown from the territory now served by transferees under their Permit No. A-576, it would seem to be proper to permit consolidation of said permits, and to permit them to serve under said consolidated permit the territory now served under the two permits (and additional customers) aforedescribed.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that the authority sought to transfer said Permit No. A-578 should be granted; that territory to be served under Permit No. A-576 should be described so as to include the territory actually served by transferees under said authority; that operating rights under Permit No. A-576 and Permit No. A-578 should be consolidated, and that said permit shall hereafter be known as "Permit No. A-576."

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IT IS ORDERED:

That John Deines, Jr., Loveland, Colorado, should be, and he hereby is, authorized to transfer all his right, title and interest in and to Permit No. A-578, authorizing the transportation of:

> milk to Johnstown from points in the territory described as: beginning at the northeast corner of Section 5, Township 4-North, Range 67-West; thence west along the north boundary line of Township 4-North, to U. S. Highway No. 87; thence south via Highway No. 87 to the south line of Township 3-North; thence east along said township line to the southeast corner of Section 32, Township 3-North, Range 67-West; thence north to the point of beginning,

to Roy E. Sans and Frank W. Bristol, doing business as "Sans and Bristol," Berthoud, Colorado.

The right of transferees to operate under this order shall depend upon their compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

This order is made a part of the permit authorized to be transferred.

That said transferred authority be combined with and operated under Permit No. A-576; that, under the consolidated permits, transferees, in addition to other service now authorized under Permit No. A-576, be, and they hereby are, authorized to transport milk to Johnstown from territory described as:

> "beginning at the northeast corner of Section 5, Township 4-North, Range 67-West; thence west to the northwest corner of Section 6, Township 4-North, Range 69-West; thence south 5 miles to the southwest corner of Section 30, Township 4-North, Range 69-West; thence east three and onehalf miles to U. S. Highway No. 87; thence south via Highway 87 to the south center line of Section 34, Township 3-North, Range 69-West; thence east to the southeast corner of Section 32, Township 3-North, Range 67-West; thence north to the point of beginning,"

with back-haul of empty cans.

This order shall become effective twenty (20) days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 10th day of April, 1943.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF) NAROLD ANDREWS, AULT, COLORADO, FOR) A CLASS "B" PERMIT TO OPERATE AS A) PRIVATE CARRIER BY MOTOR VEHICLE) FOR HIRE.)

APPLICATION NO. 6293-PP

April 10, 1943.

Appearances: Harold Andrews, Ault, Celorado, <u>pro se;</u> A. J. Fregeau, Denver, Colorado, for Weicker Transfer and Storage Company; T. A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the Common Carrier Division of The Colorado Motor Carriers' Association.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The above matter was heard at Denver, Colorado, on April 2, 1943.

Applicant seeks authority to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of potatoes, omions, cabbage, wheat, and beets within a radius of fifteen miles of Ault, Colorado.

At the hearing, he was allowed to amend his application to substitute for the commodity "wheat", the words "grain for feed," and to add "beans for feeding purposes."

Applicant owns a 1937 Diamond T l2-ton truck and a 1933 Chevrolet 12-ton truck, both of which are worth approximately \$1,000.00. His net worth is about \$1,800.00 or \$1,900.00.

After considerable testimony concerning territory to be served and movements from town to town, it finally developed from applicant's statements that he desired common carrier authority. He was under the impression that if he obtained a Class "B" permit, he would be able to solicit customers and add their names to his customer list on twenty-four hours notice to the Commission. He stated definitely that his operation would not pay unless he would be allowed to serve all who would call for his service,

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and when he could obtain by solicitation. The Commission explained to him that this would constitute a common carrier operation, for which he had not applied, and which might be resisted by other common carriers operating in the territory sought to be served by him, were they aware that he desired a common carrier authority.

Protestants moved, in view of applicant's statements above, that his application be dismissed.

The Commission finds that, in view of the testimony as above stated, the application should be dismissed.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That the instant application be dismissed.

That this order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES CONDISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Comissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 10th day of April, 1943.

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF PAUL H. SAKAWYE, 2946 HUMBOLDT STREET, DENVER, COLORADO, FOR A CLASS "B" PERMIT TO OPERATE AS A PRIVATE CARRIER BY MOTOR VEHICLE FOR HIRE.

APPLICATION NO. 6294-PP

April 1D, 1943.

Appearances: Mrs. Paul H. Sakawye, Denver, Celorado, fer applicant; A. J. Fregeau, Denver, Celorade, for Weicker Transfer and Storage Company; Marion F. Jones, Esq., Denver, Celorado, for South Park

Notor Company; T. A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the Common Carrier Division of the Colorado Noter Carriers' Association; Harold Swena, Golden, Colorado,

Harold Swena, Golden, Colorado, for Swena Transfer.

STATEMENT

Br the Commission:

The above matter was heard at Denver, Colorado, on April 2, 1943. Applicant seeks authority to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of agricultural commodities and related supplies (hay, vegetables, fortilizers, etc.,) from Denver on U. S. Highway No. 285 to Jefferson and return; vegetables from point to point within a radius of forty miles of Denver, Colorado.

At the hearing, under cross-examination by protestants, applicant, speaking through his wife, Mrs. Paul H. Sakanye, agreed to limit operations to include only farm produce, in bulk, from farms to Denver; to eliminate Glear Greek, Boulder and Gilpin Counties from the authority sought; to conduct no movements between towns on U. S. Highway 35 and to transport hay, only from Jefferson to Denver.

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Under the limitations agreed to by applicant, protestants withdrew their objections.

The operating experience and financial responsibility of applicant were established to the satisfaction of the Commission.

The Commission finds that applicant should be granted a Class "B" permit to operate as a private carrier by motor vehicle for hire, as wet forth in the following order.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That Paul H. Sakawye, Denver, Celerade, is bereby authorized to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of hay, only, from Jefferson, Celerade, to Denver, Celorado, on U. S. Highway 285; farm products of all kinds from farms within a radius of forty_miles of Denver, to Denver, excluding service in Boulder, Clear Creek and Gilpin Counties, and also excluding movements of such commodities between towns on U. S. Highway 85.

All operations hereunder shall be strictly contract operations, the Commission retaining jurisdiction to make such amendments to this permit deemed advisable.

This order is the permit herein provided for, but it shall not become effective until applicant has filed a statement of his customers, copies of all special contracts or memoranda of their terms, the necessary tariffs, required insurance, and has secured identification cards.

That said application, in all other respects, is hereby denied. That the authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of the Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE COLORADO

Bated at Denver, Colorado, this 19th day of April, 1943.

Commissioners.

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(Decision No. 20779)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF TED GIBBENS, DOING BUSINESS AS "GIBBENS THUCK SERVICE", 826 EAST FOURTH STREET, PUEBLO, COLORADO, FOR AUTHORITY TO TRANSFER CERTIFI. CATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NE. CESSITY NO. 370 TO BUEL LOWDER, 1000 NORTH SANTA FE, PUEBLO, COLO. RABO.

RE: PRIVATE GARRIER OPERATIONS OF BUEL LOWDER, 1000 NORTH SANTA FE, PUERLO, COLORADO: PERMIT B-2903 APPLICATION NO. 1715_AA

APPLICATION NO. 6169_PP

April 10, 1945

Appearances: Marion F. Jones, Esq., Denver, Gelorado, for the applicants; A. J. Fregeau, Denver, Colorado, for Weicker Transfer and Storage Company: Truman A. Stockton, Jr., Esq.,

Denver, Golorado, for the Common Carrier Division of The Colorado Motor Carriers' Association.

<u>STATEMENT</u>

by the Commission:

By Decision No. 3205, dated January 30, 1951, G. R. Pratt was authorized to operate as a common carrier by motor vehicle for hire, on call and demand, for the transportation of:

> farm products from the farms in Pueble County to markets in the City of Pueblo, and other points in said County, and farm supplies from points in said county to said farms, with the provise that he should not engage in the transportation of freight between points on or near the Santa Fe Trail and other points in said county served by scheduled carriers, and for the conduct of a general transportation and cartage business in Vineland, Pueblo County, Gelorade, and between points in said county and other points in the State, with the provises that for the transportation of countoities other than household goods between points served singly or in combination by scheduled

carriers applicant should charge rates which in all cases should be at least 20% in excess of those charged by the scheduled carriers; that he should not operate on schedule between any points, or transport coal from the mines to any territory involved herein, or, without the consent of the Commission, establish a branch office or have an agent employed in any town or city other than Vineland for the purpose of developing business.

Subsequently, said operating rights, pursuant to authority to transfer contained in Decision No. 11608, were acquired by Ted Gibbens, who new seeks authority to transfer the same to Buel Lowder, Pueblo, Colorado.

At the hearing, in Celorado Springs, Colorade, en March 17, 1945, it developed that Buel Lowder has a Private Carrier Permit, No. B-2905, which he proposes to cancel if the transfer of the certificate is authorized, providing that clause prohibiting transportation of coal be eliminated, so that he can engage in movement of coal for hire.

It further appeared that there are no unpaid outstanding operating obligations against said certificate; that Lowder is able and willing to carry on said operations.

Inasmuch as the motor carrier associations and other interested parties have indicated they have no objection to the issuance of autherity, limited to the transportation of coal, it would seem to be desirable to eliminate the prohibition against transportation of coal, and to authorize transferee to perform such service.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that public convenience and necessity require the proposed operation of transferee for the transportation of coal; that the request for authority to transfer said certificate should be granted; that said Private Carrier Permit No. B-2903 should be cancelled.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That all that part of Decision No. 3205, being Paragraph (c) of the Order contained in said decision, reading as follows:

> "The applicant shall not transport coal from the mine to any territory involved herein,"

be, and the same hereby is, stricken and eliminated from said Order, and

that said Order, in all other respects, shall remain in full force and effect.

That Ted Gibbens, Pueblo, Colorado, be, and he hereby is, authorized to transfer all his right, title and interest in and to said operating rights granted in said Decision No. 5205, as herein amended, to Buel Lowder.

The tariff of rates, rules and regulations of the transferen shall become and remain those of the transferee until changed according to law and the rules and regulations of this Commission.

That Private Carrier Permit No. B-2905 be, and the same hereby is, cancelled and revoked, effective if and when transfer of said PUC No. 370 is consumated.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO.

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Dated at Denver, ^Colorado, this 10th day of April, 1943.

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(Decision No. 20760)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF H. H. BEATTY AND IONE BEATTY, DOING HUSINESS AS "QUARTZITE TRANSPORTATION COMPANY," RED CLIFF, COLORADO, FOR AUTHORITY TO OPERATE BUS SERVICE BE-TWEEN RED CLIFF, COLORADO AND CAMP HALE, COLORADO.

APPLICATION NO. 6295

April 10, 1943

Appearances: Howard Roepnack, Esq., Equitable Bldg., Denver, Colorado, for the applicant.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

This matter was heard at Denver, Colorado, on April 2, 1943.

Applicants seek authority to conduct a taxicab passenger transportation service, intrastate, between Red Cliff, Colorado, and Camp Hale, Colorado, during the continuance of Camp Hale as a United States Military Reservation.

It appears from the evidence that applicants are husband and wife; that the operation will be conducted as a partnership under the name of "Quartzite Transportation Company;" that each partner shall be entitled to an equal share in the profits, and shall assume an equal part of the loss. Service will be on call day and night. The equipment to be operated and the valuation thereof was testified to be as set forth in the application.

Mrs. Ione Beatty, testifying for applicants, stated that the operation would be between Red Cliff and the gates of Camp Hale or, if allowable by military authorities, to points within Camp Hale; that the equipment will be maintained at Red Cliff, and that the minimum charge will be \$2.25 per one-way trip, with an additional sharge of 75¢ per passenger, over three passengers, per one-way trip. The Commission is in receipt of a letter dated March 25, 1943, from The Denver and Rio Grande Western Railroad Company, signed by T. R. Woodrow, General Attorney, in which it is stated that The Denver and Rio Grande Railroad Company and the Rio Grande Motor Way, Inc., do not object to the issuance of the authority sought, with the understanding that the rate specified for the service will continue to be noncompetitive with scheduled rail and bus service, and to that end will not be changed without notice to said companies.

Applicants, at the hearing, agreed to comply with such limitations.

The Commission finds that present and future public convenience and necessity require, and will require, the proposed motor vehicle non-scheduled taxicab passenger service of applicants between Red Cliff, Colorado and Camp Hale, Colorado, for the duration of the war, or during the continuance of Camp Hale as a United States Military Reservation, or until further order of the Commission, and that certificate of public convenience and necessity should issue therefor, as limited in the Order herein.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That public convenience and necessity require the nonscheduled motor vehicle taxicab passenger service of H. H. Beatty and Ione Beatty, doing business as "Quartzite Transportation Company," Red Cliff, Celorado, between Red Cliff, Colorado, and Camp Hale, Colorado, for the duration of the war, or during the continuance of Camp Hale as a United States Military Reservation, or until further order of this Commission, with the following provises:

(a) Minimum rate of \$2.25 per one-way trip, with an additional 75¢ charge per passenger, over three passengers, per one-way trip, shall be charged;

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(b) Such rates shall continue to be non-competitive with rates charged by The Denver and Rio Grande Western Railroad Company and Rie Grande Motor Way, Inc., presently authorized schedule carriers serving said points, and that such rates shall not be changed without notice to said companies and approval of this Commission; and this order shall be taken, deemed and held to be a certificate of public convenience and necessity therefor.

The applicants shall file tariffs of rates, and rules and regulations as required by the rules and regulations of this Commission within twenty days from date.

The applicants shall operate their carrier system in accordance with the order of the Commission except when prevented by Act of God, the public enemy or extreme conditions.

This order is subject to compliance by applicant with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission. This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 10th day of April, 1943

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(Decision No. 20781)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHIGLE OPERATIONS OF)

MARKLEY MOTOR SALES 246 N. College Ave., Pt Collins, Colorado

6-11617 PERMIT NO.

April 15, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from.....

Markley Notor Sales	of 246 N. College Av	e., Ft Collins, Colorado
requesting that his Permit No		•

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-11617, heretofore issued Markley Motor Sales of 246 N. College Ave., Ft Collins, Coloradebe. and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 8, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION HE STATE an

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this___15th_____day of _____, 19___43___

(Decision No. 20782)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

RE MOTOR VEHIGLE OPERATIONS OF)

EDGAR G. SHULTZ (deceased)	
185 S. Navajo St.,	
Denver, Colorado	

C-12110 PERMIT NO.

April 15, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a	communication from
Edgar G. Shults (deceased)	of 185 S. Navajo St., Denver, Colorado
requesting that his Permit No	C-12110 be cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-12110, heretofore issued Edgar G. Shults (deceased) of 185 S. Navajo St., Denver, Colorado and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective February 16, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION HIGHNSOMATIE alcom MAM

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this_______ day of _______ 19_____ 19_____ 1

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RE MOTOR VEHIGLE OPERATIONS OF)

IRVIN BEAN	TERS
416 N. Sar	ita Fe
Florence,	Colorado

PERMIT NO. C-12530

April 15, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from.....

Irvin Beavers		of 416 N. Santa	. Fe	Florence,	Colerado
requesting that his P	ermit No	0-12530	be	e cancelled	1.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-12530 , heretofore issued to Irvin Beavers of 416 N. Santa Fe, Florence, Colorado be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 2, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION THE STATE OF wan

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 15th day of April , 19 43

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RE MOTOR VEHIGLE OPERATIONS OF)

PERMIT NO. C-14310

PETE C. DIAZ Trinidad, Colorado

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...April 15, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

The Commission is in rec	sipt of a communication	from
Pete C. Bias	of Trinidad	Colorado ,
requesting that his Permit No.	C-14310	be cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-14310 , heretofore issued to Pete C. Dias of Trinidad, Colorado be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective Harch 10, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF ory Wan om Cric KAM

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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RE MOTOR VEHIGLE OPERATIONS OF)

Springfield, Colorado

PERMIT NO. C-14196

April 15, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

C. R. LAGREE

The	Commission	is in receipt	of a communicati	on from	· * * - • * * * * * • • • • * * * • • • •
C. R.	LaGree		of Springf	ield	Colorado
requesting	that his I	Permit No	C-14196	-	

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-14196 , heretofore issued to C. R. LaGree of Springfield, Colorado _____be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 22, 1943

THE PUBLIC WHILITIES COMMISSION THE STATE OF ouran Kron ance

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 15th day of April , 19.43

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RE MOTOR VEHIGLE OPERATIONS OF)

ROY R.	EFFINGER
	1 Delivery
Mesa,	Arisona

PERMIT NO.

0-13746

April 15, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a	communication from
Roy R. Effinger	of General Delivery Mesa, Arisona
requesting that his Permit No	

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-13746, heretofore issued to Roy R. Effinger of General Delivery, Mesa, Arisona be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 3, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF com aria 11 Am

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 15th April 43

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(Decision No. 2012340)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHIGLE OPERATIONS OF)

PERMIT NO. C-12840

Rand, Colorado

April 15, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

ELMER E. HOWARD

The Commission is in receipt	of a communication	from
Elmer E. Howard	of Rand	Colerade
requesting that his Permit No		

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-12840 , heretofore issued to. Elmer E. Howard of Rand, Colorado be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 1, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION THE STATE OF. lan 1 alc Kson - 0 m

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this_____15th _____day of ______, 19___43___

(Decision No. 20788)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHIGLE OPERATIONS OF)

PERMIT NO. C-9562

SAYERS BROTHERS Trinidad, Colorado

April 15, 1943

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By the Commission:

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Seyers	Brothers		of Trin	idad ,	Colerado ,
requesting	g that his	Permit No	C9562	Ъе	cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. G-9562 , heretofore issued to Bayers Brothers of Trinidad, Colorade be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 4, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION STATE OF COLORADO THE llar alam The

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this_____day of ______ 19 43

(Decision No. 20789

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHIGLE OPERATIONS OF)

RECTOR FOOD PRODUCTS COMPANY) 619 E. 4th St.,) Pueblo, Colorado)

PERMIT NO. C-8583

April 15, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from.....

Rector Food Products Company of 619 E. 4th St., Pueblo, Colorado requesting that his Permit No. C-8583 be cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF 600 alcom - Grickson Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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RE MOTOR VEHIGLE OPERATIONS OF)

I. WEINREICH	PERMIT	NO.	C-7841
2830 West Colfax			
Denver, Colorado			

April 15, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from......

I. Weinre	lch	of.	2830 West	Colfax	Denver,	Colerado
requesting the	at his Permit	No	C-7841	be	cancelled.	·

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

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PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION THE STATE - Grickson

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this 15th day of April , 1943

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

RE MOTOR VEHIGLE OPERATIONS OF LOGAN COUNTY IMPLEMENT COMPA Storling, Colorado)	RMIT NO.	C-4044
	April 15, 194		

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

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After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

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PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION THE ST tuan aricking

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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RE MOTOR VEHIGLE OPERATIONS OF)

BUD A. EARLY 3981 S. Acoma St., Englewood, Colorado PERMIT NO. C-6668

April 15, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from.....

Bud A	. Ear	ly		*****	of	3981 8	3. Acom	a St.,	Eaglewood,	Colorado
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requesting	that	his	Permit	No		C6668	5	Ъе с	cancelled.	

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-6668 , heretofore issued to Bud A. Early of 3981 S. Acome St., Englewood, Colorado be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 6, 1943

UTILITIES COMMISSION THE PUBLIC THE' STATE - Corie

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 15th day of 19.43

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RE MOTOR VEHIGLE OPERATIONS OF)

J.	۹.	KEET	M
			Colorado

PERMIT NO. C-5533

April 15, 1943

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By the Commission:

The	Commission	is in	receipt	of a	a comm	unication	from	
J. C.	Keeton				of	Nensgnola		Colorado
requesting	g that his	Permit	No				•	

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-5533, heretofore issued to J. C. Keeton of Mansanola, Colorade be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 15, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION THE STATE Buran

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 15th day of April , 19 43

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RE MOTOR VEHIGLE OPERATIONS OF)

PERMIT NO. C-2767

THE RIDDOCH LUMBER COMPANY 3031 N. Nevada Colorado Springs, Colorado

.April 15, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

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requesting	that	his	Permit	No	C-2767	Ъе	cancelled.	

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-2767 , heretofore issued to The Riddoch Lumber Company of 3031 N. Nevada, Colo Springs, Colorada be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 10, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION KL

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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RE MOTOR VEHIGLE OPERATIONS OF)

PERMIT NO. C-2432

Silt, Colorado

JOHN COZZA

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April 15, 1943

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By the Commission:

T	he	Commissi	on is	in	receipt	of	a	communication	from	***************************************	******
J	ohn	Cozza						of Silta		Colorado	,
request	ing	that hi	s Per	mit	No			C-2432	Ъе	cancelled.	

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>C-2432</u>, heretofore issued John Cozza of Silt, Colorado be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 8, 1943.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO ouvar Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 15th day of April , 19 43

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RE MOTOR VEHIGLE OPERATIONS OF)

PERMIT NO. C-605

KENNETH CONRIE 818 Bennett Ave., Glenwood Springs, Colorado

> April 15, 1943

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By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from......

Kenneth Comrie of 818 Bennett Ave., Glenwood Springs, Cole

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No....... C...605......, heretofore issued to Kenneth Courie of 818 Bennett Ave., Glenwood Springs, Colorado be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 31, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION THE STATE Wax NAM ric

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 15th day	of April ,	19 43
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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF

C. H. COULSON Box 273, Route 1 Loveland, Colorado

PRIVATE PERMIT NO. A-594

April 16, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from the above named permittee, requesting that Permit No. A-594 be suspended for a period of six months from March 14, 1943.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That C. H. Coulson of Box 273, Route 1, Loveland, Colorado be, and he is hereby, authorized to suspend his operations under Permit No. A-594 for a period of not to exceed six months from March 14, 1943.

That unless said C. H. Coulson shall, prior to the expiration of said a suspension period, make a request in writing for the reinstatement of said permit, file insurance, and otherwise comply with all rules and regulations of the Commission applicable to private carrier permits, said permit, without further action by the Commission, shall be revoked without the right to reinstate.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION THE STATE OF COLORADO on arckson Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 16th day of April, 1943.

(Decision No. 20798)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF) THE CHICAGO, ROCK ISLAND AND PACIFIC) RATIWAY COMPANY (FRANK O. LOWDEN AND) JOSEPH B. FLEMING, TRUSTEES), TO CLOSE) ITS VONA STATION, IN KIT CARSON COUNTY,) COLORADO, AND SUBSTITUTE CUSTODIAN) THEREAT.)

APPLICATION NO. 6218 INVESTIGATION AND SUSPENSION DOCKET NO. 246.

April 14, 1943

Appearances: Hodges, Vidal and Goree, Esqs., by James Goree, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway Company and its Trustees; George E. Steinmetz, Esq., Burlington, Colorado, for the Town of Vona and Kit Carson County, Colorado; J. F. Young, 917 Gleyse Building, Kansas City, Missouri, for the Order of Railroad Trainmen.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

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On November 10, 1942, the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway Company (Frank O. Lowden and Joseph B. Fleming, Trustees), by their attorneys, William V. Hodges and James L. Goree, filed with the Commission an application for authority to close and discontinue their telegraph agency station at Vona, Colorado, effective December 15, 1942, alleging, as ground therefor, that the business at Vona Station consists mostly of carload shipments; that less than carload shipments have dwindled to insignificance by reason of the operation of motor trucks, public and private; that the business at Vona is largely seasonal; that said station can be operated as a pre-paid station, and billing and accounts, telegrams, and other agency facilities can be handled at Stratton, distant west approximately seven miles, or at Selbert, distant east approximately seven miles, at both of which stations agents and telegraph operators are maintained; that the cost ef operating and maintaining said Vona station as an agency telegraph station is not justified by the business there transacted, or the revenue received therefrom; that an agency is no longer there required, either for the purposes of the railroad or for the use and convenience of the public; that petitioners can procure a custodian to handle the business of the station at a nominal salary, and at much less expense; that, due to the war, there is a very serious shortage of competent telegraph operators and persons competent to discharge the duties of railroad agents; that the continued maintenance of an agent at Vona will be unnecessary, unreasonable and wasteful, especially when every effort should be made, as now, to conserve manpower to aid in the prosecution of the war.

On December 11, 1942, protests having been filed by the Board of County Commissioners of Kit Carson County, the Town Board of Trustees of Vona, the Postmaster of Vona, the General Chairman of the O.R.T., and numerous business people and citizens of Vona and nearby tributary territory, objecting to the closing of said station, the Commission entered its order, suspending the effective date of the proposed closing until April 16, 1943, unless otherwise ordered by the Commission.

The matter was set for hearing, and heard, at Vona, Colorado, on January 28, 1943, and taken under advisement.

The evidence disclosed that Vona is an incorporated town of approximately 250 people, having a number of grocery stores, restaurants, filling stations, elevators, and other business institutions; that commercial and business telephone service is supplied by a locally-owned cooperative telephone service, connecting with the Mountain States System at Stratton; that exchanges are maintained at Vona and Joes; that toll charges, besides tax, to Seibert and Stratton, are ten cents; that charge, Stratton to Burlington, is forty cents; that Stratton, seven miles west, and Seibert, seven miles east of Vona,

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are agency stations; that an agent telegrapher and one operator is employed at Stratton, and an agent and operator is employed at Seibert; that the territory immediately adjacent to and tributary to Vona is wholly agricultural, and said station has been used principally for the shipment of grain and livestock, incoming carlead freight being ranch supplies, petroleum products, livestock, coal and lumber. It also is served by for-hire trucks. The agent is on duty regularly between the hours of 8:30 A.M. and 5:30 P.M., daily, except Sunday, with one hour off for lunch, commercial telegraph service and express service being furnished through the agent. Current train service consists of passenger trains, and freight service, the Recket, streamline passenger train, not stopping at Vona. For the most part, trains pass through at night. No change in existing train service is proposed.

Exhibits introduced by applicant show the total revenue from the station from all sources, including carload and l.c.l. shipments received and forwarded, ticket sales, cream and express revenue, for the years 1938 to 1942, both years inclusive, crediting the station with all revenue, interline and connecting, on carload and local freight which is handled to and from the station. Based upon said computation, the toal revenue credited to the station amounted to \$14,944.24 for 1938; \$12,931.69 for 1939; \$17,710.66 for 1940; \$9,785.56 for 1941; \$13,811.26 for 1942. L.c.l. merchandise handled during 1942 amounted to \$525.11. Figures include passenger revenue, which included cream and baggage, totalled \$1,072.13 in 1942. In addition, Western Union Telegraph net revenues for messages forwarded pre-paid and received collect, only, amounted to \$113.28 in 1942, and were approximately the same for the years 1931 to 1941, inclusive. Express revenue amounted to about \$360.00 yearly, being \$349.47 in 1942. Salary paid the agent for ten months in 1942 amounted to \$1,712.74, he being paid at the rate of 77¢ per hour for eight hours a day, six days a week, with time and one-half for overtime. Total agency expense, including station heating, water for

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stock yards and supplies, amounted to \$1,816.21 for ten months. This amount does not include cost of maintaining station building and facilities at Vona.

Applicant's witnesses testified that actual duties of agent require about three hours daily; that hours of service cannot be reduced, the railroad being required, under its contract with the union, to pay the agent for eight hours; that, if agency at Vona is closed, agency and telegraph station service will be available at Stratton and Seibert; that it is proposed to obtain a custodian to care for the station, he to be paid at the rate of 46¢ per hour, it being contemplated that his services will not cost more than \$25.00 per month; that custodian will keep the station clean at all times and provide heat during the winter; that station, except waiting room, will be closed when custodian is not on duty; that freight, inbound, necessarily must be pre-paid, or, if C.O.D., will be left at a neighboring station; that freight will be unloaded by the train crew and placed in the station building, freight being similarly handled at nights in the past; that custodian will deliver freight to people who call for it at the hours when he is on duty; that freight will be picked up without billing and billed at the nearest town where agent is maintained; that cars may be ordered by telephone at Stratton where bills will be left for inbound freight, and may be paid or picked up there. Outbound freight, in carloads, will be billed by conductor at nearest station, memorandum being left for the shipper by the conductor; that cream will be left in the freight house, and the train baggageman will place it on the train; that commercial telephone may be used at company's expense to order cars, and if not satisfactory, company will install a telephone; that installation of a custodian would mean a saving of approximately \$125.00 monthly to railway company.

C. N. Luke, Chief Clerk in the Superintendent's Office, who offered the exhibits in behalf of the applicant, admitted that there was no loss on station operations during 1942. He also testified that there was a shortage of competent telegraphers, but, upon cross-examination, he was unable to furnish any definite information relative to the situation on the Rock Island. He could offer no assurance that the agent, if removed, would be given a position elsewhere, but suggested that he was eligible for retirement on pension. He admitted that vacations may have been granted on the division in 1942 to practically all agents. He could not state how many men were employed on the division, or whether the number had been increased or reduced during the year 1942, or whether company had or had not refused to employ telegraphers applying for work during 1942; whether there had been any increase in force, or in the number of positions, or whether telegraphers on other divisions of the Rock Island were still on furlough and had not been called back to work.

Mr. C. L. Simons, Trainmaster, stated that, from **conversations** with the dispatcher, he believed the railroad had been unable to complete its vacation program in 1942, and had been compelled to close some train stations for short periods of time, on account of relief operators not being available in case of sickness, etc., and to refuse lay-off requests because of shortage of help. He stated that he did not know that the O.R.T. maintained an employment office in St. Louis, and did not know whether competent telegraphers were or were not available through that employment office. He admitted that there could be some delay in number of trains if the agent were removed.

The principal witness for protestants was Mr. A. T. Jeffers, Mayor of Vona, who appeared as a witness in his capacity as Mayor. He[•] also is the agent for the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway at Vona. It developed that he had been employed by the railroad for twentysix years, and notwithstanding his years of service for company, some-

times was without a regular assignment; that he has been at Vona for four years; that, besides his regular shift from 8:30 A.M. to 5:30 P.M., he has been frequently called at other times to perform station or operator work and, by request, has remained on duty after 5:30 P.M., sometimes as late as 9130 at night; that over-time in December amounted to 53 hours; in January, to 47 hours; that the railroad does not have a block signal system, the semaphore in front of the station which is used to signal trains being manually operated by the agent; that drouth conditions prevailed in the Vona section until the year after he went there; that, at that time, a quarter section of land would not support one cow; that the population of Vona and the surrounding territory had decreased; that, in recent years, heavy rains had restored the pasture lands and brought about abundant crops. Hay could be cut on all pasture land during 1942. 55,000 bushels of wheat, 6,000 bushels of barley are in storage in the two elevators at Vona and on farms nearby. Herds have doubled or trebled. 17,000 head of cattle, and 20,000 to 30,000 sheep are pastured in the vicinity. A number of large operators recently have leased or purchased ranches. They will ship and receive large numbers of cattle, and must ship in ranch supplies in volume. 62 cream shippers now ship from Vona, as compared with 40, four years ago. Mr. Jeffers stated that as Mayor of the Town, and as agent for the railroad, he has conducted an intenwive campaign to get all possible freight for the railroad. His efforts have been attended with considerable success. Both 1.c.l. and carload shippers "signed up" to ship by rail. Besides soliciting and handling freight, and discharging his regularly assigned duties, he has performed many special services for the public to establish good-will toward the railroad, and to get business for it. Before, during, and after hours, he has protected cream shipments, winter and summer, cared for baby chicks until consignee claimed them, inspected tank cars, and handled damage claims, obtain and furnished information about passenger service of Rock Island and connecting line, and arranged for five or six reservations monthly out of Burlington on through trains that did not stop at

Vons, Burlington being given credit for tickets sold where agent at Vona obtained the business. He was convinced that, even though a custodian could be hired for the salary suggested, service would not be comparable with service furnished by a station agent; that the community would be harmed.

Mr. Roberts, who operated a bulk plant at Vona since 1924, and who, in January, 1941, expanded his business by buying Continental bulk plant after the railroad chief clerk told him agent was not to be removed at Vona, stated he will close his bulk plant at Vona if the agent is removed; that he supplies the territory extending 20 miles south of Vona, and to Joes, Kirk, and Cope on the north; that he receives 60 or more cars of petroleum products yearly, with freight charges in some years of \$14,000 to \$16,000. He consistently has shipped by rail in order to help the community, notwithstanding poor service, delays at Goodland, misplaced cars, etc. He always has found the agent very cooperative, and with his help, he has been able to get stray cars moving again.

E. D. Wilson, Manager of McDougal Grain Company Elevator at Vona, G. H. Harold, and P. D. Bonham, merchants at Vona, O. D. Reid, and B. L. Kerl, ranchers and livestock raisers, the County Treasurer, the Deputy County Assessor, and the County Commissioners of Kit Carson County, testified to increase in business in the area, the re-settling of farm and ranch lands, and growth of farms and livestock industries in the community, and voiced their opinions that continuation of agency station with telegraph and express service was essential, not only to continued growth of the community, but continued existence of Vona as a town. Moreover, they believed that removal of the station would mean the loss of practically all revenue now received by the railroad from that community. Roberts would quit, and stockmen would ship from the railroad on the north, where they prefer to go, anyway, because the railroad would not install scales at Vona. They believed revenue would be greatly increased if scales were installed. They also objected to expense and invonvenience of telephoning to and from Stratton or Seibert to get service now furnished locally by railroad, and being required to go to Stratton or Seibert for express, or to pay freight bills or to make claims for damages, etc., especially

at this time, on account of lack of trucks and cars, difficulty in obtaining rubber, parts and gas, and lack of time, because of scarcity of farm help.

M. A. Klutier, now agent at Limon, stated that he had been employed by the Rock Island for 24 years; that, for 22 years of that time he had been on the extra list, and that if the agency station at Vona were closed, unless the agent now employed there elected to receive a pension, he again would be on the extra list.

Upon the whole record, it would appear that the change proposed by the railroad is not justified; that, considering the needs of the community, the revenue received from the station, and the fact that the railroad, at the time of hearing, was enjoying a substantial increase in earnings, the change from an open telegraph agency railroad station to a custodian station will not furnish adequate service to the patrons of said station; that the custodian cannot, in view of railroad-O.R.T. contract, and provisions of the Wage and Hour Act, which provide for minimum compensation of 46¢ per hour, in the limited time that he will be on duty, perform services for patrons that agent gives. No doubt, railroad would attempt to fix hours that would best suit the public convenience, but two hours daily is a very limited time, considering the needs of farmers. The agent has been compelled towwork many hours over-time, on account of Government freight. Such movement not only will continue, but probably will increase. More, and not less, trains will move over the railroad. From an operating standpoint, the need for service will not lessen. As suggested at the hearing, the agent is the contact man for the railroad with the people. The agent at Vona has been very aggressive, and wholeheardedly has worked for the railroad's interests. Considerable business probably would be lost if agency were closed, and the community activities and interests, no doubt. would be adversely affected. Business at said station probably will increase, and the expense involved in maintaining said station, which is not operated at a loss, will not be so unreasonably out of proportion to the convenience afforded the public through the station agency as to impose an unlawful burden on the railroad. If it had been shown that station is

being operated at a loss, and that services of agent-operator are needed at a more important station, we probably would reach a different conclusion than that here readed. It did not appear that the agent's services are needed elsewhere. On the contrary, applicant's witness suggested that agent was eligible for pension, so we cannot say that closing should be permitted in order to provide adequate agent telegraph service at more important station on the Rock Island. See <u>Re Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul</u> and Pacific R. R. Co. (Mont.) 26 P.U.R. (N.S.) 390, and cases there cited; Los Angeles and Salt Lake Railroad Company v. Public Utilities Commission (Utah), 15 Pac. 2nd, 369.

Therefore, after careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said application should be denied.

<u>ORDER</u>

IT IS ORDERED:

That the above-styled application be, and the same hereby is, denied.

This order shall become effective twenty (20) days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 14th day of April, 1943.

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

TON F	RECHAN	
Stone	City,	Colorado

PERMIT NO.

G-13672

April 17, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

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After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-13672 , heretofore issued to Tom Freeman of Stome City, Colorado be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective January 9, 1943

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF) THOMAS A. BRENNAN, ERIE, COLO.)

PERMIT NO. B-2867

April 17, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

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After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>B-2867</u>, heretofore issued to <u>Thomas A. Brennan of Erie, Colorado</u>, be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 9, 1943.

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 17th day of April , 19 43

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF) LEON D. WURTZ) 2832 W. 43rd St.) Denver, Colorado)

PERMIT NO. B 2853

April 17, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

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IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. B-2853, heretofore issued to Leon D. Wurtz, 2832 W. 43rd St., Denver, Colo. be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 8, 1943.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 17th day of April , 19 43

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF) MRS. LELA BENNING) P.O. BOX 945,) DENVER, COLORADO

PERMIT NO. C-14014

April 17, 1943

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By the Commission:

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After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>C-14014</u>, heretofore issued to <u>Mrs. Lela Benning, Denver, Colorado</u>, <u>be</u>, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 10, 1943.

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF) FRED BENNING 26 SO. ADAMS ST. DENVER, COLORADO.

PERMIT NO. B-2850

April 17, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from Mrs. Lela Benning for Mr. Fred Benning ______ 26 So. Adams St Denver, Colorado requesting that his Permit No._______B-2850be cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>B-2850</u>, heretofore issued to______ Fred Benning, 26 So. Adams St., Denver, Colorado be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 10, 1943.

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF

E. J. FORD Boulder, Colorado PRIVATE PERMIT NO. B-1007

April 17, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from the above named permittee, requesting that Permit No. B-1007 be suspended for a period of six months from April 9, 1943.

<u>ORDER</u>

IT IS ORDERED:

That E. J. Ford of Boulder, Colorado be, and he is hereby, authorized to suspend his operations under Permit No. B-1007 for a period of not to exceed six months from April 9, 1943.

That unless said E. J. Ford shall, prior to the expirations of said suspension period, make a request in writing for the reinstatement of said permit, file insurance, and otherwise comply with all rules and regulations of the Commission applicable to private carrier permits, said permit, without further action by the Commission, shall be revoked without the right to reinstate.

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 17th day of April, 1943.

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF

TON FREEMAN Stone City, Colorado APPLICATION NO. 5828-PP

April 17, 1943

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<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from Tom Freeman of Stone City, Colorado requesting that the authority granted in Application No. 5828-PP, Decision No. 18163 be cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That the authority granted in Application No. 5828-PP, Decision No. 18163, heretofore issued to Tom Freeman of Stone City, Colorado be, and the same is hereby, declared cambelled effective January 9, 1943.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION COLORADO STATE 0 171 Llan alc Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 17th day of April, 1943.

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(Decision No. 20806)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF TOM H. ENNIS, ROUTE NO. 1, MONTROSE, COLORADO, FOR A CLASS "B" PERMIT TO OPERATE AS A PRIVATE CARRIER BY MOTOR VEHICLE FOR HIRE FOR THE TRANSPORTATION OF MILK AND CREAM IN CANS FROM FARMS TO TOWN WITHIN A RADIUS OF TWENTY-FIVE MILES OF MONTROSE, COLORADO.

APPLICATION NO. 6309-PP

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April 17, 1943

Appearances: Orville Dunlop, Montrose, Colorado, pro se.

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

The instant matter was set for hearing at Grand Junction, Colorado, on April 9, 1943. However, when said case was called, no appearance was entered on behalf of applicant. However, no protestants appeared objecting to the authority sought, and the Commission determined to, and did, hold the hearing upon the application on file herein.

It appears that applicant is the owner of a 1938 Chevrolet truck, and Mr. Dunlop, a common carrier authorized to serve in the Montrose area, stated that in his opinion the proposed service is needed.

After a careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the authority sought should be granted.

<u>ORDER</u>

IT IS ORDERED:

That Tom H. Ennis, of Montrose, Colorado, should be, and he hereby is, authorized to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of milk and cream, in cans, from farms to town within a radius of twenty-five miles of Montrose, Colorado. All operations hereunder shall be strictly contract operations, the Commission retaining jurisdiction to make such amendments to this permit deemed advisable.

This order is the permit herein provided for, but it shall not become effective until applicant has filed a statement of his customers, copies of all special contracts or memoranda of their terms, the necessary tariffs, required insurance, and has secured identification cards.

The right of applicant to operate hereunder shall depend upon his compliance at all times with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of The Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government.

This order shall become effective twenty (20) days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 17th day of April, 1943.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF HARDIE JAMISON, BOX 252, OLATHE, COLORADO, FOR A CLASS "B" PERMIT TO OPERATE AS A PRIVATE CARRIER BY MOTOR VEHICLE FOR HIRE FOR THE TRANSPORTATION OF FARM PRODUCE, FARM MACHINERY, USED HOUSEHOLD GOODS, AND LIVESTOCK, FROM FARM TO FARM WITHIN A RADIUS OF FIFTEEN MILES OF OLATHE, COLORADO.

APPLICATION NO. 6303-PP

April 17, 1943

Appearances: Hardie Jamison, Olathe, Colorado, <u>pro se;</u> Orville Dunlop, Montrose, Colorado, <u>pro se;</u> Roy R. Schultz, Delta, Colorado, <u>pro se</u>.

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

At the hearing, which was held in Grand Junction, Colorado, on April 9, 1943, applicant testified that he was willing to eliminate from his application the authority to transport household goods and livestock. In view of this statement, protestants withdrew any objections to the granting of the authority sought, and stated that in their opinion there was a need for the proposed transportation of farm produce and farm machinery between points within a radius of fifteen miles of Olathe.

Applicant owns the necessary equipment to perform the services requested, and his financial standing and operating reliability were established to the satisfaction of the Commission.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that as limited by the testimony at the hearing, the authority sought should be granted. IT IS ORDERED:

That Hardie Jamison, of Olathe, Colorado, be, and he is hereby, authorized to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of farm produce and farm machinery from farm to farm within an area extending fifteen miles from Olathe, Colorado.

All operations hereunder shall be strictly contract operations, the Commission retaining jurisdiction to make such amendments to this permit deemed advisable.

This order is the permit herein provided for, but it shall not become effective until applicant has filed a statement of his customers, copies of all special contracts or memoranda of their terms, the necessary tariffs, required insurance, and has secured identification cards.

The right of applicant to operate hereunder shall depend upon his compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of The Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government.

This order shall become effective twenty (20) days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 17th day of April, 1943.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF BERT E. KIRKS, OLATHE, COLORADO, FOR A CLASS "B" PERMIT TO OPERATE AS A PRIVATE CARRIER BY MOTOR VE-HICLE FOR HIRE FOR THE TRANSPORTA-TION OF FARM PRODUCE FROM POINT TO POINT WITHIN A RADIUS OF FIFTEEN MILES OF OLATHE, COLORADO.

APPLICATION NO. 6304-PP

April 17, 1943

Appearances: Orville Dunlop, Montrose, Colorado, pro se; Ray R. Schultz, Delta, Colorado, pro se.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The instant matter was set for hearing at Grand Junction, Colorado, on April 9, 1943. However, when said application was called, no appearance was entered on behalf of applicant. Protestants present stated that if no movement of livestock was involved, they had no objection to the granting of the authority sought, as they felt there was a need for the proposed service.

Applicant had written the Commission a letter, stating that if was impossible for him to appear at the hearing, as he was engaged in driving a school bus, and could not get there. The record discloses that he owns a 1934 Chevrolet truck, which he proposes to use in his operation.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the authority sought should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That Bert E. Kirks, of Olathe, Colorado, be, and he is hereby, authorized to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of farm produce, only (no livestock), from point to point within a radius of fifteen miles of Olathe, Colorado.

All operations hereunder shall be strictly contract operations, the Commission retaining jurisdiction to make such amendments to this permit deemed advisable.

This order is the permit herein provided for, but it shall not become effective until applicant has filed a statement of his customers, copies of all special contracts or memoranda of their terms, the necessary tariffs, required insurance, and has secured identification cards.

The right of applicant to operate hereunder shall depend upon his compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of The Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government.

This order shall become effective twenty (20) days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 17th day of April, 1943.

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(Decision No. 20809)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF HOWARD M. SHULTS, 1208 WHITE AVENUE, GRAND JUNCTION, COLORADO, FOR AUTH-ORITY TO TRANSFER PERMIT NO. B-2726 TO BOB HEEL, 639 STRUTHERS AVENUE, GRAND JUNCTION, COLORADO.

APPLICATION NO. 5801-PP-A

April 17, 1943

Appearances: Cecil Haynie, Esq., Grand Junction, Colorado, for applicants; Orville Dunlop, Montrose, Colorado, pro se.

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

On December 5, 1941, Howard M. Shults was granted a Class "B" private carrier permit, authorizing the transportation of:

> "livestock (including sheep), from point to point within a radius of twenty miles of Grand Junction, Colorado, and from and to points within said radius, to and from all points in the State of Colorado, except that no service shall be rendered in competition with the line haul operations of G. W. Hawthorne."

The instant application, which was heard at Grand Junction, Colorado, on April 9, 1943, seeks authority to transfer said permit to Bob Heel, of Grand Junction, Colorado.

The testimony disclosed that there are no outstanding obligations against the operations under said permit by transferor. It was further disclosed that the consideration paid for said transfer was the sum of \$75.00.

Said permit was suspended by order of the Commission for a period of six months from December 8, 1942.

No evidence was introduced opposing said transfer, and the operating reliability and financial standing of transferee were established to the satisfaction of the Commission.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the authority sought should be granted.

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IT IS ORDERED:

That Howard M. Shults, of Grand Junction, Colorado, be, and he hereby is, authorized to transfer all of his right, title and interest in and to Permit No. B-2726 to Bob Heel, Grand Junction, Colorado.

The tariff of rates, rules and regulations of the transferor shall become and remain those of the transferee until changed according to law and the rules and regulations of this Commission.

This order shall become effective twenty (20) days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 17th day of April, 1943.

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF) CLARY-LAY COMPANY, BOX 1511,) LUBBOCK, TEXAS, PERMIT C-13705.) CASE NO. 30156-INS.

April 17, 1943.

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

On March 22, 1943, the Commission entered its order, revoking Permit No. C-13705 for failure to keep on file with the Commission the necessary insurance required by law.

It now appears that respondent, at all times, had effective insurance, and same was in process of being filed at the time of hearing in said matter. Proper insurance is now on file with the Commission, and no lapse occurred. We have been requested to reinstate said permit.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that said request should be granted.

<u>ORDER</u>

IT IS ORDERED:

That our order of March 22, 1943, be, and the same is hereby, set aside, and Permit No. C-13705 is reinstated, effective as of March 22, 1943.

OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 17th day of April, 1943.

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

PERMIT NO. C-11688

GEORGE R. HENRY 1230 Walnut St., Denver, Colorado

April 17, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-11688, heretofore issued to...George R. Henry of 1230 Walnut St., Denver, Colorado be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 1, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 17th day of April , 19.43

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)	
E. C. BROOKS Route 3, Cedarvale, Kansas) PERMIT NO.	C-7398
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	April 17, 1943	ŕ

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After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

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THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 17th day of April , 19 43

(Decision No. 20813)

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHIGLE OPERATIONS OF)

PERMIT NO. C-137

 NOUNTAIN STATES MIXED FEED
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 COMPANY
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 Box 206
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 Denver, Colorado
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April 17, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from. Mountain States Mixed Feed Company of Box 206 Denver, Colorado requesting that his Permit No. C-137 be cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-137 , heretofore issued to Mountain States Mixed Feed Company of Bax 206, Denver, Colerado be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 1, 1943

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 17th day of April 19.43

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(Decision No. 20814)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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DAWSON CATTLE COMPANY and F. R. CARPENTER, Complainants, vs. CASE NO. 4853 COLORADO UTILITIES CORPORATION, Defendant. April 17, 1943 Appearances: F. R. Carpenter, Esq., Hayden, Colorado, for Complainants;

<u>STATEMENT</u>

Addison M. Gooding, Esq., Steamboat Springs, Colorado, for Defendant.

By the Commission:

On February 13, 1940, the complainants herein filed an informal complaint, No. 2232, with this Commission, asking for reduction in and relief from excessive charges collected by defendant from complainants for electricity furnished to complainants. On January 9, 1941, complainants filed another informal complaint, No. 2246, asking for the relief prayed for in their previous complaint, and, in addition thereto, charging that an increase in rates, which had been put into effect by defendant subsequent to the filing of their previous complaint, was unreasonable. No adjustments were made by respondent upon said informal complaints.

On April 4, 1941, by Decision No. 16908, this Commission consolidated said informal complaints and transferred the same to the formal docket as "Case No. 4853", and ordered that an investigation be made and a hearing held relative to the schedules, tariffs, rates, fares, tolls, rentals, charges, classifications, rules, regulations, contracts, or practices of defendant as the same affect the complainants, and as to whether or not the defendant should make reparation or refunds to complainants. Said informal complaints were incorporated in said order.

Defendant, in its answer filed herein, alleged that this Commission is without power, jurisdiction, or authority to consider. adjudicate, order, or direct reparations or refunds; that the rates charged complainants were based upon demands, requirements, and information furnished by the Dawson Land Company, the predecessor of the Dawson Cattle Company; that defendant was not notified by complainants, or their predecessor, of any changes requiring or permitting any different classification or rate than that charged from 1927 to 1940; that the rate complained of was applied and followed in fixing charges without question, protest, or objection by complainants; that defendant's tariff, "First Revised Sheet No. 20," was in effect throughout the period involved and approved by this Commission; that defendant's tariffs, "Third Revised Sheet No. 9" and "Fourth Revised Sheet No. 9," were applicable to complainants from February, 1940, to May, 1940; that from May, 1940, to August, 1940, "Second Revised Sheet No. 20" was applicable to complainants; that defendant was required by contract between it and complainant's predecessor to, and did, furnish electricity to complainants "at. the standard rate per K.W.H. fixed by licensee (defendant) and the Public Utilities Commission of the State of Colorado," and that complainants have not been subjected to unusual or different rates than those charged to other customers; that defendant did not make periodic inspections of complainants' premises; that complainants installed a three-phase motor upon their premises in May, 1940, without advising defendant; that at a cost of approximately \$3,000.00, defendant constructed a three-phase line from the town of Hayden, Colorado, to complainants' premises upon the request of complainants'

predecessor; that the cost and value of said line were in excess of the cost and value of a single or two-phase line; that said threephase line would not have been installed except upon the demand of complainants' predecessor.

FINDINGS

The complainant, Dawson Cattle Company, is a corporation, and is the successor of the Dawson Land Company. The complainant Carpenter did not bear or pay any of the charges collected by respondent and therefore, as to him, the complaint should be dismissed.

Some time during the year 1926, the officers of the Victor-American Fuel Company, who were also the officers of the Dawson Land Company, and the defendant entered into negotiations for a rightof-way across the land of the Dawson Land Company for one of defendant's transmission lines. Conferences and correspondence between the parties indicate that the Dawson Land Company estimated its requirements for electric energy at about 15 h.p. The Dawson Land Company also requested the defendant to construct a three-phase power line to the improvements on the Land of the Dawson Land Company.

Later, on May 4, 1928, the Dawson Land Company and defendant entered into and executed a written agreement wherein the Land Company granted to the defendant a right-of-way across the Land Company's premises for a transmission line, and as consideration therefor the defendant agreed to construct a power line to the ranch buildings of the Land Company. It was therein provided:

> "The licensee shall erect and maintain a power line to connect up the Dawson Land Company's buildings owned by the grantee so as to enable the Dawson Ranch to have electricity for lighting and power purposes at the standard rate per kilowatt hour fixed by the licensee and the Utilities Commission of the State of Colorado."

Nothing was mentioned in said contract about the minimum requirements of the Dawson Land Company, the kind of electrical equipment the Dawson Land Company intended to install and use, nor the minimum rate or charge to be made to and paid by the Land Company.

Shortly thereafter, the defendant constructed its transmission line across the premises of the Land Company and constructed a three-phase power line from Hayden, Colorado, to the ranch buildings of the Land Company. Since said construction, the defendant has operated and maintained its said transmission line on and across said premises, and has maintained the three-phase power line from Hayden to the ranch buildings of the Land Company. The Land Company, and its successor, the Dawson Cattle Company, have used electrical power for lighting and other purposes, obtained by means of the power line constructed by defendant from Hayden to the ranch buildings.

The original sheets 2-A and 2-B of defendant's tariff, Colo. P.U.C. No. 1, which were issued March 1, 1927, and effective April 1, 1927, were introduced in evidence.

Sheet 2-A contains the following availability clause:

"Available to all rural customers using electricity for such purposes as lighting, cooking, heating, refrigeration and all small power purposes of 5 h.p., or under, who take service through one meter at the voltage and phase of the Corporation's transmission system and when service is metered at secondary voltage on consumer's premises."

A rate of \$5.25 net was prescribed therein for the first 20 k.w.h. metered per month for combined uses if connected power load does not exceed 5 h.p. It was also provided therein that the connected power load shall equal the sum of manufacturer's ratings of all power motors installed, excluding motors for refrigeration.

Sheet 2-B contained the following availability clause:

"Available to all rural and industrial consumers using relatively small quantities of electricity for lighting and motors with demand of from 5 h.p. to 50 KVA if service is taken at the voltage and phase of the Corporation's transmission system . when service is metered at the secondary side of the step-down transformers."

Therein, the rates were prescribed as being \$1.25 per month per h.p. for each connected motor load or fraction thereof, plus an energy charge ranging from 18 cents per k.w.h. for the first 20 k.w.h. metered per month to 2 cents per k.w.h. for all over 7500 k.w.h. metered per month, and provided for a minimum of \$6.25 per month.

On August 1, 1929, the defendant issued its tariff, Celo. P.U.C. No. 2, which cancelled P.U.C. No. 1. In P.U.C. No. 2, Sheet 2-A of P.U.C. No. 1 was incorporated as Sheet No. 9, and Sheet 2-B of P.U.C. No. 1 was incorporated as Sheet No. 20. The availability clauses of Sheets 2-A and 2-B were carried forward into Sheets 9 and 20, respectively, of P.U.C. No. 2, and were continued in substantially the same form until July 16, 1940, when Second Revised Sheet No. 20 became effective, and until October 10, 1940, when Fourth Revised Sheet No. 9 became effective. Second Revised Sheet No. 20 contained the following clause relating to the monthly minimum guarantee:

> "The minimum charge per meter per month shall be the service charge, but in no event shall this be based on less than a 5 kw. demand. All threephase rural service rendered, when the actual demand is less than 5 kw. shall be considered as 5 kw. regardless of the lesser demand."

Fourth Revised Sheet No. 9, in the availability clause, contained the following:

"Three-phase service is not permitted on this rate."

Prior to February 29, 1940, the defendant assessed and collected charges from the Dawson Cattle Company on the basis of the rates set forth in Sheet 2-B of Colo. P.U.C. No. 1 and Sheet 20 of Colo. P.U.C. No. 2. On February 29, 1940, the defendant admitted that an error had been made and that the correct rate to assess was that shown in Sheet No. 9 as regised.

From February 29, 1940, to July 16, 1940, the defendant assessed its charges against the Dawson Cattle Company upon the basis of the rates set forth in Third Revised Sheet No. 9.

Subsequent to October 10, 1940, the effective date of Second Revised Sheet No. 20, the defendant has been assessing its charges against the Dawson Cattle Company upon the basis of the rates set forth in Second Revised Sheet No. 20.

The evidence discloses that since the construction of the power line, the maximum requirements and consumption of the Land Company and of the Dawson Cattle Company have been less than the 5 kw. per month.

The Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that prior to February 29, 1940, the Dawson Cattle Company has been overcharged in an amount which represents the difference between the charges as paid by it based upon Sheet No. 2-B of P.U.C. No. 1 and Sheet No. 20 of P.U.C. No. 2, and the charges which should have been assessed upon the basis of Sheet No. 2-A of P.U.C. No. 1 and Sheet No. 9 of P.U.C. No. 2.

From February 29, 1940, to October 10, 1940, the Dawson Cattle Company was assessed charges upon the correct rate; therefore, that period is not involved in this proceeding.

It is the contention of the complainants that the provisions of Second Revised Sheet No. 20, have no application to the Dawson Cattle Company. Sheet No. 20 is not applicable to the Cattle Company except as it is made so by the availability clause of Fourth Revised Sheet No. 9. Complainants contend that the words "three-phase service is not permitted on this rate", contained in the availability clause of Fourth Revised Sheet No. 9, constitute an unjust, unreasonable, and discriminatory regulation.

The defendant attempted to justify the provisions of Fourth Revised Sheet No. 9 on the basis that the charges against the Dawson Land Company and the Dawson Cattle Company should be assessed upon the basis of the minimum requirements, as mentioned in the preliminary negotiations which preceded the execution of the contract dated May 4, 1928. However, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that all preliminary negotiations were merged into the executed contract, in which there was no mention made of any minimum requirements, and that the assessing of charges upon the basis of such a minimum requirement is unjust, unreasonable, and discriminatory.

The Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that that portion of Sheet No. 9, providing that "three-phase service is not permitted on this rate", is unreasonable, unjust, discriminatory, and illegal, and should be cancelled.

The Commission finds that subsequent to October 10, 1940, the complainant, Dawson Cattle Company, has borne and has paid excessive and illegal charges based upon Second Revised Sheet No. 20, and that it is entitled to reparation based upon the difference between the charges as paid and the charges figured upon the basis of Fourth Revised Sheet No. 9; and further finds that the defendant shall at once proceed to recalculate in accordance with Sheet No. 9 of P.U.C. No. 2, the bills rendered the Dawson Cattle Company, for the twentyfour months preceding February 29, 1940, and each succeeding month subsequent to February 29, 1940, in which the Complainants' monthly bills for electric service were calculated on defendant's Sheet 20 of P.U.C. No. 2, and make due reparation to the complainant of the difference in the amount collected and the amount as above computed, together with interest thereon for one-half of the elapsed time at the rate of six par cent (6%).

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, By the Commission, that the above complaint, insofar as it concerns the complainant, F. R. Carpenter, be, and the same hereby is, dismissed.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, By the Commission, that that portion of Fourth Revised Sheet No. 9 in respondent's tariff, Colo. P.U.C. No. 2, reading as follows: "three-phase service is not permitted on this rate", is determined to be unjust, unreasonable, discriminatory, and illegal, and the same is hereby cancelled.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, By the Commission, that the respondent shall make reparation to the complainant, Dawson Cattle Company, of the difference between the charges borne and paid by said complainant, as assessed under First Revised Sheet No. 20 and Second Revised Sheet No. 20 of respondent's tariff, Colo. P.U.C. No. 2, and the correct charges which should have been assessed under the provisions of Third Revised Sheet No. 9 and Fourth Revised Sheet No. 9 of respondent's tariff, Colo. P.U.C. No. 2, together with interest thereon for one-half of the elapsed time at the rate of six per cent (6%).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That the complainant's electric bills shall at all future times be calculated on Sheet 9 and revisions thereof, so long as the complainant's service meets the requirements of the Availability Clause of said Sheet 9 and revisions thereof.

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 17th day of April, 1943

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF) OSCAR REDD, GRAND JUNCTION, COLORADO,) FOR A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CON-) VENIENCE AND NECESSITY.)

APPLICATION NO. 6284

April 21, 1943.

Appearances: Cecil S. Haynie, Esq., Grand Junction, for applicant; Thos. K. Younge, Esq., Grand Junction, for Plateau Valley Stage Line; Wayne N. Aspinall, Esq., Grand Junction, for Gateway Stage Line; Orville Dunlep, Montrose, Colorado, <u>Dro Se</u>; Mrs. Louise Wagner, Fruita, Colorado, for William Wagner.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

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At the hearing, which was held in Grand Junction, Celerade, on April 9, 1943, the evidence on behalf of applicant disclosed that a sales ring for livestock is now being conducted in Grand Junction, and the proprietor thereof testified that a large quantity of livestock moved into and out of said yard, but in recent months it had been very difficult to secure adequate trucking facilities. This witness pointed out numerous instances where delays had occurred in the movement of livestock from said salesyard, the delays ranging from two or three days to as long as eight days in one instance. The witness was familiar with applicant and his equipment and felt there was a distinct need for his services. He did state, however, that very little, if any, delay had occurred in the movement of livestock from what is known as the "Plateau Valley" territory.

Another witness who lives on Kahnah Creek and is engaged in stockraising and farming, testified that in that community considerable difficulty had been experienced in getting truck transportation for the livestock; that applicant had large equipment, and if authorized to serve,

it would be a big help to his community. the best equipment in the country; that he had experienced difficulty in "Redlands" territory, who is a horse dealer, testified that applicant had within the last six months. securing trucks to transport horses, and that the situation was particularly Another witness from the

the majority of his operations would be for movements in and out of the result that he had been busy most of the time. He further testified that operating under a "B" permit, and since the filing of the present applimation, had secured temporary authority to operate thereunder, with the ales yard at Grand Junction; that he had equipment which would transport ne-half carload of cattle at one time. Testifying in his own behalf, applicant stated that he had been

into that territory if calls did come in. granted the Plateau Valley Stage Line, should be aliminated from bis application. He further testified that he had had no calls to serve in tructs are clear. leatress County in competition with Orvilla Dumlep, but would want to go filling to stipulate that the specific towns named in the certificate Applicant has some \$3,000.00 in cash and real estate, and his He had been serving the Plateau Valley area, but was

produce within a 25-mile redius of Fruita, testified that Mr. Magner was that area on the operation; that they had a 1938 $1\frac{1}{2}$ -ton truck and could get more whe is the enner of a certificate authorizing the transportation of farm now in the Army, but that she and her brother were endeavering to carry equipment if needed; that no necessity existed for further authority in On behalf of protestants, Mrs. Magner, wife of Millian Magner,

It appears that their certificate reads,livestock, and have stock racks for that purpose. they had been operating under Certificate Ho. 212 since 1929; that they have six trucks, one of which is used for the transportation of passengers and mail, and the rest for the novement of general freight, including Mr. Gibson, of the Plateau Valley Stage Line, testified that They have aix employes.

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"between Grand Junction and Collbran via Plateau City, and intermediate points; no service between Grand Junction and Palisade or from Palisade to Grand Junction and intermediate points."

Later, they were granted an extension thereof authorizing service to and from Mesa, Colorado.

Under this certificate, they have been serving, not only the towns mentioned but the Plateau Valley area, extending roughly 30 miles east of Collbran, to the Dolta County line on the south, and four or five miles north of Collbran and west to Grand Junction; fifty per cent of their freight is from this territory surrounding the communities they are specifically authorized to serve, and twenty-five per cent of their business is the transportation of livestock. He further stated that they had always been of the opinion that they had the right to serve the surrounding territory, had reported all hauls to the Commission, and paid highway compensation tax upon the actual distances traversed. It had recently been brought to their attention that no specific authority existed in their certificate for such service, and they expected to file an application for an extension to properly cover the service.

The record discloses that there is an undombted convenience and necessity to be served by the operations proposed by the applicant, with the exception that the record does not justify the granting of a certificate in the Plateau Valley area or in the territory now served under the Wagner certificate. Even the witness for applicant stated that service for the Plateau Valley territory had been very good, and we believe it would be inequitable at this time to grant a certificate to serve that area, even though the Plateau Valley Stage Line, upon a strict interpretation of the terms of its certificate, does not have specific authority to serve surrounding area. The fact remains that they, apparently in good faith, have been rendering such service for over thirteen years.

We further believe that without more of a showing as to any inadequacy in service for the transportation of farm products in the Wagner

territory, said certificate should be pretected, particularly in view of all the circumstances surrounding this operation.

At the hearing, it was stipulated that any competition with G. W. Hawthorne in his operations between Gateway and Grand Junction would be eliminated.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that, as hereinafter limited, the authority sought should be granted.

<u>ORDER</u>

IT IS ORDERED:

That the public convenience and necessity require the proposed operations of Oscar Redd as a motor vehicle common carrier, en call and demand, for the transportation of farm produce and livestock from point to point within a radius of 50 miles of Grand Junction, Colorado, and from and to said area to and from any point in the State of Celorado, save and except that no farm produce shall be transported in the 25-mile radius of Fruita, Colorado, in competition with the operations of William Wagner under Certificate No. 1136, and provided also that no livestock or farm produce shall be transported from points on State Highways Nos. 65, 332, 330 and 339, in competition with Plateau Valley Stage Line, or from an area extending west of Collbran to U.S. Highway No. 24, south of Collbran 12 miles, east of Collbran 30 miles, and north of Collbran 5 miles; and provided further that no operations shall be conducted in competition with those of G. W. Manthorne, a common carrier operating between Grand Junction and Gateway, or Grville Dunlop, of Montrose, operating under Certificate No. 876, and this order shall be taken, deemed and held to be a certificate of public convenience and necessity therefor.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That applicant's operations under the common carrier certificate herein granted shall be kept separate and apart from his operations under Permit B-2386.

Applicant shall file tariffs of rates, rules and regulations as required by the rules and regulations of this Commission within twenty days from date.

Applicant shall operate his carrier system in accordance with the order of the Commission, except when prevented by Act of God, the public enemy or extreme conditions.

This order is subject to compliance by applicant with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners.

Bated at Denver, Colorado, this 21st day of April, 1943.

(Decision No. 20816)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF COLORADO RAILFOADS FOR INCREASES IN INTRASTATE FREIGHT RATES AND CHARGES, AND PASSENGER FARES, IN LINE WITH INCREASES IN INTERSTATE FREIGHT RATES AND CHARGES APPLIED FOR IN I. C. C. DOCKET EX PARTE 148.

APPLICATION NO. 5819

April 16, 1943. ------

Appearances: J. A. Gallaher, Esq., 429 Equitable Building, Denver, Colorado, for the steam carriers;

- E. G. Knowles, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for Union Pacific Railroad Company;
- J. H. Shepherd, Esq., Telephone Building, Denver, Colorado, for The Denver and Salt Lake Railway Company;
- Douglas McHendrie, Esq., 730 Equitable Building, Denver, Colorado, for The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company;
- J. H. Cummins, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for The Colorado and Southern Railway Company and Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Company;
- G. A. Hoffelder, Chicago, Illinois, for Chicago, Burlington & Quincy . Railroad Company;
- E. D. Speer, Topeka, Kansas, for The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company;
- O. L. Strieby, Denver, Colorado, for the Missouri Pacific Railroad Company;
- A. C. Mattson, 1200 Fidelity Building, Kansas City, Missouri, for the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad Company;
- A. J. Stilling, Omaha, Nebraska, for Union Pacific Railroad Company;
- F. C. Hogue, General Traffic Manager, The Denver and Rio Grande Western Railroad Company, George Williams, and W. M. Carey, Denver, Colorado, for The Denver and Rio Grande Western Railroad Company;
- Truman A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Denver, Colorado, for The Motor Truck Common Carriers' Association;

Chamber of Commerce, Pueblo, Colorado;

Lowe P. Siddons, Esq., and F. H.

- Orgren, P. O. Box 1052, Colorado Springs, Colorado, for the Holly Sugar Corporation;
- E. B. Evans, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for The Public Utilities Commission:
- Monroe P. Hester, Denver, Colorado, for Great Western Sugar Company;
- George Work and L. B. Fitzpatrick, Denver, Colorado, for the Colorado Milling & Elevator Company;
- F. O. Sandstrom, Denver, Colorado, for the Colorado-New Mexico Coal Operators;

A. J. Baumann, Denver, Colorado, for Armour & Company;

- R. W. Lentz, Denver, Colorado, Traffic Manager, for Swift & Company;
- A. Brester, Denver, Colorado, Traffic Manager, Cudaby Packing Company;
- John R. Wolf, Esq., Boulder, Colorado, for the Boulder County Metal Mining Association;
- D. I. McCarl, Denver, Colorado, for the Colorado Potato Growers' Exchange;
- F. J. Rebhan, Denver, Colorado, for American Crystal Sugar Company;
- R. L. Ellis, Denver, Colorado, for Kumer Empson Company;
- L. K. Wilson, Denver, Colorado, for Rocky Mountain Produce Company;
- T. S. Wood, Denver, Colorado, for
- The Public Utilities Commission;
- Reginald C. Carey, Sugar City, Colorado, Vice President, National Sugar Manufacturing Company.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

On March 16, 1942, by Decision No. 18528, the Commission issued its order authorizing all common carriers by railroad, who were parties to the original petition filed herein, to apply the increases in rates and charges on Colorado intrastate traffic to the same extent as had been authorized by the Interstate Commerce Commission in its report and findings in Ex Parte No. 148 on interstate traffic. Jurisdiction of said matter was retained by the Commission. The Commission is now in receipt of a decision issued by the Interstate Commerce Commission in said Ex Parte No. 148 matter, dated April 6, 1943, wherein the increases on rates and charges applicable on interstate freight traffic, heretofore authorized by the Interstate Commerce Commission, have been suspended from the effective date of said order of the Interstate Commerce Commission, to-wit, May 15, 1943, to January 1, 1944.

The Commission's decision No. 18528 was largely based upon prior action of the Interstate Commerce Commission in Ex Parte No. 148, as well as having in view the keeping of interstate and intrastate rates in Colorado upon a parity. We are now of the opinion, and so find, that the Commission should, upon its own motion, reopen the instant case for the purpose of determining what, if any, changes or modifications should be made in our original order, Decision No. 18528.

IT IS ORDERED, That the instant case be, and the same is hereby, reopened for the purpose of determining what, if any, action should be taken by the Commission in amending, modifying, cancelling, or otherwise changing its said Decision No. 18528, dated March 16, 1942.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That said matter be set for hearing in the Hearing Room of the Commission, 330 State Office Building, Denver, Colorado, on the 3rd day of May, 1943, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M.

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLOR DO

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 16th day of April, 1943.

(Decision No. 20817)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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At a General Hearing of The Public Utilities Commission of the State of Colorado, held at its office in Denver, Colorado, April 19, 1943.

INVESTIGATION AND SUSPENSION DOCKET NO. 247

Appearances:

- J. L. Rice, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Company;
- H. Vance Austin, Esq., Sterling, Colorado, for protestants and Logan County, Colorado;
- I. S. Griffin, Keota, Colorado, for the Town of Keota, Colorado;
- C. A. Smith, 176 West Adams, Chicago, Illinois, for the Order of Railway Telegraphers.

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

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On November 27, 1942, the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Company filed notice with The Public Utilities Commission, pursuant to the provisions of General Order No. 34, that it intended to, and would, withdraw its agent from its station at Padroni, in Logan County, Colorado, on December 27, 1942, and thereafter would maintain and conduct the same as a non-agency station.

Protests having been filed with the Commission, signed by approximately 65 residents of Padroni area and by the Board of County Commissioners of Logan County, Colorado, protesting the closing of the agency, the Commission, by Investigation and Suspension Order No. 247, found that the proposed closing and discontinuance of the station might injuriously affect the rights and interests of the protestants and others, and postponed the effective date of the closing of the station for a period of 120 days from December 27, 1942, or until April 26, 1943, unless otherwise ordered by the Commission, and directed that a hearing be had on the protests: at Sterling, Colorado.

Hearing was had on January 13, 1943.

The evidence disclosed that Padroni is an unincorporated village, with approximately 198 inhabitants, located on the Sterling-Alliance line of the Burlington. Peetz and Sterling, the nearest station agencies of said railroad, are located respectively 14 miles north and 11 miles south of Padroni. Jessica and Buchanan are, respectively, 1 mile south and 4 miles north of Padroni. They are not agency or custodian stations, but Jessica has a beet dump, and Buchanan has a beet dump and cattle loading chute. Car ordering, billing and collections for carload shipments in and out of Jessica and Buchanan are handled by the agent at Padroni. Territory immediately adjacent and tributary to Padroni is devoted almost exclusively to livestock raising and farming, and said station business, principally consists of shipments of livestock, livestock feeds, ranch supplies, and milk and cream. L.c.l. freight and express are small in volume. Padroni is not on the main Sterling-Peetz oil and concrete highway. The highway is 3 miles east of Padroni, and access to it is by means of a gravel road. The Alliance-Sterling-Denver truck service of Resler Truck Line operates over this highway, S. H. 13; and has authority to serve Padroni in intrastate and interstate commerce, but apparently service has not been good, chief truck service in Padroni being by shipper-owned trucks. Business houses in Padroni are six in number, and include a lumber yard, store, garage, and blacksmith shop. Telephone service is available to Sterling and Peetz. The north-bound passenger train arrives at Padroni at 11:50 o'clock P.M., and south-bound train arrives at 2:58 o'clock A.M., the station agent not being on duty at the time of train arrivals, as his regular hours are from 8:00 o'clock A.M. to 12:00 o'clock noon, and from 1:00 o'clock P.M. to 5:00 o'clock P.M. The agent is a telegrapher. The railroad superintendent testified that, in his opinion, the agent's office duties require about two hours' time daily, of which time approximately thirty minutes would be consumed in book work. This work, of course, is scattered through the eight-hour day. As the railroad's representative, he may spend some time in soliciting business.

It appeared that l.c.l. traffic at Padroni is limited. While out-bound l.c.l. increased from 1323 pounds, with revenue of \$9.80 in 1939, to 4521 pounds, with revenue of \$46.56 in 1942, in-bound l.c.l. decreased from 126,581 pounds, with revenue of \$968.37 in 1939, to 48,144 pounds, with revenue of \$340.07 in 1942. According to applicant's Exhibit 2, the daily average in 1942 was 12 pounds forwarded, with revenue of 12¢, and 131 pounds received, with revenue of 93¢. Carload traffic (crediting 50% of local revenue and all interline revenue to the station) showed 56 cars, with revenue of \$2,262.11, and 46 cars received, with revenue of \$2,586.88 in 1939, and 48 cars forwarded, with revenue of \$1,728.23, and 63 cars received, with revenue of \$2,864.18 in 1942. Carload shipments, especially of cattle, frequently included a number of cars in shipments. Exhibit 2 disclosed a daily average of .153 cars, with revenue of \$6.20, and .126 cars received, with revenue of \$7.09 in 1939, and .132 cars, with revenue of \$5.01 forwarded, and .137 cars, with revenue of \$7.85 in 1942, which would amount to one car in seven days forwarded, and one car in six days received in 1942. During a number of months out of the four-year period covered by the exhibit, no carloads were received or fowarded from Padroni. From Jessica, beet shipments of 410 cars in 1939, 357 cars in 1940, 317 cars in 1941, and 140 cars in 1942 were made by the Great Western Sugar Company. From Buchanan, beets amounting to 92 cars in 1939, 82 cars in 1940, 73 cars in 1941, and 81 cars in 1942 were shipped by Great Western Sugar Company. All shipments were made in the fall of the year. Billing is handled by Great Western Sugar Company, and it did not appear in opposition. 20 carloads of cattle, cotton seed and soy bean oil meal were also received and forwarded through the Buchanan station, in the period from 1939 to 1942, both years inclusive. Revenue from beets at Jessica amounted to \$871.58 in 1942. For the same period, revenue at Buchanan amounted to \$1,196.31. Passenger revenue for 1942 amounted to \$154.85. In 1942, milk and cream shipments yielded \$213.18 and express and telegraph service produced \$71.41. Without including the revenue from Jessica and Buchanan, applicant's exhibits show total revenue from this station from all sources to be \$6,313.01 in

1939, \$5,807.08 in 1940, \$6,817.22 in 1941, and \$5,514.48 in 1942. If revenues from Jessica and Buchanan were included, the revenue for 1942 amounted to \$7,582.37. The agency expense for 1942 in Padroni amounted to \$2,133.69. This item includes agent's salary, station supplies, and other local out-of-pocket costs. It does not include any part of out-lay by railroad for maintenance, wages of train crews and others, interest on indebtedness, supplies, generally, taxes, and other over-head charges. In lieu of an agent-telegrapher at Padroni, the railroad proposes to substitute a custodian. The public will look to him, and to the agencies at Peetz and Sterling for service. It is contemplated that a custodian can be obtained for \$40.00 per month, besides living quarters at the depot, and fuel and water. He will be expected to keep the depot open, lighted, heated, and clean, to order cars, inspect them and have them spotted for loading, to secure information as to rates and service, to receive, deliver, load, unload, check, and care for l.c.l. and express when he is available. The service will not include collection of freight charges or billing. Out-bound freight must move collect, unless shipper decides to go to Sterling or Peetz, the shipments being left in the freight room to be loaded by train employees in the same manner that it is now handled when the agent is not on duty. Freight bill will be prepared at the first open station, and a copy mailed to consignor, who will be compelled to attach a shipping tag with necessary data. In-bound freight will be left at the station by the train crew. Livestock contracts can be signed at Padroni or at Sterling or Peetz, where they will be billed, or on the train, if shipped via Sterling, or provision could be made to have agent or consignor or bank at Sterling sign for him. They would move freight collect, unless freight is paid at Sterling. The custodian or the shipper can order cars from Sterling or Peetz. Superintendent suggested that arrangements for credit might be made with the railroad, for l.c.l. freight charges, and could be paid, after receipt of freight, by mail at Sterling or at Peetz. He also stated that toll charges for railroad business will be paid by the railroad; that there will be no change in the method of handling mail; that the custodian will handle express on the same basis as it is now

handled by the station agent, who receives ten percent commission from the express company for handling express; that cream will be loaded by the baggageman, as now, and will be billed by him.

The railroad contended that the inconvenience that would be suffered by railroad patrons in the method of handling freight, milk and cream at Padroni, and being compelled to occasionally go to Sterling or Peetz, would be so slight in proportion to the benefit that would accrue to the railroad by the change that it should be allowed. In connection with the last mentioned claim, the railroad urged that the services of the agent-telegrapher at Padroni were required elsewhere; that very few commercial telegrams were handled at Padroni, and that they could be telephoned to the custodian from Sterling or Peetz; that telegrapher's services were not required for movement of trains; that the Burlington system is desperately short of telegraph operators; that the railroad has been unable to hire experienced men on account of the war, and for the same reason, very few young men are seeking employment as student telegraphers; that Mr. Arbegast, agent at Padroni, for a number of months, was used as a telegraph operator at Sterling, but shortly prior to the hearing, he had returned to Padroni, pursuant to his senority rights, he being number 48 on the senority list on the Sterling Division of a total of 74 operators; that junior to him on the system, 13 men are employed on regular jobs, and 12 on temporary assignments; that 492 vacation days accrued to employees during 1942 that could not be taken; that 9 positions are open which cannot be filled; that 46 operators, of whom 25 are still in service, were hired from June 1, 1942 to time of hearing; that those not serving left for various reasons -- military service, lack of qualifications, better jobs, etc. On January 5, 5 assigned agents were away from their assigned stations and working temporarily on jobs where their services were more valuable. During the time that Mr. Arbegast was at Sterling, Mrs. Arbegast assumed and satisfactorily discharged the agent's duties. She is not a telegrapher. The railroad contended that the service performed by her, except for the billing of freight and the collection of charges, was about the same as the service

which would be furnished by a custodian.

The railroad also offered some exhibits to show a greater volume of business apparently satisfactorily handled by custodians at non-agency stations on the Burlington line, the billing and collection of charges being handled by neighboring stations, as proposed at Padroni. And in this connection, urged that carload freight was moving satisfactorily from Jessica and Buchanan without agents at said places, and that said business and the Padroni business can be handled satisfactorily from Peetz or Sterling in the same manner.

In opposition, Sherman Hoor, of Sterling, offered an exhibit showing location of 105 occupied farms in what he termed the "Padroni area." For the most part, they were within five miles of Padroni. R. J. Wright, Secretary and Superintendent of the North Sterling Irrigation district, also furnished an exhibit showing location of irrigated lands in the vicinity of Jessica, Padroni and Buchanan under the North Sterling Irrigation District. It appeared that besides considerable acreage of dry land, 11,251 acres of irrigated lands were farmed in 1942. These lands were included in 83 complete farm units, and supported 160 families. The principal crops raised were alfalfa, hay, corn, barley, beets, and small grains. 2500 head of cattle were on feed, and 1200 head of sheep were being fattened at the time of the hearing. The wheat produced is handled at Sterling, on account of lack of facilities to ship from Padroni. Attention also was directed to the fact that needs of farmers that now might be satisfied at Padroni would require extra trips to Sterling, which would mean more gasoline used and more wear on tires; that, also, some time would be consumed in going the extra distance; that the government had urged increased production of farm commodities raised in the Padroni area, and that closing the station, to some extent, would mean lost time in the crop production effort; that farmers would be inconvenienced in getting seed and mail order shipments.

A number of livestock raisers and producers testified in opposition. Raymond E. Ramey, Hammil Brothers, Roy Fortin, and Messrs. Lambert, Myer, Leitel, Green and Smith are all producers of livestock.

Some of them testified. Mr. Ramey shipped 15 cars of cattle in, and 27 cars of cattle out, during 1942. They moved in 12 shipments. Mr. Green shipped 5 cars of cattle in 1942. He also is a member of the School Board, and is afraid that he would be unable to get school supplies promptly. Donald Hammil, who lives 9 miles from Sterling, and uses the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy at Padroni and the Union Pacific at Sterling to ship or receive cattle, testified that he trucked them to Sterling, and drives them to Padroni; that he has 639 cattle to ship in 1943; that he would be inconvenienced to some extent by closing the station. T. J. Kritchen, Commissioner, District No. 2, stated that the county maintained a shop at Padroni, and some parts were shipped in and some old parts were shipped out via the railroad. S. Y. Cooper, a cream producer, shipped 6640 pounds of cream in 1942 to Denver and to Nebraska. He exressed some concern about damage claims, claims for lost cans, etc. Mr. Rice, for the Burlington, stated that the railroad would assume responsibility after the cans were left at the depot, and would pay for losses. Witness Smith, a banker of Sterling, stated that he was Secretary of the Farm Loan Association, and that closing the station might affect the value of the farm lands in the vicinity of Padroni adversely. L. K. Parr, Manager of Padroni Lumber Company, presented an exhibit showing the value of coal, lumber, posts, and building materials received by him by rail during 1942 at Padroni.

Upon the whole record, it appears that the change proposed by the railroad is not unreasonable, considering the burdens placed upon the railroads by the war, to furnish emergency transportation for movement of freight essential in the defense industries, and movement of vast quantities of Army and Navy supplies and the transportation of great numbers of men. The records show that the railroads of the United States last year moved more than eleven million men in the armed forces. Successful prosecution of the War Effort is of paramount importance. The United States Government has requested the railroads to discontinue all service except essential service at all stations where practicable in order to supply service essential to the War Effort and the movement

of freight and men which serves that purpose. This seems to be in the public interest at this time. The discontinuance of agency service at Padroni probably could be justified on the showing made as to volume of business handled. The volume of 1.c.l. traffic, express and cream handled during 1942 was not large. While some inconvenience may be suffered by receivers and shippers of freight on account of lack of agency service to handle collection of freight charges, do the billing and perform other service that will not be performed by a custodian, on the whole, we believe that experience has shown that l.c.l. freight, milk and cream and carload freight can be satisfactorily handled in the manner that the railroad company proposes to handle it - at least considering the fact we are at war and the railroad needs the services of agenttelegraphers elsewhere, we cannot say that the inconvenience is out of proportion to the benefits that, in the opinion of the management, will, accrue to the railroad and the public as a whole by abandonment of the station. The question is one of managerial discretion, and under the law, unless the management acts arbitrarily in the exercise of said discretion, we cannot interfere with their decision. See Residents of Royalton, et al, v. Central Vermont Railway Company, 138 Atlantic, 782; Southern Railway Company v. Public Service Commission, et al, 10 S.E. (2nd) 769; Lowden v. State, 8 Pacific (2nd), 1061; Petition of Town of Grenville, 46 N.M. 3 119 Pacific (2nd) 632; State v. Chicago and North Western Railway Company (Minn.) 297 N.W. 715; Thompson -- Trustee of Chicago and North Western Railway Company v. Commission 6 N.W. (2nd) 607.

Therefore, after careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that, subject to conditions hereinafter expressed, the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad Company should be authorized to close its agency and telegraph station at Padroni, Colorado, effective May 1, 1943.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That Public convenience and necessity require that the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad Company be, and it hereby is, authorized

to abandon and close its agency and telegraph station at Padroni, Colorado, effective May 1, 1943, said railroad, however, to provide custodian and custodian service at said station, and to absorb telephone charges, if any, incidental to ordering cars, etc., in re carload railroad business accruing at Padroni, Jessica, or Buchanan, which is handled through Sterling or Peetz, where said business is not handled by the custodian.

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 19th day of April, 1943.

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

HAGEN FUEL & FEED COMPANY 603 W. Colo Ave., Colorado Springs, Colorado PERMIT NO. C-1518

April 21, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from.....

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>C-1518</u>, heretofore issued to <u>Hagen Fuel & Feed Company of 603 W. Colo Ave., Colorado Springs, Colo be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective <u>April 15, 1943</u></u>

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this 15th day of April , 19 43

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF)

GEORGE W. FOI Uravan, Colorado PERMIT NO. C-13025

April 21, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

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and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 10, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF) ESTATE OF S. R. GIDDINGS) PAUL JESSER, MANAGER) Timmath, Colorado))

PUCNO. 511

April 21, 1943

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By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from the above named certificate holder, requesting that certificate No, **511** be suspended for an additional six months from April 14, 1943.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That the Estate of S. R. Giddings, Paul Jesser, Manager, Timnath, Colorade be, and is hereby, authorized to suspend operations under certificate No. 511 for an additional six months from April 14, 1943.

That unless said Estate of S. R. Giddings, Paul Jesser, Manager, Timmath, Colerado shil, prior to the expiration of said suspension period, make a request in writing for the reinstatement of said certificate, file insurance, and otherwise comply with all rules and regulations of the Commission applicable to certificate holders, said certificate, without further action by the Commission, shall be revoked without the right to reinstate.

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 21st day of April, 1943

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION) OF ROCKY MOUNTAIN MOTOR COMPANY,) 1730 GLENARM PLACE, DENVER, COLO-NADO, FOR A CHRTIFICATE OF PUBLIC) CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO OPERATE) A MOTOR BUS LINE FOR THE TRANSPORTA-) TION OF PASSENGERS BETWEEN DENVER,) COLORADO, AND ROCKY MOUNTAIN ARSENAL,) ADAMS COUNTY, COLORADO, VIA DERBY,) COLORADO.)

APPLICATION NO. 556-A-B

April 23, 1943.

Appearances: Hodges, Vidal and Goree, Esqs., Denver, Colorado, for applicant.

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

Since the hearing upon the above application, which was held in Denver on September 22, the authority sought under the instant application has been granted to the Denver Tramway Corporation, upon request of the War Department and with the acquiescence of applicant herein.

It therefore appears that the instant application should be dismissed without prejudice.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That the instant application be, and the same is hereby, dismissed without prejudice.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 23rd day of April, 1943.

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF JOHN M. DAVIS, IDAHO SPRINGS, COLO-RADO, FOR A CLASS "B" PERMIT TO OPERATE AS A PRIVATE CARRIER BY MOTOR VEHICLE FOR HIRE FOR THE TRANSPORTATION OF SAND, GRAVEL AND OTHER ROAD SURFACING MATERIALS FROM PITS AND SUPPLY POINTS IN COLORADO TO JOBS WITHIN A RADIUS OF 50 MILES OF SAID PITS AND SUPPLY POINTS.

APPLICATION NO. 6258-PP

April 23, 1943.

Appearances: John M. Davis, Idaho Springs, Colorado, <u>pro se;</u> T. A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Denver, Colorado, for Curnow Livery and Transfer Company.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

At the hearing which was held in Denver, Colorado, on March 16, 1943, applicant, testifying in his own behalf, stated that he owns two trucks, one 1940 and one 1941, both Chevrolet l_2^1 -ton trucks; that said trucks are clear, and that a need exists for his proposed service.

Upon cross-examination, it developed that applicant had been operating under Permit A-763 under a leasing agreement with the owner thereof which was on file with the Commission.

It further developed that a transfer of said permit to applicant had been denied by the Commission. However, nothing was disclosed indicating any reason why the operations of applicant under said leasing agreement should in any way debar him from receiving the authority which he seeks herein.

No protests were interposed to the granting of the authority sought, and the financial standing and operating reliability of applicant were established to the satisfaction of the Commission.

After a careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the authority sought should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That John M. Davis, of Idaho Springs, Colorado, should be, and he hereby is, authorized to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of sand, gravel, and other read surfacing materials, from pits and supply points in Colorado to jobs within a 50-mile radius of said pits and supply points.

All operations hereunder shall be strictly contract operations, the Commission retaining jurisdiction to make such amendments to this permit deemed advisable.

This order is the permit herein provided for, but it shall not become effective until applicant has filed a statement of his customers, copies of all special contracts or memoranda of their terms, the necessary tariffs, required insurance, and has secured identification cards.

The right of applicant to operate hereunder shall depend upon his compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of the Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 23rd day of April, 1943.

(Decision No. 20823)

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF TED GIBBENS, DOING BUSINESS AS "GIBBENS TRUCK SERVICE", 826 E. 4TH STREET, PUEBLO, COLOFADO, FOR AUTHOR-) ITY TO TRANSFER CERTIFICATE OF) PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY NO. 370 TO BUEL LOWDER, 1000 NORTH SANTA FE, PUEBLO, COLORADO.

RE PRIVATE CARRIER OPERATIONS OF BUEL LOWDER, 1000 NORTH SANTA FE, PUEBLO, COLORADO, PERMIT NO. B-2903. -----

APPLICATION NO. 1713-AA

APPLICATION NO. 6169-PP

April 23, 1943.

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Appearances: Marion F. Jones, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for applicants; A. J. Fregeau, Denver, Colorado, for Weicker Transfer and Storage Company; Truman A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the Common Carrier Division of The Colorado Motor Carriers' Association.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

On April 10, 1943, Decision No. 20779, the Commission authorized the transfer of certificate of public convenience and necessity No. 370 from Ted Gibbens, doing business as Gibbens Truck Service, to Buel Lowder. In the same order, Permit No. B-2903 belonging to said transferee was ordered cancelled.

We are now advised by transferee that he was under the impression the authority contained in said Permit B-2903, which authorized the transportation of clay, rock, sand, gravel, and other road surfacing materials, from pits and supply points in the State of Colorado that are within a radius of 150 miles of Pueblo, to points in said radius, would be included in the authority under the certificate transferred to him, and we are

requested to include such authority under said certificate.

In view of the fact that the Colorado Motor Carriers' Association interpose no objection to the granting of such authority, and service in counties where head common carriers do object, is eliminated, the Commission believes said request should be granted.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that said order of transfer should be amended accordingly.

ORDER

1T IS ORDERED:

That our evider of April 10, 1943, Decision No. 20779, be, and the same hereby is, escended to extend the operating rights under certificate of public convencence and necessity No. 370 to include the right to transport clay, rock, and, gravel, and other materials used in making up the surface of roads, from pits and supply points in the State of Colorado which are within a radius of 150 miles of Pueblo, to points in said radius, excluding service in Boulder, Clear Creek and Gilpin Counties.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That except as herein amended, said original decision of April 10, 1943, shall remain in full force and effect.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 23rd day of April, 1943.

(Decsion No. 20824)

BEFORE THE FUBLIC UTILITIES CONSISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE AFFLICATION OF C. H. PHILLIPS, SAMFORD, COLOMADO, FOR A CLASS "B" FERMIT TO OFLRATE AS A TRIVATE CARRIER BY MOTOR VE-MICLE FOR MIRE.

AFFLICATION NO. 6279_PP

April 28, 1943

Appearances: Leonard Haynie, Esq., Alamosa, Colorado, for the applicant; T. A. White, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for Nio Grande Motor Nay, Inc.; A. J. Fregeau, Denver, Colorado, for Weicker Transfer and Storage Company; Conour and Conour, Esqs., Del Norte, Colorado, for E. B. Faus, James Ashton, E. T. Nalker.

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By the Commission:

C. H. Phillips, of Sanford, Colorado, herein seeks authority to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of livestock, farm machinery, seed, and farm produce, between points within a radius of twenty miles of Sanford, and from and to points in said area, to and from Fueblo and Denver, Colorado.

Mr. Phillips stated that he has a Connercial Carrier Permit, under which he has been buying and selling various commodities; that, among other things, he has purchased junk, rubber, and iron, which he has moved to Pueblo, and back-hauled coal and grain; that, during the winter, on account of shortness of trucks for movement of cattle in his neighborhood, he asked for, and received, authority to haul for hire, pending hearing of his application; that he has a one and one-half ton truck, and is in a position to purchase additional equipment, if he meeds it, and if the equipment is available; that, primarily, the movement of livestock will be from ranches to sales barns in Alamosa and Denver, and from sales barns to ranches within said twenty-mile radius, and to Denver; that most of the twenty ersons listed as his customers, all of whom live within six miles of Sanford, are people who called him to haul cattle because they were unable, conveniently, to get service from authorized truckers; that, prior to discontinuance of service by Curtis, people had a for-hire service available, but since Curtis quit, they have had some difficulty in getting truckers; that farm machinery, especially tractor, might move to Denver or Alamosa for regains, and subsequent return by him; that, while he will limit the number of customers served by him, if required by the Commission, and will otherwise comply with rules and regulations of the Connission, he had not expected to limit his service to any articular number of persons, and had intended to hold himself out as willing to serve everybody that wanted his service, and contemplated being allowed to haul for them if he sent in their names to the "ournission before furnishing the service; that he has not been asked to furnish any town to town service, although some requests for other service have been received from people living more than six miles from Sanford.

Fred Christensen, who is a rancher south of Eanford, described the difficulties he had in moving livestock by rail during the winter. On one occasion, a carload of cattle required four days' time to get to Denver. He stated that for-hire trucks have not been available at all times; that Mir. Barr, a local Private Carrier, told him that he would require one to three weeks advance notice for service. Christensen feeds 500 to 2500 sheep, of which 1,000 to 1500 are shipped yearly. In addition, he sends two or three carloads of cattle and some hogs to market. Cattle and sheep would move by rail, if rail service were satisfactory. He requires some local hauling, and believes that service -- at least locally, by Alamosa truckers, is too expensive.

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T. W. Crowther:, B. S. Reynolds, and Frank Reed, all of Sanford, generally testified to the same effect. Mr. Crowthers, on one occasion, contracted with Reinhardt for service, a day, a week ahead, being fixed for movement of cattle. On the day appointed, Reinhardt informed him that he could not serve for a week. Finally, Haynie, Barr, and Phillips, operating under Barr's permit, moved the cattle. He requires movement of stock to summer range in New dexico, and also ships farm machinery and farm products by truck, at times. He ships 100 head of cattle yearly to Denver, 100 hogs in the same veriod of time, and expects to move 1000 sheep and lambs in the spring. B. S. Heynolds has 300 head of cattle and is feeding 73 steers. He expects to ship by rail, if he can. Phillips has handled some hogs and calves for him at Barr's request. What he wants is to be in a position to go to some trucker in his community, make arrangements for service in a few days, and then have him make good. Frank Reed has 600 head of hogs and 1000 chickens. The hogs move to Denver. His chickens require considerable feed, and he has had some difficulty in getting feed, as well as machinery and hogs, moved. On one occasion, Phillips hauled for him at Vance's suggestion, after he was unable to get Barr's service.

In opposition, Bruce Faus stated that Faus Transportation Company has authority to serve on call and demand in the vicinity of Sanford, and also operates a line haul service into Sanford; that, while he has served the town, his company has not served any farms in the area within the last six months. However, they are willing to perform service, in requested. In 1942, Faus lost \$2500.00.

James E. Ashton, who operates under FUC No. 1313, can serve the area sought to be served by applicant, and has moved some livestock and wool during the past six months. Recently, he has leased some trucks from one Melson, and has arranged with Jelson to act as his agent in Alamosa, he (Melson), as agent and manager, operating the leased trucks for Ashton. Ashton thinks he will be able to furnish all in and out service that may be required, but does not care especially to perform the local service around Sanford.

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It would seem, in view of the greatly increased activity in farming, ranching, and livestock raising in the San Luis Valley, that it is desirable to make available as much for-hire service as may be necessary. Farmors not only do not have the number of truckers formerly operated by them, but, due to scarcity of labor for farms, and the necessity of putting in more time on their places, require ample truck facilities. It is important that all food products move promptly to market; that feed and other supplies reach the farmers as promptly as possible. It did not appear that the granting of the authority sought will impair the efficiency of now-authorized common carrier services. We believe applicant, if he accepts the permit hereby granted, mill comply with the rules and regulations governing private carrier operations; will limit his service to persons with whom he has bona fide contracts, and will not be advertising or otherwise hold himself out as willing to serve the public generally.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that the application should be granted, as limited in the Order following, and that the available common carrier service is not adequate; that the issuance of the permit will not impair the efficiency of said common carrier services.

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IT IS ORDERED:

That C. H. Phillips, Lanford, Colo ado, be, and he hereby is, authorized to operate at a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of farm products, including livestock, and farm machinery, between points within a radius of six miles of Sanford, Colorado, and from and to points in said area, to and from points in the State of Colorado, without the right to serve between points served by motor vehicle carriers operating singly or in combination, on schedule. All operations hereunder shall be strictly contract operations, the Commission retaining jurisdiction to make such amendments to this permit deemed advisable.

This order is the permit hereia provided for, but it shall not become effective until applicant has filed a statement of his customers, copies of all special contracts or memoranda of their terms, the necessary tariffs, required insurance, and has secured identification cards.

The right of applicant to operate hereunder shall depend upon his compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of The Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 28th day of April, 1943.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF BOLLIE WESTERKAMP, 5003 GRANT ST., DENVER, COLORADO, FOR AN EXTENSION OF PERMIT NO. B-1813.

APPLICATION NO. 3772-PP-BB

April 24, 1943.

Appearances: Rollie Westerkamp, Denver, Colorado, pro se;

T. A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Denver, Colorado, for Colorado Transfer and Warehousemen's Association, and Common Carrier Division of The Colorado Motor Carriers' Association;
A. J. Fregeau, Denver, Colorado, for Weicker Transfer and

Storage Company.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

Applicant, Rollie Westerkamp, who, on March 11, 1937, Decision No. 9578, was authorized to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of:

> culverts, flumes, pipe, head-gates and other like products for the Thompson Manufacturing Company, only, where he also assists in or performs the installation service for said company, between said company's manufacturing plant in Denver, Colorado, and farms or construction projects where installation also is being made by the Thompson Manufacturing Company, within a radius of fifty miles of Denver, Colorado; provided, however, that the applicant shall not engage in any transportation service from town to town along the line of scheduled common carriers then serving the Denver area, and provided further that the applicant's authority shall extend to the transportation of only those light products of the Thompson Manufacturing Company,

Applicant now seeks authority to extend his authority to include the right to furnish similar service for R. Hardesty Manufacturing Company. In support of his application, Mr. Westerkamp stated that he thought the proposed service would not unduly interfere with the business of carriers now furnishing the service; that wood culverts are now being supplied for highway and irrigation installations instead of steel culverts; that most highway work has been discontinued on account of government restrictions; that he performs the same service he is authorized to perform for Thompson outside the city limits of Denver for R. Hardesty Manufacturing Company within the city limits of Denver; that, occasionally, Hardesty has contracts to fill outside the city, and he would like to be in a position to handle their business; that he has engaged in this type of service for Thompson, Hardesty, and other similar concerns for a number of years, and knows how to install culverts to their satisfaction.

In opposition, protestants asked that the record in Decision No. 17117, Application No. 3772-PP-B, be made part of the record in the instant matter, which request was granted.

It there appeared that Weicker, Gallagher, Swena, and a great number of other call and demand carriers are equipped to, and de, furnish service sought to be performed by applicant, not only for R. Hardesty Manufacturing Company, but for other manufacturers and distributors of culverts, pipe, and similar commodities; that the movement of said commodities has been handled by employees of said carriers who are familiar with the work and know the kind of service required; that the service is adequate; that said carriers, especially Gallagher and Weicker, have purchased large quantities of heavy equipment in order to handle building materials and other heavy materials, as well as equipment for the large number of government projects that have been pending in the state; that said work, for the most part, is now completed; that said carriers still have the equipment, and if they are to keep it in order to be prepared at all times to serve the government and contractors who may require the service, they must have some business to meet overhead charges. Weicker new has 71 trucks which it considers to be surplus equipment.

It would appear that no additional showing has been made by

applicant why we should, in effect, reverse our decision and order No. 17117, where we denied his request to add R. Hardesty Manufacturing Company and other manufacturers to his list of customers. Reference, therefore, is hereby made to said decision.

In the instant matter, the common carrier service is adequate. We believe the granting of the extension sought would tend to impair the efficiency of the service of common carriers now serving, and therefore, after careful consideration of the record, we are of the opinion, and find, that said application for extension should be denied.

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IT IS ORDERED:

That the instant application be, and the same hereby is,

denied.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

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THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Eduard T. T. Genel.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 24th day of April, 1943.

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(Decision No. 20826)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF J. M. CAMERON, DOING BUSINESS AS "J. M. CAMERON COAL COMPANY," 601 ELEVENTH STREET, GREELEY, COLORADO,) FOR AUTHORITY TO TRANSFER PERMIT NO. B-1326 TO GERTRUDE I. CAMERON, DOING BUSINESS AS "J. M. CAMERON COAL COMPANY," 601 ELEVENTH STREET, GREELEY, COLORADO.

APPLICATION NO. 2574-PP-AB-A

April 23, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

J. M. Cameron, doing business as "J. M. Cameron Coal Company," Greeley, Colorado, has filed application with the Commission to transfer Permit No. B-1326 to his wife, Gertrude I. Cameron, doing business as "J. M. Cameron Coal Company," Greeley, Colorado.

The application recites that J. M. Cameron is physically unable to carry on the business; that his wife, Gertrude I. Cameron, for the past three years, has assisted him in conducting the business under said permit, their son, E. M. Cameron, performing most of the transportation work; that he desires to transfer his trucks and equipment to his wife, providing this Commission will approve the transfer of his permit to her, in order that she may continue the business; that this application be considered to be an assignment of the permit, subject to our approval, and that said assignment be permitted without a hearing.

It would appear that no useful purpose would be served by requiring a hearing on said application. Apparently, Mr. Cameron is ill, and unable to longer conduct the business in which he has been engaged. His wife has the necessary experience and pecuniary responsibility to property conduct the operation.

Therefore, after careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that the transfer of said permit, No. B-1326, by J. M. ^Cameron, doing business as "J. M. Cameron Coal Company," should be approved, and our records should be amended and corrected to show the transfer accordingly.

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IT IS ORDERED:

That transfer of Private Carrier Permit No. B-1326, by J. M. Cameron, doing business as "J. M. Cameron Coal Company," Greeley, Colorado, to Gertrude I. Cameron, doing business as "J. M. Cameron Coal Company," Greeley, Colorado, be, and the same hereby is, approved, and our records be changed and amended so as to show the owner of said permit to be Gertrude I. Cameron, doing business as "J. M. Cameron Coal Company," Greeley, Colorado.

The right of transferee to operate under this order shall depend upon her compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

This order is made a part of the permit authorized to be transferred, and shall become effective forthwith.

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 23rd day of April, 1943 Commissioners

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF) RINGSBY TRUCK LINES, INC., DENVER,) CASE NO. 4896 COLORADO, P.U.C. CERTIFICATE NO.) 1348-1.

April 23, 1943

Appearances: E. B. Evans, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the Commission; Marion F. Jones, Esq., Denver, Colo., for Respondent.

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

The instant matter was heard in Denver, Colorado, on May 15, 1942. The show cause order issued herein was based upon allegations that respondent has failed to report and pay highway compensation tax upon freight transported between Grand Junction and the Colorado-Utah state line.

At the close of the hearing, the attorney for the Commission advised that if proper settlement of said highway compensation tax was effected, he recommended the instant case be dismissed. The Commission is now advised that said highway compensation tax has been paid by respondent, and after a careful consideration of the record, we are of the opinion, and so find, that the instant case should be dismissed.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That the instant case be, and the same is hereby, dismissed. This order shall become effective twenty (20) days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLOBADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 23rd day of April, 1943

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(Decision No. 20828)

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BEFORE THE FUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF) FAANIE G. CLAIMER FOR AN AMENDMENT) OF PRIVATE CARRIER FERMIT NO. A-763.)

FERMIT NO. A-763

April 26, 1943

Appearances: Charles R. Enos, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the applicant; A. J. Fregeau, Denver, Colorado, for Weicker Transfer and Storage Company; T. A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the Colorado Transfer and Warehousemen's Assocation, Joe Hepberger; Harold Swena, Golden, Colorado for Swena Transfer.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

This is an application by Fannie G. Clammer, owner since recent death of her husband, of Permit No. A-765, to amend or extend her authority under said permit to include the right to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of general commodities between points within a radius of twenty-five miles of Idaho Springs, Colorado, and between Idaho Springs, Colorado, and points within said twenty-five-nile radius of Idaho Springs on the one hand, and, on the other, Boulder, Colo ado Springs (including Colorado City), Leadville, and intermediate points.

The files in re Permit No. A-763, the reports covering operations under said permit which had been filed with the Commission, and our order and decision, No. 19417, were made a part of the record.

It appears therefrom that, on or about the 18th day of June, 1934, H. J. Clarmer, of Idaho Springs, Colorado, in writing, requested the Commission to issue a permit to him, reciting that: "I haul ore and any small jobs I can pick up around Idaho Springs -- have no regular line or runs or stops."

An application blank was forwarded to Clanner, and, on June 29, 1934, he filed the application which asked for a permit "Boulder, Colorado Springs, Leadville, and intermediate points." Fermit No. A-763 issued on July 6, 1934, with authority as indicated.

Thereafter, Clammer began his operation and filed with this Commission, under Permit No. A-763, his monthly report of tounage hauled for the month of June, 1934, and, during his lifetime continued to file reports of his operations under said permit, as required by the rules and regulations of the Commission. The first customer list filed on January 26, 1935, listed the following customers:

> Black Bear Mines, Inc. Calvin Mine, Treasure Vault Mine The Montezuma M. & M, Inc. Strochle Garage Alma Lincoln M & M Co,

all of Idaho Springs, Colorado. Subsequently, he filed a number of customer lists, all of which listed customers whose residences are either at Idaho Springs or in the vicinity thereof.

The monthly reports filed from June, 1934, to June, 1942, inclusive show that very little of the extensive transportation business conducted thereunder was within the terms of the authority granted, and our records fail to show that any objection was ever raised about said operation by the Commission, its officers and employees, or competing carriers. The reports show that Mr. Clanmer, for the most part, confined operations to the transportation of ore and concentrates in Clear Creek and Gilpin Gounties, most of his hauling being in the area within 10 miles of Idaho Springs. In July, August, September and October, 1934, he apparently served some mines 10, 12, and 18 miles from Idaho Springs. In October, 1936, March, April, July, end August, 1937, he served mines 10, 12, and 15 miles from Idaho Springs. In December, 1939, he served a mine 10 miles from Idaho Springs. Each month from October, 1940, to April, 1941, he served a mine 20 miles from Idaho Springs. From time to time, he hauled

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concentrates from Idaho Springs, Dumont, and Georgetown to Leadville, and to Colorado Springs, and made one trip from Idaho Springs to Boulder. Local services -- that is, services around Idaho Springs, except for service to the mines heretofore mentioned, were within a radius of 10 miles of Idaho Springs. Reports also disclose that during said period, he moved substantial quantities of coal from mines in the northern Colorado coal fields to Idaho Springs, and one load of pipe, Denver, to Idaho Springs; also one load of machinery, Denver to Idaho Springs. Mrs. Clammer's operations under permit have been similar.

Mrs. Clammer stated that she had two trucks; that she had attempted to sell said permit to J. M. Davis and Shelby Davis, but had not consummated the sale, on account of our Decision No. 19417 on August 15, 1942; and that said J. M. and Shelby Davis had been operating the permit for her, with option to buy.

All things considered, it would seem that the request of applicant, in part, should be granted. If the extension as asked were granted, in effect, she then would be permitted to perform a line haul service, handling all commodities if she so desired, between all points on highways extending from Leadville to Idaho Springs, Idaho Springs to Boulder via Central <sup>C</sup>ity, Idaho <sup>S</sup>prings to Boulder via Denver, Idaho Springs to Colorado Springs via Denver, and from and to said points, to and from all points within a radius of twenty-five miles of Idaho Springs. No evidence was offered, and no showing made that would justify such extention. It would seem that the service authorized under this permit should be limited to the service ordinarily performed by permittee thereunder. The only conmodity backhauled in quantity was coal. In the entire period of operation under "ir. Clammer, he hauled only one load of pipe and one load of machinery.

Therefore, after careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said permit, No. A-763, should be amended and changed so as to authorize operations by Fannie G. Clammer, as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of ores and concentrates between points within a radius of twenty miles of Idaho <sup>S</sup>prings, and from points in said area, to mills at Leadville, Boulder and Colorado Springs, and the transportation of coal from mines in

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the northern Colorado coal fields to Idaho Springs.

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IT IS ORDERED:

That our records and files, in re Permit No. A-765, and the authority of Fannie G. Clammer, as permit-holder thereunder, be amended and changed, so as to show that permit-holder is authorized to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of ores and concentrates between points within a radius of twenty miles of Idaho Springs, and from points in said area, to mills at Leadville, boulder, and Colorado Springs, and the transportation of coal from mines in the northern Colorado coal fields to Idaho Springs, Colorado.

That said permit, in the future, shall be known as "Permit No. B-763".

That said application, in all other respects, should be, and the same hereby is, denied.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLOLADO

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Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 26th day of April, 1943.

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#### BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF JOE GIORDANG AND MIKE GIORDANO, DOING BUSINESS AS GIORDANO COAL COMPANY, AND RAVENSWOOD FUEL COMPANY, COMMERCIAL CARRIER PERMIT NO. C-1747.

CASE NO. 4893

April 26, 1943.

Appearances: E. B. Evans, Esq., Denver, Celorado, for the Commission.

STATEMENT

### By the Commission:

Instant matter was instituted by issuance of show cause order February 28, 1942, and case was set for hearing at several different times, but always vacated, due to the fact that our auditing and legal departments and respondents were endeavoring to get the matter satisfactorily adjusted without necessity of hearing.

Commission is now advised by our counsel that instant case should be dismissed, as respondents' operations have been brought within the law and matters of highway compensation tax satisfactorily adjusted.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that instant case should be dismissed.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That instant case is hereby dismissed.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 26th day of April, 1943. Commissioners.

(Decision No. 20830)

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# BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF GUY G. KELLER, LAFAYETTE, COLORADO, FOR CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO OPERATE MOTOR VEHICLE BUS SERVICE BETWEEN FIRESTONE, COLO-RADO, ON THE ONE HAND, THE SMALL ARMS ALLUNITION PLANT OF THE REMINGTON ARMS COMPANY, ON THE OTHER; LONGNONT, COLORADO, ON THE ONE HAND, AND THE SHALL APMS AMMUNITION PLANT OF THE REMINGTON ARMS COMPANY, ON THE OTHER; AND BOULDER, COLORADO, ON THE ONE HAND, AND THE SMALL ARMS AMMUNITION PLANT OF THE REMINGTON ARMS COMPANY, ON THE OTHER.

APPLICATION NO. 5822

April 26, 1943.

Appearances: Francis Manchini, Esq., and John W. Metzger, Esq., First National Bank Bldg., Denver, Colorado, for applicant;

W. A. Alexander, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for Denver Tramway Corporation;

J. L. Rice, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for Denver & Interurban Motor Company; Hodges, Vidal and Goree, Esqs.,

Denver, Colorado, for Colorado Motor Way Company.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

At the hearing, testifying in his own behalf, applicant detailed the routes which he proposed to serve under the authority, if granted, which is sought herein, as outlined in the caption above. He testified in regard to a survey he had made of various communities involved, and expressed the opinion that a definite need existed for his proposed service, not only to the munitions plant but also for workers in coal mines who live at points distant from the mines and are compelled to secure transportation to and from same. Several petitions signed by various individuals requesting

that he be granted the authority sought, were offered in evidence, but due to objections by protestants, were not made part of the record. No other witnesses except applicant's father, who testified that he would help him financially if necessary, appeared on behalf of applicant.

Protests were interposed by the Colorado Motor Way, Denver and Interurban Motor Company, and Denver Tramway Corporation, and evidence of the service they were rendering in the territory involved and additional service they proposed to install, was introduced. It was the position of protestants that present service was adequate, or could be made so by proposed increased facilities, and that public convenience and necessity required no further certificates.

The Commission deems it unnecessary to discuss in detail all the various schedules and proposals which were submitted at the hearing as to ways and means by which adequate service would be rendered to the public.

Upon the record as it stands, we are unable to determine that applicant made a showing of public convenience and necessity sufficient to justify the granting of a certificate. Considerable time has elapsed since the hearing, and we believe that reasonably adequate service exists in the territory involved, taking into consideration war demands, shortage of equipment and rubber. Unless a distinct and vital need is shown for increased service, we doubt the advisability of granting new certificates if presently operated common carrier service is or can be made sufficient to meet the reasonable demands of the public.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the instant application should be denied.

ORDER

# IT IS ORDERED:

That the instant application be, and the same is hereby, denied. This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 26th day of April, 1943. BH

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(Decision No. 20831)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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R. I. NIGHTINGALE,

Petitioner,

VS.

CASE NO. 4809

SAN MIGUEL POWER ASSOCIATION, INC.,

Respondent.

April 23, 1943

Appearances: L. D. Hunt, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for Petitioner, R. I. Nightingale; Harry W. Gueno, Esq., Delta, Colorado, and Ernest L. Rushmer, Esq., St. Louis, Mo., for Respondent, San Miguel Power Association; E. B. Evans, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the Commission.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

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The instant case was based upon complaint filed by R. E. Nightingale, owner and operator of electric plant at Norwood, against San Miguel Power Association, Inc., a so-called R.E.A. project, operating over the mesa where Norwood is located, and the lower San Miguel Valley, Counties of San Miguel and Montrose.

Said complaint is based upon the proposition that respondent is a public utility, and as such is operating without a certificate of public convenience and necessity from this Commission in competition with complainant and to his detriment.

To said complaint a demurrer and motion to dismiss was filed by respondent, in which it is alleged, inter alia, that complainant is restricted under order of this Commission to service within the corporate limits of the Town of Norwood, and that respondent is not a public utility. The Commission refused to pass upon said

demurrer and motion prior to hearing.

The evidence disclosed that complainant and his predecessors in interest have, since May, 1935, been furnishing Town of Norwood and certain customers outside corporate limits thereof with electrical energy. This service, so far as Norwood is concerned, was authorized by franchise granted. Application was filed with Commission by complainant for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to exercise said franchise rights within the Town of Norwood and also for authority to serve a five-mile radius outside thereof. Due to the possibility of R.E.A. service, said application was protested by various individuals in the Norwood area, including the town officials of Norwood. However, on July 21, 1939, complainant was granted a certificate to exercise his franchise rights within the corporate limits of Norwood, but denied authority to serve outside thereof. This decision was not appealed from although complainant continued his service to some five customers outside the corporate limits of Norwood and was still serving same at the time of instant hearing. A limited number of other customers reside within this five-mile radius that could have been. but never were, served by complainant, and some of these are now being served by respondent.

Respondent is a cooperative association, organized under Sections 210-214, Chapter 41 - 35 C.S.A. Under a loan of Federal funds, respondent has constructed certain transmission and distribution lines extending some sixty miles from Illium, which is seven miles west of Telluride, Colorado, and where current is purchased by respondent from Western Colorado Power Company, to a point approximately six miles northwesterly from Nucla. It serves approximately 400 customers. In the early stages of its organization residents of the town of Norwood were solicited for membership in the Association, but later said applications were rejected and application fees returned. No service

was ever rendered to any of said residents.

By-laws of the Association provide, inter alia, that:

"Any person, firm, corporation, or body politic, may become a member of the cooperative by (a) paying the membership fee hereinafter specified, (b) agreeing to purchase from the cooperative electric energy as hereinafter specified, and (c) agreeing to comply and be bound by the certificate of incorporation of the cooperative and its by-laws and any amendments thereto, and such rules and regulations as may from time to time be adopted by the board of directors."

The membership fee is \$5.00.

The respondent applied for and received a franchise from the Town of Nucla, and service is being rendered to its inhabitants, including the entering into of street lighting contract with the town. Request was made by respondent for a franchise from the Town of Norwood, but later this request was withdrawn. The association has refused some memberships, but only where it was not feasible to serve. Generally speaking, respondent proposes service to any and all possible customers in its area that it may be feasible to serve, the only exception being those now receiving current from a central station service. The act under which the loan of Federal funds was secured provides that loans may be made "for rural electrification and furnishing electrical energy to persons in rural areas who are not receiving central station service as hereinafter provided."

Negotiations were held between complainant and respondent looking toward the purchase of complainant's plant by respondent, but no agreement was ever made. Association lines in the immediate proximity of Norwood parallel lines of complainant for a distance of approximately 250 feet both east and west of Norwood. Complainant is now serving approximately 95 customers within the corporate limits of Norwood. The actual number of customers served by respondent within a 5-mile radius of Norwood is not clear from the record. However, it is serving five customers within a radius of one-half mile of Norwood, which is the same number being served by complainant.

The general territory served by respondent is thinly populated, and prior to installation of R.E.A. service, practically the entire 400 customers of respondent were without benefit of electrical service. Additional extensions of respondent's lines are contemplated after the war to Bed Rock and the Paradox Valley. At present, respondent serves approximately 75 per cent of the people living within 1,000 feet of its lines, and ultimately a general service to the entire San Miguel area is contemplated.

Does this record disclose that respondent is a public utility as same is defined by our statute? The definition of a public utility is found in Section 3 of Chapter 137 - 35 C.S.A. and is as follows:

> "The term 'public utility', when used in this chapter includes every common carrier, pipe line corporation, gas corporation, electrical corporation, telephone corporation, telegraph corporation, water corporation, a person or municipality operating for the purpose of supplying the public for domestic, mechanical or public uses, and every corporation, or person now or hereafter declared by law to be affected with a public interest, and each thereof, is hereby declared to be a public utility and to be subject to the jurisdiction, control, and regulation of the Commission and to the provisions of this chapter; provided, that nothing in this chapter shall be construed to apply to irrigation systems, the chief or principal business of which is to supply water for the purpose of irrigation."

The question involved has not been directly passed upon by Colorado courts. In Davis v. People, ex rel Public Utilities Commission, 79 Colo. 642, P.U.R. 1926E, 635, 247 Pac. 801, our Supreme Court promulgated the general doctrine that:

> "In determining whether a business is that of a common carrier, the important thing is what it does, not what its charter says. A service may affect so considerable a fraction of the public that it is public in the same sense in which any other may be called so. The public does not mean everybody all the time."

Davis was hauling freight by truck for over 90% of the shippers in his territory. He had organized most of the shippers into an association and transported goods under a contract with the asso-

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ciation. The Court stated that the association was in fact a "sham organization" and that the limitation that Davis would only haul for members of the association, was a mere device to hoodwink the law, and declared that he was in fact a common carrier.

It will be noted that in the definition of a public utility, <u>supra</u>, irrigation systems are specifically exempted from the provisions of the act. Cooperative associations are not. The cooperative association statute was passed by the same Legislature that enacted the statute defining a public utility. It would appear that if it had been the intention to exempt cooperatives from the jurisdiction of the Commission, the Legislature would have included same in their exemption of irrigation systems.

It is true that R.E.A. systems, as now functioning, were not in existence at the time said laws were passed. However, it would seem clear that it was not the intention of the Legislature to exempt cooperatives as such under the rather generally accepted rule that where the Legislature has made exceptions to a general rule, it must he deemed to have included in its exceptions all that it intended to except. The Supreme Court of Utah in Garkane Power Co. v. Public Service Commission, 98 Utah 466, 33 P.U.R. (N.S.) 129, 100 Pac. (2d) 571, held that a rural electric association operating in Utah was not a public utility, and hence not under the control of the Public Service Commission of that state. To the same effect is the case of Inland Empire Rural Electrification v. Department of Public Service, 199 Wash. 527; 30 P.U.R. (N.S.) 173, 92 Pac. (2d) 258. The most recent decision was by the Wyoming Supreme Court in Rural Electric Co. v. State Board of Equalization, P.U.R. 42 (N.S.) 153; 120 Pac. (2d) 741. This case holds that a rural electric association operating in Wyoming is a public utility and subject to the application of the general sales tax law of Wyoming. While it is true that this decision

construes the status of the R.E.A. insofar as the tax law of Wyoming is concerned, yet the opinion goes very thoroughly into the entire history of what constitutes a public utility and analyzes and discusses the various decisions of courts of last resort as to the general principles of what does or does not constitute the dedication of property to a public use. The statutes of Wyoming and Colorado defining what constitutes a public utility, are quite similar. It would appear that the conclusions reached in said decision apply with equal force to the instant case, and we deem it unnecessary to go into all the authorities that are set out and discussed in said opinion.

In the instant case, it would appear that there has been a dedication of the property of respondent to a public use. The fact that it proposes to, and does serve any and all persons that may feasibly be served, except those already receiving current from central station service, who are willing to pay a \$5.00 membership fee, including towns, school districts, and in fact all classes of service, takes us back to the theory promulgated by our own Supreme Court in the Davis case, <u>supra</u>, that the service is to "so considerable a fraction of the public that it is the public in the same sense in which any other may be called so."

In determining this issue, we may not as an administrative body be concerned with personal views as to the wisdom or otherwise of any law, whether state or federal, nor in any way attempt to invade the province of the legislative branch of our State government. We conceive our duty merely to apply the law as we understand it to the facts that develop upon the record, and this leads to the conclusion that respondent is a public utility and subject to the jurisidction of the Commission. It is true that so far as the regulation of rates is concerned, a non-profit cooperative would not need any regulation. However, the question of rates is not the only one involved.

We now come to the second question involved; that is, whether or not respondent is in competition with and operating to the detriment of complainant. It is true that Section 36 of Chapter 137, 35 C.S.A. provides that a public utility may extend its facilities to adjoining territory not theretofore served by a public utility of like character without obtaining a certificate from this Commission. However, complainant in this case saw fit to apply to the Commission for a certificate to serve not only within the corporate limits of Norwood, but within a five-mile area outside thereof, and the Commission found that while the public convenience and necessity required his operations within the corporate limits of Norwood, the same public convenience and necessity did not require his operations outside thereof, and specifically denied him authority to serve in said area. No appeal was taken from this decision by complainant, and he continued to render se vice outside of said corporate limits. It is clear that insofar as service within the Town of Norwood is concerned, no competition is being offered. By accepting the benfits of our order of July 21, 1939, granting complainant the right to operate in Norwood, we believe complainant is estopped from maintaining that the part of said order (that denying his right to serve within a five-mile area outside of Norwood) is invalid. Said order is not separable. The Commission might or might not have granted any certificate except in the manner and form in which it did. People v. Public Service Commission, 227 N.Y. 428, 125 N.E. 438, P.U.R. 1920B 350, involved the following situation: An application was filed by a railroad company for authority to construct a railroad. A certificate was granted, but in granting the certificate the Commission directed the railroad to file a map with it and to construct the line of railroad in accordance with the map. Upon appeal the court first held that the Commission had no

power to impose the condition in connection with the certificate of filing a map. The further question in the case was whether, in having so determined, the court could detach the illegal provision from the remaining provisions and permit the order to stand insofar as it granted a certificate of public convenience and necessity. Upon this point, the court said:

> "We should be glad if this could be done, for whatever the final disposition upon the morits may be, there is no doubt that the labors and expense of the petitioner in attempting to procure permission to construct this road have been greatly increased through the misapprehension by the Public Commission of the statutes which cover the proceeding. We do not, however, think it is possible to relieve the petitioner by a process of separation of the different provisions of the order which has been made and thus by elimination of the illegal provisions affirm the balance of the order. The court is not justified in eliminating and disregarding illegal provisions of an order, unless it is apparent that the provisions which are legal in form are not connected with and affected by those which are illegal."

In <u>Multa Trina Ditch Co.</u> v. <u>Stobaugh</u>, 76 Cols. 451, the defendants in error attempted to have a portion of a decree, which was in their favor, held valid, and another portion of the same decree, which was unfavorable, held invalid. The Supreme Court held that defendants in error may not avail themselves of one portion of the 1920 decree which gives to them for their ditch the additional amount of 180 cubic feet which the former conditional decree did not contain and repudiate other portions thereof which may be unfavorable.

In our opinion, if any portion of our Decision of July 21, 1939, is invalid, the entire order is invalid, in which event complainant would have no standing before the Commission to prosecute his complaint.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that respondent is a public utility

as defined by the statutes of the State of Colorado and should apply to the Commission for authority to conduct its business as presently operated.

We are further of the opinion, and so find, that complainant has failed to establish that any operations of respondent are in competition with or to the detriment of respondent.

# ORDER

# IT IS ORDERED:

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That the San Miguel Power Association, Inc., in its operations as a corporation, in supplying and distributing electrical current in the counties of San Miguel and Montrose, is a public utility under the statutes of the State of Colorado, and is subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That the complaint filed herein be, and the same is hereby, dismissed.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That jurisdiction of the instant matter be retained to the end that such further order or orders may be entered herein as the Commission may deem proper.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 23rd day of April, 1943.

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#### BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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THE HIGHLAND UTILITIES COMPANY, A Corporation,

Complainant,

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CASE NO. 4891

THE WESTERN COLORADO POWER COMPANY, A Corporation,

Defendant.

# April 24, 1943.

Appearances: Dan Milenski, Esq., Cortez, Colorado, and Lowell D. Hunt, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for Complainant; George R. Corey, Esq., Salt Lake City, Utah, and Moynihan, Hughes and Sherman, Esqs., Montrose, Colorado, for Defendant;
E. B. Evans, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the Commission.

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

Complainant, Highland Utilities Company, hereinafter designated as "Mighland", operates electrical service as a public utility in Montezuma County, particularly in the towns of Mancos, Cortez and Dolores, Mesa Verde National Park, and the territory adjacent to said towns and park. It has approximately eight hundred customers, 85 per cent of whom are classed as urban and 15 per cent rural. Energy is purchased from defendant, Western Colorado Power Company, hereinafter designated as "Western", delivery being made at a point on boundary line between La Plata and Montezuma Counties. This current is furnished under Western's schedule on file with the Commission designated P-25, which is applicable to "rural cooperative associations in all territory served by the company". It is conceded rates under P-25 are lower than those under the

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P-24 schedule.

Highland alleges unjust discrimination and seeks to restrain Western from selling energy to other utilities upon more favorable conditions and returns than to Highland. Highland further alleges that Western had offered to sell energy to Empire Electric Association, Inc., hereinafter designated "Empire", under its P-25 schedule. Empire is an REA project operating in Montezuma and Dolores Counties. Western denies this allegation, and, except for this question, there is practical agreement upon the facts.

Western is now serving under its Schedule P-25 the Delta-Montrose Power Lines Association, San Miguel Power Association, Inc., and La Plata Electric Association, all of which are REA projects.

The record discloses that to enable Western to deliver energy to Highland, it constructed approximately ten miles of transmission line to the La Plata-Montezuma County line. Highland contends the cost of this line was figured in the rate given them by Western, and the same line would be used by Western in delivering energy to Empire. The contract between Western and Highland provides for an annual minimum charge of \$7500.00, but this has never been operative as requirements of Highland have always exceeded this figure. For the year 1941, Highland's actual bill from Western under Schedule P-24 was \$25,277.34, and, if based upon Schedule P-25, would have been \$17,198.50, or a saving of 31.9 per cent. For 1941, Highland's consumption per month was approximately 125,000 KWH, La Plata Electric Association 19,000 KWH, San Miguel Power Association 31,000 KWH, and Delta-Montrose Rural Power Lines 60,000 KWH. Empire is now obtaining its energy from mobile Diesel engine. Its present lines extend from north of Dove Creek in Dolores County, through Cahone, Ackman, Lewis and Arriola, to points south and slightly west of Dolores. At the time of hearing, it was serving 267 sustomers, including the incorporated town of Deve Creek, where it has a 25-year franchise.

An extension of this project has been approved in Washington and can be built whenever materials are obtainable. This extension would give it approximately 200 additional customers, and extend its line south

and west through Mancos to within three miles of the Montezuma-Le Plata line and south through Cortez and points youth and west thereof. Its present average KWH consumption is approximately 18,000 per month. Forty per cent of its service is estimated to be urban and sixty per cent rural. Empire is seeking and has sought to obtain energy from both Highland and Western. Highland has submitted to it certain proposed rates. Western says they made no commitment on rates, but the manager of Empire was handed their P-25 schedule when he inquired about rates to rural electric cooperatives. However, on November 25, 1941, Western, by letter, at that time declined to consider furnishing Empire service, calling attention to the fact that Highland was located in their territory and had available supply of current. Highland contends that the threat of Empire obtaining lower rates in its territory is detrimental to securing renewal franchises, and that it is being damaged by the unjust discrimination between the rates under P-24 and P-25.

Western contends that it has a right to elassify REA projects separately, and that the schedule P-25 returns at least an out-of-pocket cost. Also that said rate was given because of threats by REA administrators to build their own generating plants if low rates were not made. Western further states it will not serve Empire unless ordered to do so by some regulatory body.

It would appear that the type of service rendered by Highland and Empire is somewhat similar and that is true of the other cooperatives served by Western, the only material distinction being that in rural service the farms served by the co-ops are less productive and more sparsely located.

We question whether Western could under all circumstances refuse service to Empire at the La Plata-Montezuma County line upon the ground that it is outside its service area. It is now serving Highland at this line. In any event, it would appear advisable to determine at this time the question of whether unlawful discrimination exists in the rates and service

by Western to REA co-ops under Schedule P-25.

Section 19, Chapter 137, Vol. IV, 35 CSA, page 502, provides:

"No public utility shall, as to rates, charges, service, facilities, or in any other respect, make or grant any preference or advantage to any corporation or person, or subject any corporation or person to any prejudice or disadvantage. No public utility shall establish or maintain any unreasonable difference as to rates, charges, service, facilities, or in any respect, either between localities or between any class of service. The Commission shall have the power to determine any question of fact arising under this section."

Section 15, Chapter 137, Vol. IV - CSA, page 498, gives the Commission authority te,-

"correct abuses and prevent unjust extortions in the rates, charges and tariffs of public utilities of this state."

The Commission heretofore has found that San Miguel Power Association, Inc., which Western is now serving, is a public utility. See <u>R. I. Mightingale, Petitioner, v. San Miguel Power Association, Inc.,</u> <u>Respondent</u>, Case 4809, decided April 23, 1943, Decision No. 20831.

It is fundamental that unless these REA projects are entitled to special classification as such, Western is not justified in establishing rates which are unduly projudicial to Highland or preferential to the REA projects unless the character of service rendered is so dissimilar as to justify a difference in classification, or such difference in classification can be justified upon other lawful grounds. REA projects are comparatively a new venture, yet their development throughout the United States has been very rapid in the past few years. The Federal Act creating same places its administration under the Department of Agriculture. Its purpose is to bring electrical energy to farms and rural areas <u>not then</u> <u>receiving electrical gervice</u>. This latter prevision, if properly administered, means that established private utility or municipal utility customers could not be served by these projects. The competition, if any, exists in the unserved customer areas.

Evidence in the instant case disclosed that the lines of Empire and Highland are nearly parallel for short distances. Witness for Highland, when agked why his company had not served Empire customers in the past, replied that some of them had never requested service and others they felt could not be served economically.

It is apparent from the record that these REA projects de bring service to farms and communities to which it has not appeared practical to private utilities to serve in the past. The resultant benefits to large areas of our state are not to be denied. The local projects are in form cooperative associations organized under Colorado statutes, the Department of Agriculture, through its rural electric association set-up, exercises a complete supervision over such projects. The extent of the project, initial rates to be charged, engineering services, etc., are all determined in Washington.

Western, in its brief, contends that REA projects are a <u>department</u> of the Government, and that giving the Government preferential rates does not violate prescribed rules requiring equality of treatment, eiting, <u>inter alia</u>, <u>U. S. Shipping Board Corporation v. Western Union</u> <u>Telegraph Co.</u>, 48 Sup. Ct. Rep. 198, 275 U. S. 415. Said case holds the U. S. Shipping Board is a department of the Government and hence is entitled to government rates for sending of telegrams. The shipping board is a private corporation in form, but its entire capital stock was subscribed for and owned by the Government. This condition does not exist under the REA set-up. After the loans advanced by the Government are repaid, the ownership of the physical assets of these mutual cooperatives will belong to their membership.

As pointed out in said shipping board case, <u>supra</u>, instrumentalities of government, like national and federal reserve banks, are not departments of the government, but private corporations in which the government is interested, and we believe REA projects come under the definition "instrumentalities of government" rather than "department of government." This

being true, the doctrine of "preferential rates to the Government not being discriminatory to its competitors" does not apply.

In <u>Re Wholesale Rates for Power to Rural Cooperatives</u>, 19 P.U.R. (N.S.), page 22, the Kentucky Public Service Commission justifies a lower rate for REA projects upon the grounds, <u>inter alia</u>, that:

> "The material social advantages of rural electrification which will benefit the public generally, constitute the justification for special classification and rate for service to non-profit, rural electrification cooperative associations."

This same case holds that if the rate granted the rural ceoperatives will cover the out-of-pocket cost of rendering the service, with a margin for general overheads and fixed charges, it is justified under the rule that competitive conditions justify rate differences between utility customers. It is further held that electric utilities may reasonably be required to serve non-profit rural electrification coopexprises at rates that will produce a lower margin of profit than for sertain  $\checkmark$ other classes of service in view of the rule that <u>ability to pay</u> is an element to be considered in determining a fair and reasonable rate level.

In <u>Re Public Service Company</u>, P.U.R. 1929-D, page 342, the Colorado Commission held that a tariff providing for a discount for current used for unwatering mines and smelter operations, was not an unreasonable or unlawful preference, quoting with approval the ase of <u>Guthrie Gas, Light</u>, <u>Fuel and Improvement Co. v. Board of Education</u>, 64 Okla. 157, P.U.R. 1917-E 200, to the general effect that where discriminations are in the interest of the public and benefit the people generally, they are usually favored by the courts.

In <u>Wisconsin State Rural Electrification Coordination Committee v.</u> <u>Wisconsin Gas and Electric Company</u>, 17 P.U.R. (N.S.), page 33, the Wisconsin Public Service Commission holds that,-

> "The fixation of a rate for service to rural electric cooperative associations is not unlawful and unreasonable on the ground that standard rates and conditions of service are not fixed for all utilities competing for the business and applicable to all of them alike."

We believe that special classification of REA projects in this state by utilities selling current wholesale, is justified and is a reasonable discrimination and not an unlawful preference to said cooperatives, and would not be in contravention of our state statutes. Irrespective of the question of differences in the character of the service rendered, it is our epinion that such separate classifications may be justified on the grounds of ability of customers to pay, advantages to the public, and the right of utilities to meet, by law rates if necessary, the threat of new competitive generating plants. Bates effered under said schedules may not, however, impose any burden upon other customers of the utility, and must net be unduly discriminatory or unreasonably preferential to the cooperatives.

The territory presently served by Empire, or which it will serve under its proposed extension, has been to a large extent within the service area of Highland, and it has failed, whether justified or otherwise, to extend service to the rural areas, although, as we understand the situation, the same low cost Government money was available to it for this purpose as became available to Empire. As long as the cooperatives conduct their operations in conformity with the spirit and intent of the law which the Congress, in its wisdom, has enacted, viz., the bringing of electrical energy to farms and rural areas <u>not then receiving electrical service</u>, we believe special classification is justified.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the instant complaint should be dismissed.

### ORDER

#### IT IS ORDERED:

That the instant complaint be, and the same is hereby, dismissed. This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO. man

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 24th day of April, 1943. BH

Commissioners.

#### BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF ) CARL BAESSLER, JR., 1450 HAVANA ) STREET, AURORA, COLORADO. )

PRIVATE PERMIT NO. B-2855

April28, 1943.

# <u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

On January 28, 1943, by order of the Commission, Decision No. 20297, Carl Baessler, Jr., of Aurora, Colerado, was given authority to suspend eperations under Permit No. B-2855 for a period of not to exceed six months from January 1, 1943, with the privilege of reinstatement.

The Commission is now in receipt of a communication from said permittee requesting that said permit be restored to its active status.

After careful consideration, permittee having on file the necessary certificate of insurance, cash deposit, and otherwise having complied with the rules and regulations of the Commission governing private carriers, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that said order of suspension should be set aside and said permit restroed to its active status.

## <u>ORDER</u>

#### IT IS ORDERED:

That our order of January 28, 1943, Decision No. 20297, be, and same is hereby, set aside, and Permit No. B-2855 is restored to its active status, as of May 1, 1943.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 28th day of April, 1943. Commissioners.

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#### BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF ) WILLIS SOWERS, 205 UNIVERSITY ) <u>CASE NO. 16900-R</u> AVENUE, LARAMIE, WYOMING, PUC ) NO. 1230-I. )

April 28, 1943.

# STATEMENT

#### By the Commission:

On October 9, 1941, Commission revoked Certificate No. 1230-I for failure to file reports for the period March 1, 1941, to July 1, 1941. It now appears that said reports had properly been filed by respondent with the Port efficers, but due to the fact that no report blanks for common carriers were available, said reports were made out upon "C" blanks, and as respondent was also operating under a "C" permit, the reports inadvertently were not credited to his common carrier operations. We have been requested to reinstate said certificate.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that said request should be granted.

<u>ORDER</u>

#### IT IS ORDERED:

That our order of October 9, 1941, revoking Certificate No. 1230-I, be, and same is hereby, set aside, and said certificate is reinstated as of October 9, 1941.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION THE STATE OF COLORADO OF

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Celorado, this 28th day of April, 1943.

(Decision No. 20835)

#### DEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ALFRED ARCHULETA, 620 MADISON ST., MONTE VISTA, COLORADO, FOR A CLASS "B" PERMIT TO OPERATE AS A PRIVATE CARRIER BY MOTOR VEHICLE FOR HIRE.

APPLICATION NO. 6289-PP

April 28, 1943.

Appearances: Alfred Archuleta, Monte Vista, Colorado, <u>pro se;</u> A. J. Tait, Denver, Colorado, for Rio Grande Motor Way, Inc.; Conour and Conour, Del Norte, Colorado, attorneys for J. P. Wiederkehr.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

As limited by the testimony offered at the hearing, at Alamosa, Colorade, on March 25, 1943, applicant herein seeks authority to operate as a Glass "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of potatoes to Monte Vista from farms within the area extending five miles west, and fifteen miles north, east, and south of Monte Vista, and dehydrated potatoes from dehydrating plant in Monte Vista, to railroad cars, also freight from depot in Monte Vista to said dehydrating plant.

It developed that the dehydrating plant in question is operated by the Dehydrating Division of the Wisconsin-Michigan Steamship Company for the Gevernment; that potatoes move to the plant in Monte Vista; that, ordinarily, they are not handled by applicant, but he seeks the authority here asked to move potatoes from farms to Monte Vista in order to care for emergency hauls. It also developed that Monte Vista is a home-ruled city; that the movement of freight to the plant, and processed potatoes from the plant to railread cars, is within the city limits, and therefore not under the jurisdiction of the Commission.

The operating experience and pecuniary responsibility of applicant were established to the satisfaction of the Commission.

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After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that applicant should be authorized to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of potatoes to plant of said Company at Monte Vista from farms within the area extending five miles west, and fifteen miles north, east and south of Monte Vista; that said application, in all other respects, should be denied.

# ORDER

#### IT IS ORDERED:

That Alfred Archuleta, Monte Vista, Colorado, should be, and he hereby is, authorized to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of potatoes to plant of Dehydrating Division, Wisconsin-Michigan Steamship Company, only, at Monte Vista from farms within the area extending five miles west, and fifteen miles north, east and south of Monte Vista.

All operations hereunder shall be strictly contract operations, the Commission retaining jurisdiction to make such amendments to this permit deemed advisable.

This order is the permit herein provided for, but it shall not become effective until applicant has filed a statement of his customers, copies of all special contracts or memoranda of their terms, the necessary tariffs, required insurance, and has secured identification cards.

The right of applicant to operate hereunder shall depend upon his compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of the Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government.

That said application, in all other respects, should be, and the same hereby is, denied.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 28th day of April, 1943. aissioners

(Decision No. 20836)

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# BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF JASPER FRANCISCO, BOX 301, DEL NORTE, COLORADO, FOR A CLASS "B" PERMIT TO OPERATE AS A PRIVATE CARRIER BY MOTOR VEHICLE FOR HIRE.

APPLICATION NO. 6263-PP

April 29, 1943.

Appearances: Tony Valdez, Del Norte, Colorado, for the applicant; Conour and Conour, Del Norte, Colorado, for J. P. Wiederkehr, E. T. Walker, and James Ashton; A. J. Tait, Denver, Colorado, for Rio Grande Motor Way, Inc.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

As limited by the testimony offered at the hearing in Alamosa, Colorado, on March 11, 1943, applicant herein seeks authority to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of sugar beets between points within a radius of twenty-five miles of Del Norte; head lettuce, cauliflower, peas, and spinach, from farms in the same area to loading sheds in said radius, and potatoes from points within a radius of twenty-five miles of Del Norte to warehouses in Del Norte, and from said warehouses to loading points within a radius of two miles of Del Norte.

There was no objection to the granting of the authority sought for the transportation of sugar bests, lettuce, and other vegetables, as stated.

As to potatoes, it appeared that applicant, for some time, has been employed by Evans Produce Company at Del Norte; that occasionally during times when other carriers seemingly were not available, he, with the approval of the Commission, hauled potatoes from the warehouse of Evans

Produce Company in Del Norte to railroad loading track, about two miles from the city, and has hauled a few loads of potatoes in emergencies from farms to the warehouse in order to fill a car. At the warehouse, potatoes are graded, washed, sacked, and otherwise prepared for shipment.

Mr. Evens, of Evens Produce Company, urged that the application be granted. He stated that his concern has a large warehouse in Lel Norte, which has a capacity of 15,000 sacks. After the potatoes are ready for shipment, it has been necessary in the past to move them to railroad loading track, about two miles distant. Besides Francisco, Private Carriers Ferris, Denton, Martinez and Gonzales Brothers, and Wiederkehr, a common carrier, have, at times, handled potatoes to the railroad cars. He has one truck, which he is not able to use for that purpose because it has been used in the warehouse to handle potatoes to the washers and return. A new siding is now being constructed at the warehouse, which will be com-pleted in about two weeks. It is to be 1396 feet in length, and after it is constructed, potatoes probably will be loaded at that siding, which will shorten the hauling materially, and probably make it unnecessary to use the public highways in the service. All potatoes, at this time, are moving from his plant to government warehouses. He stated that he had not been satisfied with the services of Messrs. Ferris, Denton, Martinez, and Gonzales Brothers for a number of reasons. He added that the handling of potatoes involves more than the mere movement in the trucks; that he never has any "kick-backs" on the cars that are loaded by Francisco; that potatoes must be handled so as not to bruise them; they also must be properly counted out, properly loaded in the cars, and accurately counted after loading; that on shipments to the government, if one car is short, a tremendous amount of work is involved in settling the matter; that government shipments require 6 bills of lading, 6 bills and 3 telegrams, and if anything, even a minor detail, is wrong with the shipment, they must start all over again; that 98% of the shipments move outside of the state; that he requires services of a carrier who is available at all times; that Francisco is willing to stay on the job and devote his time to the business of Evans; that, at times, he has called carriers

to perform service, and has been compelled to wait until the next day to get it; that if Francisco is unable to get authority, he, Evans, will be compelled to buy another truck.

On cross-examination, it was suggested by counsel for protestants that the difficulty between Wiederkehr, whose services Evans had admitted were satsifactory, and Evans, was the rate. Evans stated that while Wiederkehr's service was satisfactory, he was unable to pay five cents a sack out of the small commission that he received for handling potatoes; that Francisco was willing to handle them for two cents a sack for a distance of two miles or less, inasmuch as he furnished Francisco two men to help load and unload; that Francisco had been able, in eight to ten hours, to move 840 sacks in seven trips, which figured \$16.80 for the use of his truck a distance of 28 miles, and his services for the same period.

In opposition, Mr. Wiederkehr stated that he maintained five trucks to haul farm products and other commodities in the area he is authorized to serve, which includes the territory Francisco is asking to serve; that he is willing to haul potatoes, if Mr. Evans will pay the prescribed rate; that a year ago last fall, he hauled a load two miles, and had to wait for the load; that he was on duty five hours -- from 1:00 o'clock to 6:00 o'clock; that the inspector turned down the load, and he was required to unload and start over; that, on another occasion, he was called after supper, moved 80 sacks out of a car and moved 80 from the warehouse to the car; that Mr. Evans thought he should handle it for two cents each way; that he charged three cents a sack, or \$4.80 for moving the 80 sacks of potatoes each way; that he is unable to make a profit out of the amount that Evans is willing to pay. His tariff was made a part of the record, and shows that rate for moving potatoes from fields to cellars, sheds, or storage or shippers' premises, 1 mile and under, is 3 cents per sack; from field, sheds or cellars to town, shipping or storage points, 6 miles or under, the rate is 5cents per sack; 10 miles and over 6 miles, the rate is 6 cents; 15 miles and over 10 miles, the

rate is 7 cents per sack. He added that besides the five flat trucks and one dump truck he maintains, Gonzales Brothers have four or five trucks, McClanahan has one truck, Martinez has two trucks, Walker has four trucks, and that a number of other truckers without authority are hauling potatoes.

Art Valesquez, who is employed by Gonzales Brothers, stated that Gonzales Brothers had been unable to make money off the Evans potato haul at the rates Mr. Evans paid.

It will be observed that for the haul from the car to the warehouse, and warehouse to the car, under his tariff, Mr. Wiederkehr should have received 5 cents per sack. Apparently, he gave Mr. Evans the benefit of the rate from field or storage points to the warehouse of 3 cents per sack.

It would seem that no useful purpose would be served by granting Francisco authority to haul potatoes. He could not haul them for 2 cents a sack. Mr. Evans stated that he cannot pay more than 2 cents per sack. It would, therefore, seem that his remedy is to buy a truck, as he suggests, and do his own hauling. If we granted the permit to Francisco, in order to continue employment under Mr. Evans, it would be necessary for him to violate the law. If the rate is too high, Mr. Evans should file a complaint against the rate and the Commission can determine whether the rate should or should not be reduced.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that Jasper Francisco should be authorized to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire with authority as hereinafter set forth.

#### ORDER

#### IT IS ORDERED:

That Jasper Francisco, Del Norte, Colorado, should be, and he hereby is, authorized to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of lettuce, pees, cauliflower and

spinach from farms within a radius of twenty-five miles of Del Norte, 'Colorado, to shipping sheds in said area, and sugar beets from fields in said area to beet dumps in the same radius.

All operations hereunder shall be strictly contract operations, the Commission retaining jurisdiction to make such amendments to this permit deemed advisable.

This order is the permit herein provided for, but it shall not become effective until applicant has filed a statement of his customers, copies of all special contracts or memoranda of their terms, the necessary tariffs, required insurance, and has secured identification cards.

The right of applicant to operate hereunder shall depend upon his compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of the Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government.

That said application, in all other respects, should be, and the same hereby is, denied.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 29th day of April, 1943.

Commissioners.

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#### BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF JOSEPH ELLSWORTH DENTON, DEL NORTE, COLORADO, FOR A CLASS "B" PERMIT TO OPERATE AS A PRIVATE CARRIER BY MOTOR VEHICLE FOR HIRE.

APPLICATION NO. 6264-PP

April 29, 1943.

Appearances: Joseph Ellsworth Denton, Del Norte, Colorado, <u>pro se;</u> Conour and Conour, Del-Norte, Colorado, for E. T. Walker and J. P. Wiederkehr; A. J. Tait, Denver, Colorado, for Rio Grande Motor Way, Inc.

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

As limited by the testimony offered at the hearing in Alamosa, Colorado, on March 11, 1943, applicant herein seeks authority to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of farm produce, except livestock, between points within the area extending 20 miles north, 4 miles south, 16 miles east, and 25 miles west of Del Norte, without the right to haul said commodities between towns.

Applicant stated that during the 1942 harvest season, he was unable to get transportation service for movement of his crops; that, although he made arrangements with Mr. Wiederkehr to haul for him, he then purchased a truck to haul his potatees, and now seeks authority to haul for hire, in order to keep Mis truck busy when his farming operations do not require use of the truck; that, during harvest season last year, he hauled some grain and some potatees for his neighbors under an emergency permit from the Commission; that if the permit herein sought is granted, he expects to operate during the vegetable season around Del Norte, and to haul grain and potatees, when these crops are moving, for any farmer whe needs his service, as he expects to hold himself

out to serve everyone. He stated that, at the time he had the emergency permit, he left word at the potato sheds, grocery stores, pool hall, and other places, that if his service was needed, he was available.

It was suggested by protestants that the service applicant seeks to perform is that of a common carrier, and that the application should be denied.

It is true that applicant indicated that he expected to hold himself out to serve everyone who needed his service. That, he cannot do under a Contract Carrier Permit. If he should be granted the permit here mought, he would be compelled to limit his service to contract customers -that is, those with whom he had contracts for service duly approved by the Commission prior to performing the work.

Under the showing made, we cannot grant the permit. Should applicant, after due consideration, be of the opinion that he could conduct his operations within the rules of the Commission governing operations of private carriers, he should make application for rehearing, and submit further testimony, if it appears that there may be room for additional for-hire service during the harvest season in the Del Norte area.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that the application should be denied.

# ORDER

#### IT IS ORDERED:

That the above-styled application be, and the same hereby is, denied.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES CONDISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 29th day of April, 1943.

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#### BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ) O. R. CLAUNCH, LA JARA, COLORADO, ) FOR A CLASS "B" PERMIT TO OPERATE ) AS A PRIVATE CARRIER BY MOTOR VE- ) HICLE FOR HIRE. )

APPLICATION NO. 6288-PP

April 29, 1943.

Appearances: O. R. Claunch, La Jara, Colorado, <u>pro se;</u> Conour and Conour, Del Norte, Colorado, for E. T. Walker, James Ashton and E. B. Faus; A. J. Tait, Denver, Colorado, for Rio Grande Motor Way, Inc.

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

The above-styled matter was called for hearing at Alamosa, Colorade, on March 25, 1943, pursuant to prior setting.

Applicant asked that the application be dismissed, without prejudice.

The request was taken under advisement.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said application should be dismissed without prejudice.

ORDER

#### IT IS ORDERED:

That the above-styled application be, and the same hereby is, dismissed, without prejudice.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF GOLORADO lone 10 Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 29th day of April, 1943.

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(Decision No. 20839)

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### BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLOFADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ) A. L. OVERMYER, 1305 EAST QUINCY STREET, ENGLEWOOD, COLORADO, FOR A CLASS "A" PERMIT TO OPERATE AS A APPLICATION NO. 6251-PP PRIVATE CARRIER BY MOTOR VEHICLE FOR HIRE. \_ \_ \_ \_ April 29, 1943. . . . . . . . . . . . Appearances: A. L. Overmyer, Englewood, Colorido, pro se; Conour and Conour, Esqs., Del Norte, Colorado, for James E. Ashton, E. T. Walker; T. A. White, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for Rio Grande Motor Way, Inc.; A. J. Fregeau, Denver, Colorado, for Weicker Transfer and Storage Company; Allumbaugh and Williams, Ordway, Colorado, pro se;

Marion F. Jones, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for Gately Motor Co.

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

On December 16, 1942, A. L. Overmyer, Englewood, Colorado, filed his application to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of hay and grain, mules and horses, between points in Colorado and U. S. Army Camps, cantonments, reservations, fields, and other Government-operated projects in Colorado, for the duration of the present war.

The matter was set for hearing, and heard, in Denver, Colorado, on January 25, 1943.

On February 19, 1943, by Decision No. 20511, upon application of James E. Ashton and Edward T. Walker, who had not received notice of hearing, the Commission entered its order, reopening said matter for further hearing, with the proviso that all evidence taken on January 25,

1943, be stricken, and that the matter be set for hearing in Alamosa, Colorado, on March 11, 1943.

A copy of said order, with the notice of setting therein contained, was served upon all other parties in interest known to the Commission.

The hearing was duly had in Alamosa, Colorado, on March 11, 1943, the time designated. Notwithstanding said setting and notice, said applicant failed to appear.

It there developed that Ashton, Walker, Faus and Postel, who operate approximately fifteen trucks, have authority to haul hay from the San Luis Valley to Camp Hale at Leadville; that Ashton and Walker's application to reopen this matter was filed because of their desire to furnish said service; that they have been hauling hay from the upper part of the San Luis Valley to said camp, Ashton employing, at times, as many as four trucks in said service; that they are able to furnish all service for the transportation of hay that may be required; that service is adequate.

Notwithstanding testimony taken in Denver at the hearing on January 25, 1943, was required to be resubmitted at the hearing in Alamosa, Colorado, the Commission is of the opinion that no useful purpose would be served by standing on the provisions of said order; that the testimony taken in Denver, except insofar as it involves operations from the San Luis Valley, should be considered.

It there appeared that applicant has been requested to haul hay to United States Army Camps, and other government-operated projects in the State of Colorado, for the duration of the war. Applicant agreed that he would not interfere with the line haul service of Rio Grande Motor Way, and thereupon, Mr. Tait, traffic manager of said company, stated that Notor Way was not opposed to the application, as limited. He further agreed to eliminate transportation of mules and horses and thereupon Mr. Jones, for Gately Motor Company, withdrew objections.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that applicant should be authorized to transport hay and grain to Army camps and other government-operated projects in the

in the State of Colorado from points in the state, except from points in the San Luis Valley or points within the call and demand territory of Allumbaugh and Williams, POC No. 369, who are authorized to transport:

> freight from Pueblo and Sugar City, Colorado, and intermediate points, and between points on said route and farms within a radius of fifteen miles of Ordway and within a radius of five miles of other towns, east of Boone, Colorado; livestock, used household goods, used farm machinery and equipment in connection with the movement of farmers between points in their present authorized territory under PUC No. 369 and to and from points in said territory, from and to points in the State of Colorado; provided no authority is granted to pick up commodities on US Highway No. 50, with the exception of livestock,

and between points served by line haul motor vehicle carriers, singly or in combination.

ORDER

#### IT IS ORDERED:

That A. L. Overmyer, Englewood, Colorado, be, and he hereby is, authorized to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of hay to Army camps and other governmentoperated projects in the State of Colorado from points in the state, except from points in the San Luis Valley or points within the call and demand territory of Allumbaugh and Williams Truck Line (PUC No. 369), or between points served by line haul motor vehicle carriers, singly or in combination.

All operations hereunder shall be strictly contract operations, the Commission retaining jurisdiction to make such amendments to this permit deemed advisable.

This order is the permit herein provided for, but it shall not become effective until applicant has filed a statement of his customers, copies of all special contracts or memoranda of their terms, the necessary tariffs, required insurance, and has secured identification cards.

The right of applicant to operate hereunder shall depend upon his compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

That said application, in all other respects, should be, and the same hereby is, denied.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of the Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government. This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 29th day of April, 1943.

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

| RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF<br>CASEY JONES MARKET<br>Ft Morgan, Colorade | F)<br>) PERMIT NO. <b>C-9159</b><br>)<br>) |
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| ,                                                                           | <u>April 29, 1943</u><br>S T A T E M E N T |

By the Commission:

|        | The   | Commissio  | on is  | in  | receipt | of | a comm | unication | fr  | om         | •   |
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|        | Case  | y Jones M  | arket  |     | ******  |    | of     | Ft Norg   | an  | Colorado   | • • |
| reques | sting | g that his | B Peri | nit | No      |    | C-9159 | )         | .be | cancelled. |     |

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

# ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-9159, heretofore issued to. Casey Jones Market of Ft Morgen, Colorade be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 13, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 29th day of April , 19.43

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF )

PERMIT NO. B-2837

April 29, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

J. C. JONES

Ft Morgan, Colorado

| The Commission is in receipt of a | a communication from      |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|
| J. C. Jones                       | of Ft Morgan , Colorade , |
| requesting that his Permit No     | B-2837 be cancelled.      |

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

# ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. B-2837, heretofore issued to....J. C. Jones of Ft Mergan, Colorado be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 13, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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| La  | Veta,  | Colorad | 0 |              |

PERMIT NO.

0-3966

April 29, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

| The Commission is in receipt of  | a communication | from          |
|----------------------------------|-----------------|---------------|
| Heward's Lumber & Supply Company | of La Veta      | Colorado      |
| requesting that his Permit No    | C-3966          | be cancelled. |

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

## ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-3966 , heretofore issued to Howard's Lumber & Supply Company of La Veta, Colorado be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 11, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 29th day of April , 19 43.

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF )

| G. N. POLHEMUS                           | ) | PERMIT NO. | <b>G-4438</b> |
|------------------------------------------|---|------------|---------------|
| 1000 S. 9th St.,<br>Canon City, Colorado | ) | · ·        | t<br>A        |
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April 29, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

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| G       | . N | . Poll | homus |      |     |         |        |   | .of. | 1000   | ) 8 | 3. | 9th  | st., | Canon     | City, | Colorado |
| request | ing | ; that | , his | Perm | nit | No      | ****** |   |      |        |     |    |      |      |           |       | <b>,</b> |

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

# ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-4438, heretofore issued to G. M. Polhemus of 1000 S. 9th St., Canon City, Colorado be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 2, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_ April \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_43

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF )

PERMIT NO.

6-11019

SMITH LAMBER & CONSTRUCTION COMPANY Steamboat Springs, Colorado

April 29, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

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After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

## ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No....C-11019, heretofore issued to...Smith Lumber & Construction Company of Steamboat Springs, Colerado be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 19, 1943

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 29th day of April , 19 43

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| RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS           | OF )                   |       |
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| HARRY EPSTEIN<br>Ft. Morgan, Colorado | ) PERMIT NO.<br>)<br>) | C-358 |
|                                       |                        |       |
|                                       | April 29, 1943         |       |
|                                       | STATEMENT              |       |

By the Commission:

| The        | Commission | is in  | receipt | of | a    | communication fr | om         |
|------------|------------|--------|---------|----|------|------------------|------------|
| Herry      | Epstein    |        |         |    | •••• | of Ft. Morgan    | Colorado,  |
| requesting | g that his | Permit | No      |    |      | <b>C-358</b>     | cancelled. |

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

## ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-358, heretofore issued to Harry Epstein of Ft. Morgan, Colorado be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 7, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 29th day of April , 19 43

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF )

R. N. MASON & SON INC. 110 W. 1st St., La Junta, Colorado PERMIT NO. G-5777

April 29, 1943

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By the Commission:

|    | The         | Commis  | ssion | is  | in | receipt | of | a    | com | muni | cat:      | ion | from |      |       |     | ••••••• |    |
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| R. | <u>N. N</u> | lason d | k Son | Inc | •  |         |    | •••• | .of | 110  | <b>W.</b> | lst | st.  | , La | Junta | , ( | Colora  | do |
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After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER ·

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. <u>C-5777</u>, heretofore issued to <u>R. N. Mason & Son Inc. of 110 W. 1st St., La Junta, Colorado</u> be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective <u>March 26, 1943</u>

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF )

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J. D. STONE Granada, Colorado

PERMIT NO. C-5785

## April 29, 1943

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By the Commission:

| Th       | e Commi | ission  | is in  | receipt  | of a     | a comm | nunication        | fro   | n          | ****** | •• |
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| J        | . D. St | one     |        | •••••••• |          | of     | .Granada          |       |            |        | ,  |
| requesti | ng that | t his 1 | Permit | No       | <u> </u> | 5785   | ***************** | .be d | cancelled. |        |    |

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

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and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 24, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 29th day of April , 19.43.

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF )

PAUL DASHNER Lamar, Colorado PERMIT NO. C-1292

April 29, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

| The Commission is in receipt of a | communication fr | om       |
|-----------------------------------|------------------|----------|
| Paul Dashner                      | of               | Colorado |
| requesting that his Permit No     |                  |          |

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF )

H. F. MORRISON & SONS

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2303 Mapleton Boulder, Colorado PERMIT NO. C-7284

April 29, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from.....

| H. F. Morrison & Sons         | of 2303 Mapleton       | Boulder, Colorado |
|-------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------|
| requesting that his Permit No | <b>C-7284</b> be cance | lled.             |

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

## ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C. 7284, heretofore issued to H. F. Morrison & Sons of 2303 Mapleton, Boulder, Colorado be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 29, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO 1228V

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 29th day of April , 19 43

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## BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF )

L. R. POBANZ Sterling, Colorado PERMIT NO. C-13102

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April 30, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

| The Commission is in rec       | eipt of a communication f | `rom     |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------|----------|
| L. R. Pobans                   | of Sterling               | Colorado |
| requesting that his Permit No. | C-13102                   | •        |

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-13102, heretofore issued to L. R. Pobans of Sterling, Colorado be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 22, 1943

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THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF

C. R. HENDRIKSON Rocky Ford, Colorado

APPLICATION NO. 6253-PP

April 30, 1943

### STATEMENT

the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from G. R. Hendrikson of Rocky Ford, Colorado requesting that the authority granted in Application 6253-FP, Decision No. 20250 be cancelled.

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

## ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That the authority granted in Application No. 6253-PP, Decision No. 20250, heretofore issued to C. R. Hendrikson be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 26, 1943.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION THE STATE OF ADO COLORCol issioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 30th day of April, 1943

(Decision No. 20853

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### BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF )

PERMIT NO. C-272

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JOHN W. FINNELL Moffat, Colorado

April 30, 1943

<u>S T A T E M E N T</u>

By the Commission:

| The        | Commission is in  | receipt of a communication fr | °om   |
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| John W.    | Finnell           | Moffet, Cole                  | rado, |
| requesting | g that his Permit | No                            |       |

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-272, heretofore issued to John W. Finnell of Moffat, Colorade be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 1, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 30th day of April , 19 43

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF )

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PERMIT NO. B-2901

April 30, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

| The   | Commissi | on is | in 1 | receipt | of     | a communicat  | ion fro | om       |   |
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| C. H. | Parr     |       |      |         | ****** | of RFD#       | 1       | Purcell, |   |
| 1     |          |       |      |         |        | <b>B-2901</b> |         | •        | • |

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

## ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. B-2901, heretofore issued to C. H. Parr of R F D #1, Purcell, Oklahoma be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 1, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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this 30th day of April , 19.43

(Decision No.

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## BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF )

DELMAR J. MCINTOSH 2342 - 7th St., Denver, Colorado

PERMIT NO. C-13348

April 30, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

| The Commission is in receip   | t of a communication | on fr        | om          | ****       |
|-------------------------------|----------------------|--------------|-------------|------------|
| Delmar J. McIntosh            | of 2342 -            | <b>.</b> 7th | St., Denver | , Colorado |
| requesting that his Permit No | C-13348              | be           | cancelled.  |            |

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

# ORDER

to Delmar J. McIntosh of 2342 - 7th St., Denver, Colorado .....be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 8, 1943

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this \_\_\_\_\_ day of April \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF )

| <br>J. MeINTOSH<br>7th St., |
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| , Colorado                  |

PERMIT NO. B-2673

April 30, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

| The Commission is in receipt of a | communication from                  |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Delmar J. McIntosh                | of 2342 - 7th St., Denver, Colorado |
| requesting that his Permit No     |                                     |

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

# ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. B-2673, heretofore issued to Delmar J. McIntosh of 2342 - 7th St., Denver, Colerade be, and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 8, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO ram

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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30th day of April , 19 43

(Decision No. 20857 )

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF )

PERMIT NO. C-13514

SPEAROW EQUIPMENT COMPANY 1412 - 10th Ave., Sidney, Nebraska

April 30, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

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THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION THE STATE OF COLORADO com all

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 30th day of April 19 43.

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RE MOTOR VÉHICLE OPERATIONS OF )

PERMIT NO. C-11675

April 30, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

R. R. FLENING

1610 S. San Juan, La Junta, Colorado

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from......

| R. R. Fleming                | of 1610 S. | San |   | • | Colorado       |
|------------------------------|------------|-----|---|---|----------------|
| requesting that his Permit N | G-11675    |     | · |   | ····· <b>,</b> |

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

## ORDER

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 22, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_ April \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_3

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF )

JOHN W. CANESON Ignacio, Celorado PERMIT NO. C-11106

April 30, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

| The        | Commission | n is ir | n receipt | of a | communication | from   | ******************************** |   |
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| John W.    | Carlson    |         |           |      | Ignacio       |        | Colorado                         |   |
| requesting | z that his | Permit  | No        | C-   | 11106         | .be ca | •                                | , |

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

# ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-11106, heretofore issued to John W. Carlson of Ignacio, Celorade be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 3, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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(Decision No. 20860)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION , OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION ) OF MIKE JOSEPH, SAN LUIS, COLORADO, ) FOR A CLASS "B" PERMIT TO OPERATE ) AS A PRIVATE CARRIER BY MOTOR VEHICLE) FOR HIRE. )

APPLICATION NO. 6277-PP

May 1, 1943.

Appearances: Leonard Haynie, Esq., Alamosa, Colorado, for the applicant; Conour and Conour, Esqs., Del Norte, Colorado, for E. T. Walker, James Ashton, and E. B. Faus;
A. J. Tait, Denver, Colorado, for Rio Grande Motor Way, Inc.;
A. J. Fregeau, Denver, Colorado, for Weicker Transfer and Storage Company;
J. E. Pound, Esq., Alamosa, Colorado, for Joe Gallegos.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

As limited by the testimony offered at the hearing, and the application as amended thereat, Mike Joseph herein seeks authority to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of grain, vegetables, livestock, used household goods and furniture, scrap iron and scrap rubber, from farms within a radius of twenty-five miles of San Luis, Colorado, to Fort Garland, Alamosa, Fueblo, and Walsenburg; coal from mines in Huerfano County, lumber from mills near San Pablo and La Veta Pass, to points in said area, and household goods and furniture between points in said twenty-five-mile radius.

Applicant stated that he wanted to haul for everyone in his community, and intended to hold himself out as willing to so operate; that he has four trucks, being an International and a Chevrolet equipped with grain bodies, a dump truck, and a motor fuel tank truck; that he has been operating a filling station, and also has a Commercial Carrier

Permit. under which he has bought and sold coal and some other commodities; that, if the permit is granted, he expects to haul grain and vegetables in the summer and fall from fieled to railroad loading points and to Pueblo; that, during the grain harvest, he will haul grain for the farmers to Alamosa; that under his "C" permit, he has been buying scrap iron and rubber, which he resold in Fueblo, and under the same permit, he has bought coal in Walsenburg and resold it in the San Luis area. Movement of household goods will be for farmers, chiefly from ranch to ranch, town to ranch, and ranch to town. Lumber he will back-haul from the mills mentioned in the application. He expects to obtain, and to keep going will require, a gross business of \$300 to \$500 monthly. Upon cross-examination, he stated that the bulk of the people in Costilla County live in the San Luis area; that Faus, and his predecessor in interest, have operated in the territory for some time; that they have a line haul service; that the bulk of his business will be the movement of coal throughout the year, grain in the summer months, potatoes and vegetables in the fall.

In opposition, Mr. Faus, of the Faus Transportation Company, described the various for-hire carrier services that are available. His Company has a common carrier certificate, and can handle:

> livestock and other farm products, farm supplies, farm equipment and machinery, and used household goods and furnishings, between points within the area extending 15 miles north, 15 miles west of San Luis and to the crest of the Culebra Range on the east, and from the Colorado-New Mexico state line on the south, and from and to points in said area, to and from points in the State of Colorado,

and operates a line haul service for the transportation of freight in intrastate commerce for the transportation of:

> livestock and other farm products and household goods from San Acacio, Mesite, Jarosa, Garcia, San Pablo, Chama and San Luis and the vicinities thereof to Pueblo and intermediate points, including Walsenburg; merchandise and freight generally, from Pueblo and intermediate points to San Luis, San Pablo, Chama, San Acacio, Jarosa and Garcia, with the right to interchange freight with other line haul common carriers destined to or from said points.

The San Luis territory also is served in whole or in part by Joe F. Gallegos, PUC 1152, N. A. Jones, PUC 353, Aragon Truck Line, PUC 914, James Ashton, PUC No. 1313.

Mr. Faus stated that his company operates regularly on schedule between Pueblo and Taos, via San Luis; that he has twenty-five units; that, during the summer he has hauled vegetables from the area to Pueblo, Denver, and other points in Colorado; that he did not haul locally from farms to railroad loading points during the last season, because no one sought his service; that when requested, he has made deliveries from Denver and Pueblo directly to the ranch if desired, and similarly has picked up at the ranches or farms and made deliveries to Denver and Pueblo; that he has moved furniture from ranch to ranch in said district; that, in his opinion, he thought the common carrier service now available was more than adequate to handle the business, and stated that the line haul service could not stand the loss of any business and continue to furnish service needed by the communities for the transportation of necessary food, merchandise, and household and farm equipment and supplies.

Inasmuch as applicant indicated that the service he proposes to render is that of a common carrier, and not of a private carrier, and that he will need business from practically all the people in his community to keep going, we cannot grant a permit to operate as a private carrier for hire. The record indicates that there may be some inadequacy of service for the movement of grain, potatoes, and vegetables during harvest season. Should applicant, after consideration, be of the opinion that he could operate as a private carrier and conform to our rules and regulations governing such operations, he can apply for further hearing. Perhaps the facts developed at such hearing may show that private carrier permit should issue to him for the transportation of grain, potatoes and vegetables during the harvest season, although considering limited opportunities for business, Gallegos, Aragon, Faus, Mestas, and

other carriers operating should be able to handle it.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said application should be denied.

## <u>ORDER</u>

#### IT IS ORDERED:

That the above-entitled application should be, and the same hereby is, denied.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLOLADO er

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 1st day of May, 1943.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF L. C. LE BLANC AND ROBERT LE BLANC, CROOK, COLORADO, DOING BUSINESS AS "L. C. AND ROBERT LE BLANC," FOR A CLASS "B" PERMIT TO OPERATE AS A PREVATE GARRIER BY NOTOR VEHICLE FOR HIRE.

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あるいたな (1995) - 1月1日 APPLICATION NO. 6297-PP

**My** 1, 1943

Appearances: L. C. LeBlanc, Crook, Colorado, pro se; Robert LeBlanc, Groek, Colorado, pro se; Marion F. Jones, Esq.; Denver, Colorado, for F. V. and J. H. Hellbusch, Loster Saith, William Blankenbeckler, E. F. Anderson, Hawking Transfer, Paul Hickman.

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By the Commission:

L. C. LoBland and Robert Le Bland, co-partners, doing business as "L. C. and Robert LoBland," Grook, Colorado, herein sock authority to operate as Glass "B" private curriers by mater vehicle for hire for the Managertation of farm products, including livestock, between points within a fifty-mile radius of Grook, Colorado.

At the hearing, in Sterling, Colstande, on April 13, 1943, the evidence disclosed that Mr. L. C. LeBlane 18 a farmer, living eight miles merthwest of Grook and mine miles mortheast of Proctor. His son, Rebert LeBlanc, resides with him; that they farm 300 acres of land, 100 of which is in grain, the balance in beets and other farm crops; that they ilse feed livestock; that they purchased a truck last fall because they were mable to get service for movement of grain when they wanted it; that the againment of truckers contacted, most of the time, was out of spine? Mr. L. C. LoBlane stated that if he procured the permit, he expected to serve the public, generally, and would handle business on over-night requests — otherwise he might delay the follow who wants service; that he would not want others to wait for him; that he expects to actively selicit business, and to get all the business that he can, and will take care of it; that he has hauled a load of grain now and then for meighbors when the neighbors could not get other service, and by them was puid what they thought the service was worth. He also stated that the equipment of Mr. Hellbusch was very peer; that stock racks would not held cattle, and that the grain beds are not tight; that Hellbusch has to place blankets en the floor in order to keep grain from leaking.

His son, Robert LeBland, stated that during harvest time, many trucks were meeded; that he thought they would want to operate ever a fifty-mile area at this time of the year, the balance of the time, a twenty-mile radius of Grook would enable them to keep busy.

The application was opposed by Common Carriers Smith, Hollbusch, Blankenbeckler, Anderson, Hawkins, and Mickman.

Mr. Lester Smith testified that he served practically all the area applicants want to serve; that he headquarters at Sterling; that he has two trucks — one a semi, the other a 1939 GMC with a 14-feet grain bax; that Hellbusch, at Creek, has two trucks, Hawkins, at Peets, has two trucks; that all carriers would be willing to use Ie Blancs' equipment as emergency equipment when volume of business required such use; that, ordinarily, such occasions occur only during harvest season.

Mrs. Hellbusch, testifying for her husband, who operates under PUS No. 818, stated that they have authority to serve within a radius of twenty-five miles of Greek; that they have two trucks; that Greek is a small community, and in her judgment, there is not enough business to justify the granting of authority to another carrier; that, at the time of the hearing, one of the two trucks owned by them was idle; that, during harvest seasen, Hellbusch could use more trucks, but would be willing to use Le Blancs' trucks as emergency equipment.

From the record, it appears that the equipment of Mr. Hellburch is not in good order. While it may be difficult to get new equipment, it would seem that since the chief complaint about Hellburch's equipment is defects in the bodies, both stock racks and grain beds, the equipment could be repaired and placed in good order. This condition may be due to Mr. Hellburch's incapacity, he having broken a log some time ago. We suggest that his equipment should be placed in good repair.

The testimony perhaps would justify the granting of private carrier authority to haul grain and livestock in a limited area around the home of applicants. However, applicants, although they have asked for private carrier authority, do not want to engage in that type of service. They stated that they want to serve the public, generally, and to be in a position to serve everyone on call, without delay. As private carriers, they could not serve in such capacity, but could serve only a limited number of customers, with whom they have contracts, and then only after said contracts have been approved by the Commission. They could, from time to time, add additional customers, but they would not be able to serve those customers until after the contracts were forwarded to the Commission and approval had.

Therefore, after careful considention of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that the service sought to be perfermed by applicants is that of a common carrier, and that application for private carrier authority should be denied.

#### ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That the above-styled application should be, and the same haveby is, denied.

That this order shall become effective twenty (20) days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMISSION OF THE STATE OF GOLGRADO na

Dated at Denver, Celerade, this lat day of May, 1943.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF RICHARD JAMES TOOLE, CRAIG, COLORADO, FOR A CLASS "A" PRIVATE CARRIER PERMIT.

APPLICATION NO. 6302-PP

May 1, 1943.

Appearances: Richard James Toole, Craig, Colorado, pro se.

#### STATEMENT

By the Commission:

Applicant, Richard James Toole, Craig, Colorado, herein seeks authority to operate as a Class "A" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of gasoline, only, over U. S. Highway No. 40 from Texaco Refinery, one mile west of Craig, Colorado, to Moffat County Cooperative Service Station, one-fourth mile east of Craig, Colorado.

No one appeared at the hearing in Steamboat Springs, Colorado, on April 20, 1943, in opposition to the granting of the authority sought, and R. B. "Dick" Wilson, Walter Utsinger, J. J. Stanton, and Nelson Brothers, in writing, waived objections to the granting of the authority.

The operating experience and pecuniary responsibility of applicant were established to the satisfaction of the Commission.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that the authority sought should be granted.

#### ORDER

#### IT IS ORDERED:

That Richard James Toole, Craig, Colorado, should be, and he hereby is, authroized to operate as a Class "A" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of gasoline, only, over U. S. Highway No. 40 from Texaco Refinery, one mile west of Craig, Colorado, to

Moffat County Cooperative Service Station, one-fourth mile east of Craig, Colorado.

All operations hereunder shall be strictly contract operations, the Commission retaining jurisdiction to make such amendments to this permit deemed advisable.

This order is the permit herein provided for, but it shall not become effective until applicant has filed a statement of his customers, copies of all special contracts or memoranda of their terms, the necessary tariffs, required insurance, and has secured identification cards.

The right of applicant to operate hereunder shall depend upon his compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of the Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 1st day of April, 1943.

(Decision No. 20863)

#### BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ) G. A. WILLIAMSON, OVID, COLORADO, ) FOR AUTHORITY TO TRANSFER PUC NO. ) 1205 TO EUGENE B. DeMANCHE, OVID, ) COLORADO. )

APPLICATION NO. 4447-A

May 1, 1943.

Appearances: Eugene B. DeManche, Ovid, Colorado, for applicants; T. A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the Common Carrier Division of The Colorado Motor Carriers' Association.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

By Decision No. 11652, of date March 31, 1938, Lowe Williamson was authorized to operate as a common carrier by motor vehicle for hire, with authority to conduct a general cartage and transfer business, and for the transportation, not on schedule, of:

> general freight between points within a radius of five miles of (and including) Ovid, Colorado, and the transportation of building materials and supplies for the Sterling Lumber Company, only, from and to, to and from, Ovid, Sterling and Julesburg, with the proviso that for the transportation of all freight, except furniture and household goods, between points served by scheduled motor vehicle or railroad common carriers, rates should be charged, in all cases, which are at least twenty per cent in excess of those charged by said scheduled carriers, and rates for transportation of furniture and household goods to be not less than those provided in tariff of the Colorado Transfer and Warehousemen's Association on file with the Commission.

He now seeks authority to transfer said certificate to Eugene

B. De Manche, Ovid, Colorado.

At the hearing, in Sterling, Colorado, on April 13, 1943,

it appeared that the consideration for the transfer is the sum of \$75.00; that there are no outstanding unpaid obligations against said operation; that transferee, pecuniarily and otherwise, is qualified and able to carry on the business.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that the authority sought should be granted.

### ORDER

#### IT IS ORDERED:

That G. A. Williamson, Owid, Colorado, should be, and he hereby is, authorized to transfer all his right, title and interest in and to PUC No. 1205 to Eugene B. DeManche, Owid, Colorado.

The tariff of rates, rules and regulations of the transferor shall become and remain those of the transferee until changed according to law and the rules and regulations of this Commission.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 1st day of May, 1943.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF WILLIAM SCHIERMEYER, ROUTE 1, HOLYOKE, COLORADO, FOR AUTHORITY TO TRANSPORT LIVESTOCK FROM AND TO STERLING FEED YARDS, STOCKYARDS AND SALES BARNS, TO AND FROM POINTS IN THE STATE OF COLORADO.

APPLICATION NO. 1630-B

May 5, 1943

Appearances: Truman A. Stockton, Jr., Est., Denver, Colorado, for the applicant; Marion F. Jones, Esq., Danver, Colorado, for Lester Smith, Hawkins Transfer, E. F. Anderson, William Blankenbeckler, Paul Hickman.

#### STATEMENT

By the Counission:

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On February 28, 1937, by Decision No. 9472, William Schiermeyer was authorized to extend his operations under his common carrier certificate to include the right to transport:

> all commodities, except coal and groceries (but including livestock) from point to point within the area extending 20 miles south of Holyeke and to the county line on the east, west and north, and from and to points in said area, to and from points in the State of Colorado, no authority, however, being granted to transport such commodities as are ordinarily handled by like haul common carriers between points served by authorized motor vehicle common carriers on schedule,

his application to transport livestock into and out of Sterling feed yards, sales pavillions, and stockyards being denied, except from and to Phillips County.

Subsequently, he applied for, and was granted, a further hearing, as to the portion of the application which was denied. The matter was set for hearing, and heard, in Sterling, Colorade, on April 13, 1943.

At the hearing, it developed that Mr. Schiermeyer has six trucks, consisting of two 20-feet semis, three 14-feet, one 13-feet, and one trailer; that he has been very actively engaged in handling livestock from his Holyoke area into Denver; that he passes through Sterling; that, frequently, in Denver he has been asked to haul livesteck to Sterling and occasionally has been asked to haul livestock from Sterling to points other than these in Phillips County; that, primarily, he wants authority to haul livestock from Denver to Sterling in order to get a back-haul at times when he would otherwise return empty. He expects to maintain a truck in Sterling on sales days, but does not intend to establish an agency or have a telephone in Sterling. It also developed that, for a period of about three or four months, he had a cab card which erreneeusly showed that he had authority to serve Sterling. In that period of time, he made about twenty-five or thirty trips to or from Sterling with livestock. He is very busy at this time, and stated that he thought the busy season would extend from about September 1 to June 1, following.

Mr. L. C. Hoover, who operates a sales barn in Sterling, testified that Mr. Schlermeyer furnishes excellent service; that, at times, trucks are not available, notwithstanding service of Ackley, Blankenbeckler, and Hawkins have been satisfactory with him. He stated that he had used Mr. Smith's service, but on one occasion, thought Smith had not bundled the movement of 700 head of sheep properly, in that he had not mide delivery when promised, and since that time he had refused to petromize Smith's service; that Hellbuschs' trucks are in very poor condition; that more stock is being raised in the neighborhood and, at times, has to remain in the pens toe long before being moved. In addition to the nonsovement of the sheep, he stated that a man whose name he thought was Smith, was unable to have a cow moved from the Peets section; that Chalkey Wilson had been delayed in moving some cattle.

In opposition, Lester Smith, PUC No. 1276, shated that he has a new 25-feet semi trailer, and a 1939 GMC truck, evaluated with stock rack and grain body. He stated that the only difficulty he had with Mr.

Heaver has been over the haul of sheep mentioned, and his disinclination ar refusal to pay the prescribed rates; that Hoover arranged with Mrs. Smith for haul of sheep by Smith, who, at that time, was in Omaha. The morning the sheep were supposed to have been hauled, Smith returned from Omaha with two tires blown out. Hoover called and wanted to know where the sheep were. Smith told him he was unable to go because he did not have tires, and moreover, the roads were so bad that it was not smart to go. Thereupon, Hoover became very angry, and finally secured Ackley's services. Ackley hauled the sheep on two days following, six or seven of them died, and the owner thereafter stated that the sheep never should have been moved on account of impassable reads and generally bad weather conditions. Subsequently, he hauled some hogs for Hoover, but when told that the rate was 24¢, Hoover refused to pay, stating that Ackley would haul for 23¢.

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Germon Carriers Hawkins, with three trucks, Blankenbeckler, with a semi, a truck, and a "pup," E. F. Anderson, with five trucks, Hellbusch, with two trucks, and Maloney and other Private and Cemmon Carriers, serve the territory. They operate to Denver on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Wednesdays, and 90% of the time return without a back-haul.

Belbert Hawkins, of Peets, Colerado, stated that he knew of no Smith in his neighborhood who had a cow to move; that Heover had never called him; that he was able to handle all demands in his section; that his three trucks are idle 50% of the time.

Mrs. William Blankenbeckler stated that Mr. Blankenbeckler had not been contacted in regard to Chalkey Wilson haul; that they have ample equipment, and will buy more equipment if needed; that equipment now owned is busy most of the time, but ordinarily can handle all business offered, and when not able to handle it, have obtained the services of other common carriers to handle the business.

E. F. Anderson, PUC No. 577, stated that he could handle all the business in his area from and to Sterling or other points in the State. Private Carrier Simmons stated that he serves the Sterling yards for his contract customers, and has two trucks — with bodies of 20 feet and 16 feet, respectively.

Upon the record, as made, we cannot say that the evidence shows that the service now offered by common carriers serving the Sterling territory is inadequate. If it were inadequate, they have indicated that they are in a position to, and would, correct the deficiency. Operaters new serving meed a back-haul from Denver, too. Therefore, notwithstanding the fact that Mr. Schiermeyer is an able operator, and no doubt would furnish very satisfactory additional service to and from Sterling, if the extension were granted, we cannot grant the application.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that public convenience and necessity do not require the proposed extended motor vehicle common carrier service of applicant, and that said application should be denied.

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IT IS ORDERED:

That application of William Schiermeyer, Holyeke, Colerade, te extend his certificate of public convenience and necessity to include the right to serve to and from sales barns at Sterling, from and to all peints in the State of Colerado, should be, and the same hereby is, denied.

This order shall become effective twenty (20) days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Calcrado, this 5th day of May, 1943.

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF JOE F. GALLEGOS, FORT GARLAND, COLO- ) RADO, FOR AN EXTENSION OF PUC NO. 1152.

APPLICATION NO. 4057-AB

May 1, 1943

Appearances: Jesse E. Pound, Esq., Alamosa, Colorado, for the applicant; Conour and Conour, Esqs., Del Norte, Colorado, for E. B. Faus, E. T. Walker, James

- Ashton; A. J. Tait, Denver, Colorado, for Rio Grande Motor Way, Inc.;
- T. A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the Common Carrier Division of The Colorado Motor Carriers' Association;
- A. J. Fregeau, Denver, Colorado, for Weicker Transfer and Storage Company; M. M. Marshall, Esq., Alamosa,
- Colorado, for Fred Mestas.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

Jce F. Gallegos, under his certificate of public convenience and necessity, PUC No. 1152, is authorized to operate as a common carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the operation of a general transfer, moving and cartage business between points within a radius of fifteen miles of San Luis, and for the transportation, on call and demand, of:

> farm products, including livestock, and wool from farms and ranches in said area to loading points and markets in Colorado; timber from timber camps, lumber and mill products from saw mills in said area to loading points and markets in Coloredo; machinery and farm supplies from point to point within said area, used household goods, farm machinery, farm equipment and livestock from and to points within a fifteen-mile radius of Ean Luis, Colorado, to and from points in the San Luis

Valley, when moving a rancher or a farmer, with the provise that he shall not engage in any transportation service of competitive character between points on the line of scheduled common carriers serving said area.

He now seeks to extend his authority under said certificate to include the transportation of used household goods, furniture, farm equipment, machinery and livestock from Denver, cement from Portland, lumber and building supplies from Pueblo, to points in said fifteen-mile radius, including San Luis.

It appeared that applicant has two Chevrolet trucks, equipped with stock racks; that he does not have vans, but expects to use the trucks equipped with stock racks to haul furniture if he is asked to move someone from Denver to some point in his San Luis territory; that, to date, he has received only one request to move furniture from Denver; that some farm machinery and equipment moves from Denver to farms near San Luis and occasionally, to the Town of San Luis; that, occasionally, a farmer buys a team of horses in Denver which he wants moved; that farms or business houses in his territory need cement from Portland and lumber and building supplies from Pueblo, at times; that, so far as he knows, there is no inadequacy in the service now offered, except for the movement of horses, his primary reason for requesting authority being to get a pay load back from Denver or Pueblo.

Mr. Faus' testimony in Application No. 6277-PP, Mike Joseph, was made a part of the record, by stipulation. He there stated his company has a common carrier certificate, and can handle:

> livestock and other farm products, farm supplies, farm equipment and mechinery, used household goods and furnishings, between points within the area extending 15 miles north, 15 miles west of San Luis, and to the crest of the Culebra Range on the east, and from the Colorado-New Mexico State Line on the south, and from and to points in said area, to and from points in the State of Colorado,

and operates a line haul service for the transportation of freight in intrastate commerce for the transportation of:

> livestock and other farm products and household goods from San Acacio, Mesita, Jarosa, Garcia, San Pablo, Chama and San Luis and the vicinities thereof to Pueblo and intermediate

points, including Walsenburg; merchandise and freight, generally, from Pueblo and intermediate points to San Luis, San Pablo, Chama, San Acacia, Jarosa and Garcia, with the right to interchange freight with other line haul common carriers destined to or from said points.

The San Luis territory also is served in whole or in part by W. A. Jones, PUC 353, Aragon Truck Line, PUC 914, James Ashton, PUC No. 1313.

Mr. Faus stated that his company operates regularly on schedule between Pueblo and Taos, via San Luis; that he has twenty-five units; that, during the summer, he has hauled vegetables from the area to Pueblo, Denver, and other points in Colorado; that he did not haul locally from farms to railroad loading points during the last season, because no one sought his service; that, when requested, he has made deliveries from Denver and Pueblo directly to the ranch, if desired, and similarly has picked up at the ranches or farms and made deliveries to Denver and Pueblo; that he has moved furniture from ranch to ranch in said district; that, in his opinion, the common carrier service now available is more than adequate to handle the business, and his line haul service could not stand the loss of any business and continue to furnish service needed by the communities for the transportation of necessary food, merchandise, and household and farm equipment and supplies.

It also appeared that Ric Grande Motor Way, subject to the approval of the Interstate Commerce Commission and this Commission, has purchased the operating rights of Faus. Mr. Tait, for Rio Grande Motor Way, stated that his company, under lease arrangement, pending decision on purchase application, has been operating the line; that they furnish tri-weekly service between Fueblo and Taos, via San Luis; that, during the month of February, business to San Luis out of Denver and Pueblo amounted to 9,038 pounds and 13,075 pounds, respectively. Two trucks are used in the operation. Farm deliveries have been made when requested, and amounted to about one weekly. If enough freight is diverted from the line, it will mean poor service, less frequent trips, and increase in costs of operation. All demands to date have been handled without complaint by customers. Service to towns, in his opinion, is essential. He stated that, if requested, his company would handle livestock.

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A. J. Fregeau, for Weicker Transfer and Storage Company, protested the application. He stated that Weicker is equipped to, and does, handle household goods, used farm machinery and equipment, from Denver or Pueblo; that it has and maintains 36 household goods vans, which are in service only twenty percent of the time; that, in addition, they have fifteen trucks, and eighty trucks that could be used for the handling of machinery and heavy equipment; that they need all the business they can get in order to maintain their equipment; that a great number of other companies, including Buehler with three trucks, Jackson with ten vans, Johnson with four vans, Logen with two vans, operate a household goods and van call and demand service out of Denver.

It would seem that, except for movement of livestock out of Denver, the territory is now adequately served by call and demand carriers. We cannot grant additional call and demand service in the territory where the existing service is adequate or even inadequate, where the carriers are willing to improve their service. While Faus Transportation Company and their probably successor, Rio Grande Motor Way, would be willing to handle livestock, said service, at present, is limited to service out of Pueblo directly, and on interchange out of Denver via Weicker. We apprehend that neither Weicker nor Faus would care to transport a team of horses in a truck loaded with merchendise, especially meat and similar perishable commodities. The movement of livestock might occasionally furnish applicant with a back-haul.

Therefore, after careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that public convenience and necessity require the proposed extended motor vehicle common carrier service of applicant for the transportation of livestock, only, from Denver to points in the area he is now authorized to serve, and that certificate of public convenience and necessity should issue therefor; that public convenience and necessity do not require said stended service, as otherwise proposed.

## ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That public convenience and necessity require the proposed extended motor vehicle call and demand common carrier service of applicant

for the transportation of livestock, from Denver, Colorado, to points within a radius of fifteen miles of San Luis, Colorado, and this order shall be taken, deemed and held to be a certificate of public convenience and necessity therefor.

Applicant shall file tariffs of rates, rules and regulations, as required by the rules and regulations of this Commission within twenty (20) days from date.

Applicant shall operate his carrier system in accordance with the order of the Commission, except when prevented by Act of God, the public enemy, or extreme conditions.

This order is subject to compliance by applicant with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of this Commission.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders

That said application, in all other respects, should be, and the same hereby is, denied.

This order shall become effective twenty (20) days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 1st day of May, 1943.

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## (Decision No.20866)

### BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF BYRGN S. BUNKER, ARRIBA, COLORADO, FOR AN EXTENSION OF PUC NO. 403, AND FOR AUTHORITY TO TRANSFER SAME TO ROY E. JOHNSON, ARRIBA, COLORADO

APPLICATION NO. 1889-444-R SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER

May 1, 1943

Appearances: Marion F. Jones, Esq., Benver, Colorado, for the applicant.

# STATEMENT

## By the Commission:

On April 8, 1943, the Commission entered its order and decision, No. 20748, granting extension of certificate of public convenience and necessity, FUC No. 403, to Byron S. Bunker.

No one appeared at the hearing in opposition to the granting of the authority sought.

It now appears that, in drawing the order, the language "from and to points in said area, as extended, to and from points in the State of Colorado, and" was omitted from the Statement between the words "and" and "to" at the end of the 13th line of the Statement, and following the word "and" at the end of the 4th line of the Order.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said Statement and Order should be corrested in the particulars mentioned, by inserting said language, "from and to points in said area, as extended, to and from points in the State of Colorado, and".

## ORDER

That said Decision No. 20748 be, and the same hereby is, amended and corrected much pro tune as of date April 8, 1943, by in-

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"from and to points in said area, as extended, to and from points in the State of Colorado, and"

between the words "and" and "to" at the end of the 15th line of the Statement, and by inserting the same words following the word "and" at the end of the 4th line of the Order contained in said Decision No. 20748, so that said first paragraph of the Order, as amended, will read:

> "That public convenience and necessity require the extended motor vehicle operations under PUC No. 403 of applicant, on call and demand, to serve the area south of and immediately adjacent to the territory now served, said area extending to a point ten miles south of Arriba, and from and te points in said area, as extended, to and from points in the State of Colorado, and this order shall be taken, deemed and held to be a certificate of public convenience and necessity therefor."

That, in all other respects, said order shall remain in full force and effect.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 1st day of May, 1943.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION ) OF C. G. WHITCOMB, 229 NORTH FRONT, ) STERLING, COLORADO, FOR A CLASS "B" ) PERMIT TO OPERATE AS A PRIVATE ) CARRIER BY MOTOR VEHICLE FOR HIRE. )

APPLICATION NO. 6299-PP

May 1, 1943.

Appearances: Truman A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the applicant; Marion F. Jones, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for William Blankenbeckler, Lester E. Smith, J. H. and F. V. Hellbusch, Hawkins Transfer.

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

Applicant, C. G. Whitcomb, herein seeks authority to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of grain and feed from point to point within a radius of thirty miles of Sterling, Colorado.

At the hearing in Sterling, Colorado, on April 13, 1943, the testimony showed that applicant, under Commercial Carrier Permit No. C-SiS8, for about nine years, has been operating grain trucks. He now has three tractors, three semis, one tandem, and one straight truck. His net worth is about \$25,000.00. A great number of feeders in the Sterling territory where he seeks to operate his for-hire service, feed cattle, poultry, hogs, and sheep. Many of them prefer to have their feed hauled by a for-hire carrier, rather than to purchase it from him. Applicant stated that he did not propose to haul between Sterling and Peetz.

Protestants all agreed that applicant is a "fine fellow," and that he should have a permit.

The evidence did not disclose that the proposed operation will impair the efficiency of any authorized motor vehicle common carrier.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that the authority sought should be granted.

# <u>O R D E R</u>

## IT IS ORDERED:

That C. G. Whitcomb, Sterling, Colorado, should be, and he hereby is, authorized to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of grain and feed from point to point within a radius of thirty miles of Sterling, Colorado.

All operations hereunder shall be strictly contract operations, the Commission retaining jurisdiction to make such amendments to this permit deemed advisable.

This order is the permit herein provided for, but it shall not become effective until applicant has filed a statement of his customers, copies of all special contracts or memoranda of their terms, the necessary tariffs, required insurance, and has secured identification cards.

The right of applicant to operate hereunder shall depend upon his compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of the Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 1st day of May, 1943.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ) C. E. HARDRICK, 1025 WEST 19th ST., ) PUEBLO, COLORADO, FOR AUTHORITY TO ) TRANSFER PERMIT A-1208-I TO GEORGE ) WRIGHT, 1321 PARK AVENUE, CANON ) CITY, COLORADO. )

May 1, 1943.

## <u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

Heretofore, C. E. Hardrick, Pueble, Colorado, was authorized, subject to the provisions of the Federal Motor Carrier Act of 1935, to operate as a private carrier by motor vehicle in interstate commerce, and Permit No. A-1208-I issued to him.

Said permit-holder now seeks authority to transfer said permit to George Wright, Canon City, Colorado.

The records and files of the Commission fail to disclose any reason why said request should not be granted.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said transfer should be authorized.

ORDER

#### IT IS ORDERED:

That C. E. Hardrick, Pueblo, Colorado, should be, and he hereby is, authorized to transfer all his right, title and interest in and to Permit No. A-1208-I to George Wright, Canon City, Colorado, said transfer to be subject to the provisions of the Federal Motor Carrier Act of 1935.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO und

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 1st day of May, 1943. bh Commissioners.

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RE REGULATIONS, PRACTICES AND ) SERVICES OF THE COLORADO AND ) SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY IN THE ) OPERATION OF ITS STATION AT ) BRANSON, COLORADO, AND EMPLOYMENT ) OF AN AGENT THEREAT. )

May 1, 1943.

CASE NO. 4906

STATEMENT

## By the Commission:

The Commission has been requested by The Colorado and Southern Railway Company and the community of Branson, Colorado, to dismiss the aboveentitled matter, said parties by stipulation, reference to which is hereby made, having amicably settled their differences, each agreeing to withdraw the petitions filed by them -- the one by Branson to require the railway company to keep the agent on duty from 8:00 o'clock A. M., to 5:00 o'clock P. M., and the one by the railway company to close the station as an agency station.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said matter should be dismissed.

## ORDER

#### IT IS ORDERED:

That the above-styled case, and the respective petitions of the community of Branson, Colorado, and The Colorado and Southern Railway Company, be, and the same hereby are, dismissed.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO erua

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 1st day of May, 1943.

(Decision No. 20870)

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LA THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ) DEE WAM, SIMLA, COLOLADO, FOR MA ) EXTENSION OF PREMIT MO. B-2360.

ALFLICATION NO. 4496-PP-B

May 1, 1943

Appearances: John P. Foard, <sup>L</sup>sq., Colorado Springs, Colorado, for the applicant;
A. J. Fregeau, Denver, Colorado, for Weicker Transfer and Storage Company;
Truman A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Denver, Colorado, for Hartsel Truck Line, C. Barnhill, A. D. Garriott;
Frank Mobey, Esq., Colorado Springs, Colorado, for Woodward Truck Line.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

Dee Wann, of Simla, Colorado, on May 10, 1939, by Decision No. 13481, was authorized to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of:

> used household goods, farm products, including livestock, for farmers, from farm to farm, town to farm, and farm to town, within a radius extending twelve miles north, twenty-five miles south, and ten miles east and west of Simla, and from and to farms in said area, to and from points in the State of Colorado, except to and from Denver, and specifically excluding competition with line haul motor vehicle common carriers between points served by them.

He now seeks authority to extend his operations by enlarging his present pick-up and delivery and point to point area to twenty-five miles of Simla, and to include the right to transport livestock, farm machinery, used household goods, feed and flour, lumber and building materials, between points in said area, and from and to points therein, to and from points in the State of Colorado. Formal protests were filed by Hartsel Truck Line, G. Barnhill, Woodward Truck Line, and A. D. Garriott, Woodward Truck Line. Hartsel Truck Line stated, however, that they had no objection to the granting of authority to transport livestock.

At the hearing, in Colorado Springs, Colorado, on March 17, 1943, Mr. Wann stated that he has two trucks; that when he obtained his permit, cattle, sheep and hogs were moving to rueblo and Colorado Springs; that, due to increased prices for livestock in Denver and closing of the Nuckolls Packing Company plant in Fueblo, livestock now moved to Denver: that Barnhill, Garriott, Burrows, Jessup, Woodward, and Hartsel, are common carriers operating from all or art of the territory which he seeks to serve; that Hartsel's hauling now is limited to movement of commodities for merchants; that Burrows has a milk route; that all of said carriers have been in business a number of years, and to the best of his knowledge, have not recently added equipment; that much more livestock must now move by truck than formerly, due to the fact that many farmers no longer have trucks, and those who do have do not have the time to operate them, and more livestock is being raised or purchased as stockers by people in the community than was raised there at the time his permit was granted; that, on occasions, he has hauled livestock for Barnhill end for Garriott when they were unable to handle the business with their trucks; that, if extension is grunted, he does not expect to engage in any service in competition with line haul carriers, and contemplates that his service will be from farm to farm, farm to town, and town to farm, except the transportation of feed and farm machinery from Denver to elevators or business houses in towns; that very little farm machinery is now moving. As to household goods, he stated that it, like farm machinery, would chiefly move between farms in his home territory; that it night move from Denver but, to date, he had never been asked to handle any from said point. Lumber and building materials are not used in quantity in his territory, and very little are moving from Denver. Feed and flour still move in about the same volume that was moving at the time of his original hearing. He primarily wants to haul new machinery, household goods, lumber, and building materials, feed and flour from Denver because he wants a back-haul, not because service

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is inadequate. In fact, Hartsell devotes all his equipment and time to that type of service. As he expressed it, "it helps out."

Messrs. Stubbs, Frasier, Mendricks, Thornsworth, Cowder, Payne, and Eamon, in person, and twenty-two other residents of Simla area, testified in support of the application.

Ar. J. E. Stubbs resides 17 miles north of Simla, by road, on the Big Sandy. He buys, sells and pastures sheep and cattle. At the time of the hearing, he had 2,000 sheep and 450 cattle. He has experienced considerable difficulty in getting them moved. He cold 150 heifers to John Matheson. They lay at the railroad loading corral at River Bend for 26 hours, and the shrink amounted to \$450.00. On occasions, he has sought the services of Barnhill, boodward, and Carriott, and has been compelled to wait as many as seven days on Barnhill, and three or four days on boodward and Garriott. Hartsell was not engaged in hauling livestock. The last time he contacted Mr. Garriott, he could not serve. Chiefly, his cattle, and the cattle of his neighbors, move to Denver. On account of the inadequate truck and rail facilities and service, he, on other occasions, has suffered great inconvenience, loss of time, and pecuniary loss as well. When he buys cattle, he must receive them at the time appointed. Ordinarily, feed and water are not available to care for them, and unless he can get prompt service by truck, loss necessarily must follow, and the same is true when he sells, whether they are sold f.o.b. his ranch, or purchasers' place. In his opinion, the service of Dee Mann and other truckers is needed.

Mr. Fracier, who lives 2 miles west of Limon, said the service had been very poor since September, and was more acute at the time of the hearing; that, at one time, he had trucks, trailers, gas and tires; that they are no longer available; that during the harvest season, if crops are bountiful, there was considerable delay in movement of the crops, as well as in movement of stock.

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Ed Hendrick, of Matheson, who buys and sells cattle, sheep and hogs, has found that, for a period of four or five months, in the fall, and during the harvesting season, additional trucking facilities are badly needed.

Ed Thornsworth, of Simla, had to wait two weeks before Barnhill could haul some of his hogs to Denver. He stated that formerly, his hogs went to Fueblo and Colorado Springs, but that he cannot now dispose of them at said points.

Mr. Cowder stated that he raises cattle, beans and hogs; that hogs now go to Denver; that he has found that Barnhill's truck is too large to handle snipments of his and those of his neighbors. Barnhill does not want to move the truck unless he has a full load.

Albert Payne, who lives 19 miles south and 4 miles east of Simla, is engaged in general farming and livestock raising, and produces cattle, hogs, beans and grain. He stated that, on two occasions, he was unable to get trucks to Denver.

Carl Eason, who lives 15 miles north of Simla, and engages in farming, stock raising, dairying, and chicken raising, stated that, for a long period of time, he has been unable to get Woodward Truck Line when he needed service; that, formerly, he and many farmers moved their stock in trailers, but they are unable to do that at this time, because the volume has greatly increased, and they do not have the necessary equipment; that he has had considerable difficulty in getting feed for his 200 hogs, and on one occasion when they were almost starving, was told by a common carrier to get his neighbors to get the feed.

In opposition, Mr. Darnhill, with headquarters at Ramah, 5 miles from Dimla, stated that he has been operating since 1950; that he is authorized to transport, on call and demand:

> farm products, including livestock, farm equipment and farm supplies into, out of, and between points within a 10-mile radius of Ramah, except from points within a 10-mile radius around Peyton; and the transportation of the same commodities out of and into

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points within the following-described territory: beginning at a point 10 miles east of Peyton, thence north to a point due west of Kuhns Crossing, thence east via Kuhns Crossing to Colorado State Highway Mo. 86 and along said highway to the east boundary line of Range 59, thence south to the south boundary line of Township 11-South, thence east to Colorado State Highway 71, thence south along said highway to the south boundary line of Township 13-South, thence west a distance of 36 miles to the west boundary line of Range 62, thence north to U S Highway 40-South, thence east along U S Highway 40-South to the point of beginning, besides transportation of cement and some additional commodities, subject to some restrictions from and to points in last mentiomed area.

Tr. Barnhill stated that he has three trucks, 24, 20 and 16 feet, respectively; that it was true that business had greatly increased, on account of the war and development of the country due to increased moisture; that drivers are hard to get; that, during a few months in the year, he is very busy, and the balance of the time his trucks are not engaged continuously; that in his opinion, the situation will not be helped by adding additional carriers, because the complaints received chiefly come from farmers who have only a few head of hogs or stock to move, and if ten carriers, instead of two or three carriers, receive requests to move a small number from different farmers, naturally they will wait until they get requests from other farmers to make up a load. If only a few truckers are available, loads are more quickly obtained, because farmers have less truckers to go to. At Hartsell's request, he has been trying to take care of Hartsell's farm customers.

A. D. Garriott, PUC No. 1368, who also is engaged in the produce business, has authority to transport, on call and demand:

> farm products, including livestock, farm equiment, and supplies, coal and timber between points within a 20-mile radius of Matheson and points outside thereof, excluding service from or to points between Denver and Matheson (except Colorado Springs on US 24, US 40 and US 85.), excluding all that territory in Lincoln County lying east of State Highway No. 71.

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He stated that he has two trucks, equipped with 12-feet and 14-feet racks, respectively; that he has been trucking since 1924; that, at times, he had too much to do; that rush sometimes starts as early as July, and in September and October reaches the peak; that from March 1 to 17, he had only one load to haul, and on the date of hearing, had an order to move nine hogs. He stated that he thought livestock had increased about 45% in number, and that the increase in hogs was even larger; that most trucks had been in operation during the past twelve months about twelve hours a day.

In rebuttal, Mr. bann stated that hogs and cattle, especially the latter, now move throughout the year.

Mr. Stockton called attention to the fact that no evidence had been offered as to inadequacy of service for movement of any commodities except livestock and farm products.

We think the testimony in the instant matter, like the testimony offered in many similar applications, shows that there is a greatly increased need for "for-hire truck service". Naturally, due to increased prices for livestock, wherever conditions permit, farmers have increased their herds and flocks. Many more stock and feeder cattle and sheep are being kept on farms. More lambs, calves and hogs are being produced and fed. They, necessarily, must move to market. The markets formerly provided at Pueblo and Colorado Springs are gone. How all stock goes to Denver. For years, the Sinla territory experienced drouth. That situation has changed. This, too, has contributed to larger livestock production and feeding. Larger crops mean more use of trucks. Farmers have been unable to buy new trucks, to get repairs, or tires for the old ones. Moreover, on account of shortness of help, they do not have the time they formerly had to operate trucks. For-hire carriers have been unable to purchase new equipment, and to get second-hand equipment only at high, and even excessive, costs, which many times they are not justified in incurring. Hartsell, the resident common carrier at Simla, now, does

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not want to have livestock and did not object to Wann's request to extend his livestock territory. He has been throwing the business to Barnhill who on account of volume offered, at times, has been unable to serve promptly. We think that the Commission, when it is so important that livestock be properly cared for and fed, livestock and feed crops must move promptly and readily to markets, necessarily must provide all the for-hire service that may be required, at the risk, perhaps, of causing some slight pecuniary loss to the carriers. In this instance, we do not believe that the exteasion of territory to the north to twenty-five miles, and authority to haul used household goods and form products, including livestock, between points in the area, as extended, and farm products including livestock from and to points in said area, to and from points in the State of Colorado, will impair the efficiency of any now-authorized cornon carrier service. and it probably will help the farmers to get their crops and livestock moved more conveniently and promptly. The extension sought east and west cuts substantially into the territory of other carriers, who, on account of their locations, should be better able to serve than applicant.

Therefore, after careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that applicant's territory should be extended on the north to a point twenty-five miles north of Simla, with the right to transport used household goods, and farm products, including livestock, from farm to farm, town to farm, farm to town, within said area, as extended and farm products including livestock from and to farms in said area, to and from points in the State of Colorado, including Denver, without the right to compete with line haul motor vehicle common carriers between points served by them.

# <u>O R D E R</u>

IT IS ONDERED:

That Dee Wann, Simla, Colorado, should be, and he hereby is, authorized to extend his operations under Fermit No. B-2360 to include the right to transport used household goods and farm products, including

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livestock, from farm to farm town to farm, and farm to town, within a radius extending twenty-five miles north, twenty-five miles south, and ten miles east and west of <sup>b</sup>imla, and furm products including livestock, from and to farms in said area, to and from points in the State of <sup>C</sup>olorado, including <sup>b</sup>enver, without the right to serve between points served by line haul motor vehicle common carriers in competition with them.

This order is made a part of the permit grunted to applicant, and shall becaus effective twenty days from date.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of The Office of Defense Transportation of the Pederal Government.

THE FUBLIC UTILITIES COLLISSION OF THE STATE OF COLOLADO

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Dated at Deaver, Colorido, this let day of May, 1943.

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF )

ANDREW M. STONER

Kersey, Colorado

Box 7

PERMIT NO. C-14199

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May 1, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

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After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

# ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-14199, heretofore issued to Andrew M. Stoner of Box 7, Kersey, Colorade be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 26, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this lst day of May , 19 43

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF ) LEWIS W. BOTTORFF ) PEI Box 355 ) New Castle, Colorado )

PERMIT NO. C-1709

May 1, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from.....

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After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

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> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF )

WILLIAM HAAS, JR Glenwood Springs, Colorado

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PERMIT NO.

B-2756

May 1, 1943

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After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

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and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 5, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this\_\_\_\_\_\_day of <u>May</u>, 19\_43

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ) ALEX WEINGARDT, 409 NORTH SECOND ) AVENUE, STERLING, COLORADO, FOR ) AUTHORITY TO TRANSFER PERMIT NO. ) B-1445 TO JOHN GARIES, 432 WEST ) MAIN STREET, STERLING, COLORADO. )

APPLICATION NO. 3035-PP-ABA

May 3, 1943.

Appearances: T. A. Stockten, Jr., Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the Common Carrier Division of The Colorado Motor Carriers' Association.

STATEMENT

# By the Commission:

The above-styled matter was set for hearing in Sterling, Colorado, on April 13, 1943, at 9:30 o'clock A. M., due notice of the time and place of hearing being forwarded to applicants.

Notwithstanding said notice, they failed to appear.

However, Mr. Stockton, appearing for the Common Carrier Division of The Celerado Motor Carriers' Association, stated that he had no objection to the transfer of said permit, provided it is in good standing.

The records and files were made a part of the record herein, and the matter taken under advisement.

It appears that said permit is in good standing, and so far as our files and records disclose, there is no reason why the transfer should not be authorized.

Therefore, after careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said transfer should be authorized.

# <u>ORDER</u>

#### IT IS ORDERED:

That Alex Weingardt, Sterling, Colorado, should be, and he here-

by is, authorized to transfer all his right, title and interest in and to Permit No. B-1445 to John Garies, Sterling, Colorado.

The right of transferee to operate under this order shall be dependent upon his compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

This order is made a part of the permit authorized to be transferred, and shall become effective twenty days from date.

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 3rd day of May, 1943.

(Decision No. 20875)

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ) COLORADO RAILROADS FOR INCREASES IN ) INTRASTATE FREIGHT RATES AND ) CHARGES, AND PASSENGER FARES, IN ) LINE WITH INCREASES IN INTERSTATE ) FAEIGHT RATES AND CHARGES APPLIED ) FOR IN I. C. C. DOCKET EX PARTE 148. )

APPLICATION NO. 5819

April 30, 1943.

Appearances:

- Walter M. Campbell, Esq., Commerce Attorney for The Denver and Rio Grande Western Railroad Company;
- E. G. Knowles, Esq., Denver, ColorLao, for Union Pacific Railroad Company;
- J. H. Shepherd, Esq., Telephone Building, Denver, Colorado, for The Denver and Salt Lake Railway Company;
- Douglas McHendrie, Esq., Equitable Building, Denver, Colorado, for The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Failway Company;
- J. H. Cummins, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for The Colorado and Southern Railway Company and Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Company;
- G. A. Hoffelder, Chicago, Illinois, for Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Company;
- E. D. Speer, Topeka, Kansas, for The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company;
- G. W. Carleton, 515 17th St., Denver, Colorado, for Missouri Pacific Railroad Company;
- A. C. Mattson, 1200 Fidelity Building, Kanses City, Missouri, for The Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad Company;
  A. J. Stilling, Omaha, Bebraska, for
- Union Pacific Railroad Company;
- F. C. Hogue, General Traffic Manager, The Denver and Rio Granae Western Railroad Company; George Williams and M. M. Carey, Denver, Colorado, for The Denver and Rio Granae Western Railroad Company;
- Truman A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Lenver, Colorado, for The Motor Truck Common Carriers' Association;
- Chamber of Commerce, Pueblo, Colorado;

Lowe P. Siddons, Esq., and F. H. Orgren, P. O. Box 1052, Colorado Springs, Colorado, for the Holly Sugar Corporation; E. B. Evans, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for The Public Utilities Commission; Monroe P. Hester, Denver, Colorado, for Great Western Sugar Company; George Work and L. B. Fitzpatrick, Denver, Colorado, for the Colorado Milling & Elevator Company;

F. O. Sandstrom, Denver, Colorado, for the Colorado-New Mexico Coal Operators;

A. J. Baumann, Denver, Coloredo, for Armour & Company;

- R. W. Lentz, Denver, Colorado, Traffic Manager, for Swift & Co.;
- A. Brester, Denver, Colorado, Traffic Manager, Cudahy Packing Company;
- John R. Wolf, Esq., Boulder, Colorado, for the Boulder County Metal Mining Association;
- D. I. McCarl, Denver, Colorado, for Colorado Potato Growers' Exchange;
- F. J. Rebhan, Denver, Colorado, for American Crystal Sugar Company;
- R. L. Ellis, Denver, Colorado, for Kuner Empson Company;
- L. K. Wilson, Denver, Colorado, for Rocky Mountain Produce Company; T. S. Wood, Denver, Colorado, for
- Public Utilities Commission; Reginald C. Carey, Sugar City, Colorado, Vice President, National Sugar Manufacturing Company.

By the Commission:

. On April 16, 1943, Decision No. 20816, the Commission entered its order reopening the instant matter for the purpose of determining what, if any, action should be taken by the Commission in amending, modifying, cancelling, or otherwise changing, its original Decision No. 18528, dated March 16, 1942. Said order of April 16, 1943, stemmed from the order of the Interstate Commerce Commission in Ex Parte No. 148, dated April 6, 1943, wherein certain increases on rates and charges applicable on interstate freight traffic were suspended from May 15, 1943, to January 1, 1944.

Since the entry of said order dated April 16, 1943, the Commission is in receipt of a letter from Walter M. Campbell, Commerce Attorney for The Denver and Rio Grande Western Railroad Company, which is chairman of the Colorado Committee of the Western Traffic Executive Committee of Railroads Operating in Colorado, advising the Commission that it is the desire of carriers by rail in Colorado to voluntarily suspend the increases in rates on intrastate freight traffic in Colorado to the same extent as they may be removed on interstate traffic, and for the same period of time as that covered by the Interstate Commerce Commission in Fx Parte No. 148.

In view of the above advice, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that no good purpose would be served by holding hearing in the instant matter now set for May 3, 1943, at Denver, Colorado, and that the increases permitted under our original Decision No. 18528, dated March 16, 1942, should be suspended to conform with the order of the Interstate Commerce Commission of April 6, 1943.

## ORDER

### **IT IS OFDERED:**

That the increases permitted under our Decision No. 18528, dated march 16, 1942, be, and the same are hereby, suspended on intrastate freight traffic in Colorado on and after May 15, 1943, to and including December 31, 1943, to the same extent as they have been or may be removed and suspended on interstate freight traffic by the order of the Interstate Commerce Commission in Ex Parte No. 148, dated April 6, 1943, or any supplements or amendments thereto which the Interstate Commerce Commerce Commerce Commerce Commission may prescribe.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That all common carriers by railroad, parties to the original petition, operating as such within the State of Colorado, be, and they are hereby, required to publish schedules in accordance with the findings and order contained herein, upon

notice to this Commission and to the general public by not less than one day's filing and posting in the manner prescribed in Section 16, of the Public Utilities Act.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That the hearing set for May 3, 1943, at Denver, Colorado, be, and the same is hereby, vacated.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That this order shall become effective on the day and date hereof.

IT IS FURTHER OFDERED, That jurisdiction of instant matter be retained.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO ian R

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 30th day of April, 1943.

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF )

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PERMIT NO.

C-7739

Grand Junction, Colorado

WILLIAM A. STEPHENS

Route 3

May 1, 1943

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By the Commission:

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After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

# ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-7739, heretofore issued William A. Stephens of Route 3, Grand Junction, Colorado be, to.....

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective April 29, 1943

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

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DAWSON CATTLE COMPANY AND F. R. CARPENTER,

Complainants,

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CASE NO. 4853.

COLORADO UTILITIES CORPORATION,

Defendant.

April 27, 1943.

Appearances: F. R. Carpenter, Esq., Hayden, Colorado, for Complainants; Addison M. Gooding, Esq., Steamboat Springs, Colorado, for Defendant.

STATEMENT

### By the Commission:

On April 17, 1943, Decision No. 20814, the Commission entered an order in the instant matter. Said order provides, <u>inter alia</u>, for the payment of money. However, said order is silent as to the effective date thereof. By statute, our orders become effective twenty days from date (unless otherwise ordered), except those providing for the payment of money.

After careful consideration of the record, including said order, the Commission has determined, and so finds, that said Decision No. 20814, should be amended, <u>nunc pro tunc</u>, to provide for an effective date thereof.

#### ORDER

#### IT IS ORDERED:

That our order of April 17, 1943, Decision No. 20814, be, and the same is hereby, amended, nunc pro tunc, by the addition of the fellowing paragraphs, vis.:

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That the effective date of this order shall be May 24, 1943.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That except as herein clarified, said original decision shall remain in full force and effect.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO a en. P

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 27th day of April, 1943.

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(Decision do. 20879)

BEFORE THE FUBLIC UTILITIES CO.LAISSION OF THE STATE OF COLOLLDO

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LA THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ) LEE SHARP, DOING BUSIMESS AS ) "HUERFANO PREIGHT LINE", GAPLMER, ) COLORADO, FOR AUTHORITY TO TRANSFER ) CERTIFICATE OF FUBLIC CONVENIENCE ) AND NECESSITY NO. 391 TO HOBERT ) WEIR, DOING BUSIMESS AS "HUMERFAND ) FREIGHT LINE", LA VETA, COLORADO )

AFFLICATION .10. 1372-AB-A

May 1, 1943

Appearances: Lee Sharp, Gardner, Colorado pro se; Robert Weir, La Veta, Colorado, pro se; A. J. Fregeau, Denver, Colorado,

- for Weicker Transfer and Storage Company;
- T. A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Denver, Colorado for the Common Carrier Division of The Colorado Motor Carriers' Association.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

Lee Sharp, doing business as "Huerfano Freight Line", herein seeks authority to transfer his certificate of public convenience and necessity, FUC No. 391, to Robert Weir, doing business as "Huerfano Freight Line", La Veta, Colorado.

By Decisions Nos. 2375, 6501, and 11610, said Sharp was authorized to operate as a common carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of:

> freight between Redwing, Colorado, and Walsenburg, Colorado, and intermediate points, but not including points between Tioga and Walsenburg,

and a motor vehicle for-hire common carrier transportation service, on call and demand, for the transportation of:

farm products, including livestock, farm machinery, including farm equiment, used furniture and household goods (in household lots), timber and saw mill products, between points within the area (except as herein restricted), extending north to the Huerfano-Custer County Line, east to U S Highway Mo. 85, south to U. S. Highway Mo. 160, and west to the crest of the mountains, which is substantially the western boundary of Huerfano County, and from and to points in said area, to and from points in the State of colorado, provided that the south boundary of pick-up area for commodities other than livestock shall be the township line between Township 28-South and 29-South, and south boundary of pick-up area for livestock shall be a line drawn east and west through a point five miles north of La Veta, and applicant shall not transport household goods or farm machinery between Denver and Gardner, Colorado.

At the hearing, in Trinidad, Colorado, on April 27, 1947, it appeared that the consideration for the transfer is the sum of \$500.00; that there is no outstanding unpaid indebtedness against the operation; that Mr. Weir is an experienced trucker, and, for a number of years has been associated with 0. G. Copple, in a for-hire operation under Permit No. B-1891; that he does not contemplate uniting his operations under the certificate in any way with the partnership operations under the permit. He does expect to continue the line haul service between Gardner and Walsenburg, which, in the past, has been reduced by Mr. Sharp to once a week on Friday service. If volume of business justifies the action, he will increase the number of schedules per week. He will interchange at Walsenburg with all authorized carriers with whom the Huerfano Freight Line has interchange arrangements.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that the authority sought should be graated.

# ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That Lee Sharp, doing business as "Huerfano Freight Line", Gardner, <sup>C</sup>olorado, should be, and he hereby is, authorized to transfer the authority granted in Decisions Nos. 2375, 6501, and 11610 (FUC No. 391) to Robert Weir, doing business as "Huerfano Freight Line", La Veta, Colorado.

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The tariff of rates, rules and regulations of the transferor shall become and remain those of the transferee until changed according to law and the rules and regulations of this Commission.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE FUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 1st day of May, 1943.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ) THE GLENWOOD LIGHT AND WATER COMPANY, ) A PUBLIC SERVICE CORPORATION, DULY ) ORGANIZED AND EXISTING UNDER AND BY ) VIRTUE OF THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF ) NEVADA, AND AUTHORIZED TO DO BUSINESS ) IN THE STATE OF COLORADO, FOR AN ORDER ) AUTHORIZING THE ISSUE OF A CERTIFICATE ) OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY. )

APPLICATION NO. 1818-B

May 5, 1943.

Appearances: C. H. Darrow, Esq., Glenwood Springs, Colorade, attorney for applicant.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The records and files disclose that on March 1, 1943, by Ordinance No. 1, Series of 1943, the City Council of the City of Glenwood Springs granted franchise to applicant, The Glenwood Light and Water Company, authorizing:

> "THE RIGHT, PRIVILEGE AND AUTHORITY TO OPERATE, MAINTAIN, AND EXTEND AN ELECTRIC POWER PLANT AND ELECTRIC DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM NOW SITUATED AND LOCATED IN THE CITY OF GLENWOOD SPRINGS, COLORADO, AND TO SELL ELECTRIC CURRENT FOR LIGHT, HEAT AND POWER PURPOSES IN SAID CITY, ADDITIONS THERETO, AND ANY AND ALL FUTURE ADDITIONS THERETO AND EXTENSIONS THEREOF."

In the instant application, said Glenwood Light and Water Company seeks a certificate of public convenience and necessity to exercise the above described franchise right. Certified copy of said ordinance is on file with the Commission.

The records further disclose that applicant heretofore has been furnishing the City of Glenwood Springs and the inhabitants thereof with electrical energy under and by virtue of former rights granted to applicant by said City of Glenwood Springs, which said franchise expired in 1941, the exercise of franchise rights thereunder having been authorized by this

Commission June 11, 1931, Decision No. 3452. The new franchise granted in March, 1943, is for a period of twenty (20) years.

It further appears from the records and files herein that applicant is a corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Nevada, and is duly authorized to do business within this State under and by virtue of the laws of Colorado relating to foreign corporations.

The principal office and place of business of applicant is Glenwood Springs, Colorado, and a certified copy of its Articles of Incorporation is on file with the Commission.

It is engaged generally in the business of supplying electricity to the City of Glenwood Springs and the immediate vicinity thereof.

The record further disclosed that no additional capital investment in the City of Glenwood Springs by reason of this franchise, has been made. Consent of Public Service Company of Colorado and City of Glenwood Springs to the granting of the authority herein sought has been filed with the Commission.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that formal hearing in the instant matter is not necessary, and that the authority sought should be granted upon the verified files and records herein.

# ORDER

#### IT IS ORDERED:

That the present and future public convenience and necessity require the acceptance of and exercise by The Glenwood Light and Water Company, applicant herein, of the franchise rights granted to it by the City Council of the City of Glenwood Springs under and by virtue of Ordinance No. 1, Series of 1943, adopted March 1, 1943, for the purpose of the sale and distribution by said applicant of electrical energy for light, heat, power, and all other purposes to which the same may be

applicable, within the City of Glenwood Springs, including what is known as the "South Addition" to said city, and in all future additions and extensions of the corporate limits thereof, and this order shall be taken, deemed and held to be a certificate of public convenience and necessity therefor.

This order shall become effective twenty (20) days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 5th day of May, 1943.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF REX POE, HOLYOKE, COLORADO, FOR A CLASS "B" PERMIT TO OPERATE AS A PRIVATE CARRIER BY MOTOR VEHICLE FOR HIRE.

APPLICATION NO. 6298-PP

May 5, 1943.

Appearances: Rex Poe, Holyoke, Colorado, <u>pro se;</u> Marion F. Jones, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for E. F. Anderson.

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

As limited by the testimony offered at the hearing, in Sterling, Colorado, on April 13, 1943, applicant herein seeks authority to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of livestock in shipments of not to exceed three head from or to Denver and sales barns at or near Sterling, Wray, or Julesburg, to or from points in the area described as five miles west, three miles north, ten miles south of Helyoke, and to the Colorado state line on the east, and grain from points in said area to mills and elevators within a radius of fifty miles of Holyoke, and to Denver, without the right to haul to or from points in Yuma or Washington Counties, and with the proviso that said permit shall be nontransferable, and that equipment used by said Poe under his permit shall be limited to equipment now in use, or similar thereto.

It appeared that applicant has a one-ton pickup, with capacity of 2400 pounds, and a two-wheel  $5 \ge 12$  trailer. He is engaged in farming and livestock raising, and, on occasions in the past, has hauled his livestock to a sales ring or to Denver, and has handled his grain to elevators. On numerous occasions, his neighbors have asked that he haul small shipments of livestock and grain for them. This he has done without compensation

as a convenience, because they have been unable to get service unless they were willing to pay for a truckload lot for movement of said shipments at the times they wanted them moved. He is willing to continue to help the neighbors, but thinks that he should have some compensation for the service. He added that it was important, especially at this time, that said commodities be moved promptly, and also on occasions it was difficult to get trucks to move even large shipments of stock or large quantities of grain.

Protestants agreed that the service probably should be authorized, with the exception of service in Yuma and Washington Counties, provided applicant were willing to limit his service to the same type that he had been performing, and to make his permit non-transferable.

As stated, applicant agreed.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that permit, as limited, should issue.

<u>O R D E R</u>

#### IT IS ORDERED:

That Rex Poe, Holyoke, Colorado, should be, and he hereby is, authorized to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of livestock in shipments of not to exceed three head from or to Denver and Sales barns at or near Sterling, Wray and Julesburg, to or from points in the area described as five miles west, three miles north, ten miles south of Holyoke, and to the Colorado State Line on the east; and grain from points in said area to Denver and mills and elevators within a radius of fifty miles of Holyoke, without the right to haul to or from points in Yuma or Washington Counties.

All operations hereunder shall be strictly contract operations, the Commission retaining jurisdiction to make such amendments to this permit deemed advisable.

This order is the permit herein provided for, but it shall not become effective until applicant has filed a statement of his customers, copies of all special contracts or memoranda of their terms, the necessary tariffs, required insurance, and has secured identification cards. The right of applicant to operate hereunder shall depend upon his compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of the Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government.

That permit herein granted shall be non-transferable. That equipment used by said Poe under the authority herein granted shall be limited to equipment now in use, or similar thereto. This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 5th day of May, 1943.

(Decision No. 20882)

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IN THE GATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ) ALOLEH A. DETINE, GLUEREST, COLOLARO,) FOR AM EMIFREICH OF P.U.C. NO. 557. )

APPLICATION NO. 1658-A-BB SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER

May 5, 3943.

Appearances: Mariou F. Jones, Esq., Denver, Colorido, for applicant; Herbert Boyle, Esq., Denver, Colorade, for The Colorado and Southers Railway Company; E. G. Knowles, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for Union Pacific Fuilroud Company; Herbert E. Mann, Eso., Greeley, Colorido, for Miller Brothers; Ulay Apple, Esq., Greeley, Colo-rado, for S. H. Shepherd and Willian Romey; Worth Allen, Esq., Derver, Colomaco, for Tom Connell, Frank Plass, A. V. Karr and Co., H. Comell, and Ed Mapes; Waster H. Borgmann, Longmont, Colorado, for Borgmann Brothers; Wulter Moore, Denver, Colorado, Milk administrator.

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By the Commission:

On April 9, 1943, the Commission entered its order and decision, No. 20734, in the above-ontitled matter.

An examination of suid decision discloses that the words "call and depend" should be stricken from the fourth line of the first paragraph of the Statement contained in said decision, and also from the third line of the Order therein, inclosuch as it was not contemplated by the Commission when suid order was entered that wilk must move on call and demand. It was shown at the hearing that the service required ordinarily would be on schedule.

Therefore, after careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said decision should be amended by striking said works.

# <u>O R D E R</u>

## IT IS OLDERFD:

That said Decision No. 20754, of date April 9, 1943, be, and the same hereby is, amended, <u>nunc pro tunc</u>, as of April 9, 1943, by striking the words "call and demand" from the fourth line of the first paragraph of the Statement contained in said decision, and the words "on call and demand" from the third line of the first paragraph of the Order thereof; that said decision, in all other respects, shall remain in full force and effect.

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Dated at Lenver, Colorado, this 5th day of May, 1943.

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## BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ) EDWARD DURAN, 1418 AIELLO, TRINIDAD, ) COLORADO, FOR A REISSUE OF PERMIT ) NO. B-2693.

May 5, 1943.

Appearances: Ed Duran, Trinidad, Colorado, <u>pro</u> <u>se</u>; A. J. Fregeau, Denver, Colorado, for Weicker Transfer and Storage Company; T. A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the Common Carrier Division of The Colorado Motor Carriers' Association.

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

On Nevember 18, 1941, by Decision No. 17893, Ed Duran, of Trinidad, Colorade, was authorized to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of:

> ashes, sand, gravel and rock, between points within a radius of ten miles of, and including, Trinidad, Colorado; coal from mines within a radius of fifty miles of Trinidad to points in said area; timber from timber camps and sawmills located in the mountains west of, and within fifty miles of, Trinidad, Colorado, to points within a radius of fifty miles of Trinidad, Colorado.

On June 3, 1942, permit was revoked, on account of failure of permittee to keep effective insurance on file.

On March 12, 1943, he filed application to reinstate or reissue said permit.

The matter was heard in Trinidad, Calorado, on April 27, 1943. There was no objection to the reinstatement of said permit After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is

of the opinion, and finds, that said permit should be reinstated.

## <u>O R D E R</u>

#### IT IS ORDERED:

That Permit No. B-2693, of Ed Duran, Trinidad, Colorado, should be. and the same hereby is, reinstated, authorizing the transportation of:

> ashes, sand, gravel and rock, between points within a radius of ten miles of, and including Trinidad, Colorado; coal from mines within a radius of fifty miles of Trinidad to points in said area; timber from timber camps and sawmills located in the mountains west of, and within fifty miles of, Trinidad, Colorado, to points within a radius of fifty miles of Trinidad, Colorado.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 5th day of May, 1943. Commissioners.

#### BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ) JUAN ARCHULETA, 807 NAVAJO STREET, ) TRINIDAD, COLORADO, FOR AN EXTEN... ) SION OF PERMIT NO. B\_2500. )

APPLICATION NO. 5299-PP-18

May 5, 1943

Appearances: Juan Archuleta, Trinidad, Colorado, pro se; A. J. Fregeau, Denver, Colorado, for Weicker Transfer and Storage Company; T. A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the Common Carrier Division of The Colorado Motor Carriers' Association.

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

On February 8, 1941, by Decision No. 16650, Juan Archuleta was authorized to acquire Private Carrier Permit No. B-2500, of Ed Duran, which authorized the transportation of:

> coal between points within a radius of fifty miles of, and including, Trinidad, Colorado, excepting the transportation of coal to Aguilar, Colorado.

Said permit was duly transferred.

He now seeks to extend his authority under said permit to include the right to transport sand, gravel, rock, and ashes between points within a radius of fifteen miles of Trinidad; timber from timber camps and mills located in the mountains west of, and within fifty miles of, Trinidad, Colorado, to points in said fifty-mile area; and cement, cement forms and contractors' equipment and supplies from point to point on construction jobs, only, within a radius of fifteen miles of Trinidad, Colorado, without the right to perform any over-theroad service between points served by line haul motor vehicle common carriers operating on schedule.

At the hearing, in Trinidad, Colorado, on April 27, 1943 it developed that applicant has a number of customers, chiefly small building contractors for whom he desires to haul sand, gravel and rock, and also timber, occasionally, from timber camps and sawmills located west of Trinidad, and cement, cement forms and contractors' equipment and supplies from point to point on a construction job, only --- that is, he does not contemplate hauling the last-mentioned commodities between points served by line haul carriers in competition therewith.

No objections were interposed to the granting of the authority sought.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that the extension should be granted.

# <u>ORDER</u>

IT IS ORDERED:

That Juan Archuleta, Trinidad, Colorado, be, and he hereby is authorized to extend his authority as a private carrier by motor vehicle for hire under Permit No. E-2500 to include the right to transport sand, gravel, rock, ashes, cement, cement forms, and contractors' equipment and supplies between points within a radius of fifteen miles of Trinidad, and timber from timber camps and sawmills located in the mountains west of, and within a fifty-mile radius of Trinidad, to points in said fifty-mile area, the authority granted to haul cement, cement forms, and contractors' equipment and supplies, however, being limited to the movement of said commodities from point to point on construction jobs, only, in said area, and without the right to transport said commodities between points served by line haul motor vehicle common carriers on schedule.

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This order is made a part of the permit granted to applicant, and shall become effective twenty days from date.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of The Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government.

The authority herein granted is in addition to the authority to transport coal heretofore granted.

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 5th day of May, 1943.

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(Decision No. 20885)

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ) G. B. OWENS, ROUTE 3, LONGMONT, ) COLORADO, FOR A CLASS "B" PERMIT TO ) OPERATE AS A PRIVATE CARRIER BY ) MOTOR VEHICLE FOR HIRE. )

APPLICATION NO. 6250-PP

May 5, 1943.

Appearances: Mortimer Stone, Esq., Ft. Collins, Colorado, for the applicant; Truman A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Denver, Colorado, for McKie Transfer, Guy Hart Farm Service, Chris Sorenson, and Golden Transfer.

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

Applicant, G. B. Owens, who has resided in Longmont since 1892, herein seeks authority to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of hay, grain, and feeds of all kinds, flour, salt and oyster shells between Longmont, Denver, Fort Collins, Louisville, Boulder, Niwot, Frederick, Hygiene, Lyons, and intermediate points, including farms in the vicinities of said towns.

At the hearing in Fort Cellins, Colorado, on March 4, 1943, it developed that Mr. Owens has two trucks, which for a number of years he used to haul grain and other commodities he bought and sold under a Commercial Carrier Permit; that the Longmont Milling and Elevator Company, which eperates a mill at Longmont, and elevators or mills at Niwot, Leuisville and Frederick, requested him to haul commodities to be processed, or processed, by them; that he obtained temporary authority from the Commission or Patrolman in the district to furnish such service; that he has been asked to go to farms in the vicinity of the mills mentioned and haul grain to the Longmont mill; that, at times, he has been compelled to wait two or three hours for a load; that grain, as well as processed grains,

moves from mill to mill -- that is, between the mills located at Longmont, Niwot, Louisville, and Frederick; that processed feed is sold by the Longmont mill to farmers and to chicken ranches. It is necessary to have tight boxes on trucks, and to have the trucks equipped with doors, so that grain may be dumped from the rear. It cost him \$445.00 to equip the trucks the way the mill wanted them equipped. Mr. Owens expressed the opinion that trucks furnished by for-kire carriers were not satisfactory, or the carriers did not want to perform the service in the manner that the mill required.

Vane Golden, who has operated Golden Transfer since 1906, stated that his firm had a number of trucks which could be used for hauling grain; that he had done some hauling for the mill; that the mill had complained about the rate, and he thought that might be responsible for the company's disinclination to use his service. He conceded that Mr. Owens probably could render a more personalized service than he could; that he could extend favors which he would not be in a position to extend, principally because Owens operates his own trucks and does not have labor troubles. He stated that he would have no objection to the granting of the authority if the rate were the same as the rate charged by him, and service were limited to the mill.

Chris Sorenson stated that he had four trucks which could be prepared for service quickly; that he readied one truck for service about two months ago, but had not been asked to haul by the mill, although he had performed about six trips for others.

The evidence disclosed that the carriers do not particularly object to the granting of the authority to Mr. Owens for the transportation of grain for the milling company, only, provided that he adheres to the tariff prescribed by the Commission for said service. It is obvious that the granting of such authority will not impair the efficiency of the service of either Mr. Sorenson or Mr. Golden. They have done very little

hauling for the milling company, the milling company for the most part using its own truck. In view of the present National energency, it is desirable to furnish ample "for hire service" in farming communities, by carriers who want to perform that type of service.

Therefore, after careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that G. B. Owens should be authorised to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of flour, hay, grain and feeds, salt and oyster shells, for the Longmont Milling and Elevator Company, only, between mills of said company located at Longmont, Niwot, Louisville and Frederick, and from said mills to the customers of said milling company in Boulder and Larimer Counties and grain from farms in said counties to said mills, without the right to add to the number of his customers except upon approval of the Commission, after application and hearing had.

# <u>O R D E R</u>

#### IT IS ORDERED:

That G. B. Owens, Longmont, Colorado, should be, and he hereby is, authorized to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of flour, hay, grain and feeds, salt and oyster shells for the Longmont Milling and Elevator Company, only, between mills of said company located at Longmont, Niwot, Louisville and Frederick, and from said mills to the customers of said milling company in Boulder and Larimer Counties, and grain for said company from farms in said counties to said mills, without the right to add to the number of his customers, except upon approval of the Commission after application and hearing had.

All operations hereunder shall be strictly contract operations, the Commission retaining jurisdiction to make such amendments to this permit deemed advisable.

This order is the permit herein provided for, but it shall not become effective until applicant has filed a statement of his customers,

copies of all special contracts or memoranda of their terms, the necessary tariffs, required insurance, and has secured identification cards.

The right of applicant to operate hereunder shall depend upon his compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of the Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government. This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 5th day of May, 1943.

#### BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ) J. J. BABB & SON, CRAIG, COLORADO, ) FOR A REISSUE OF PERMIT.NO. B-1079. )

APPLICATION NO. 6301-PP

# May 5, 1943.

Appearances: Sid Pleasant, Esq., Craig, Colorado, for the applicant; T. A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Denver, Colorado, for Comet Motor Express, and Larson Transportation Company; Winston S. Howard, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for Leonard Gray, and Valley Transfer.

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

By Decision No. 6715, on October 9, 1935, J. J. Babb, Sr., and J. J. Babb, Jr., copartners, doing business as "J. J. Babb and Son," were granted a Class "B" private permit, authorizing the transportation of:

> lumber from sawmill at Black Mountain; coal from mines at Mount Harris, Mount Streater, and other points; coke, gravel, and grain (where the haul originates at farms, only) between points within a radius of fifty miles of Craig, with the proviso that for hauls in competition with line haul motor common carriers, 20% in excess of the scheduled carriers' rates should be charged by the permit holders.

On September 25, 1942, the said permit was cancelled, on account of failure to keep proper insurance on file.

On February 4, 1943, John J. Babb, Jr., filed application to reissue said permit to him.

The matter was set for hearing, and heard, at Steamboat Springs, Colorado, en April 20, 1943.

At the hearing, John J. Babb, Jr., testified that his father died soon after the issuance of the permit, No. B-1079; that no formal action

was taken to have the permit transferred to him, but he continued to operate under the permit until the spring of 1942; that at said time, he sold his truck to his brother, who left the state with the trucks; that, having no use for the permit, he also turned it over to his brother, who not only made no effort to have the permit transferred, but apparently left the state, did not use the permit, filed no reports thereunder, and permitted the insurance to lapse, whereupon cancellation aforementioned followed. Some time in the early part of 1943, the brother being unable or not desirous of paying the balance due on purchase price for trucks, they were repossessed by said John J. Babb. On January 14, 1943, the witness filed a Description of Equipment with the Commission, and by letter, he was informed that permit had been cancelled on account of failure to maintain insurance on file.

Babb now has two trucks, a 1940 Chevrolet cab-over-engine, and a 1940  $l_2^1$ -ton Chevrolet. They are equipped with dump bodies at this time, although applicant has flat beds for each truck. Since January, he has been hauling coal from Axial for one Phelan, who operates a mine at that point, under Phelan's commercial carrier permit.

He stated that he also wanted to transport the same commodities named in the original permit; that, at times, there was considerable demand for transportation of grain by for-hire carriers, especially from farms to mills at Craig during the harvest season, and from Craig and points in Routt County to sheep camps near Maybell during the season when sheep are being fed in that section, which runs from about the middle of December to April 1; that during the same period, sheep are fed hay, which moves from ranches in Moffat and Routt counties to the feeding grounds. He has not hauled any hay for 19 months. As to lumber, he stated that he was desirous of hauling lumber, if anyone wanted lumber hauled, from a mill belonging to his uncle to Craig and ranches and farms within the fifty-mile radius named in the application. He was unable to remember any occasion when he had hauled gravel under the permit, although he wanted to retain that authority.

He also stated that he desires to serve anyone who called him, especially for the movement of grain and hay; that it would be impossible to determine in advance of the call who would want that service, because in many instances, during harvest season, and even during the sheep feeding season, shippers were unable to anticipate their wants in advance; that he expected to advertise his service to the public.

He admitted that Leonard Gray and other carriers could satisfy requirements of the community for the for-hire movement of grain, hay, lumber, and gravel, except during the rush season, but thought that at that period of the year, trucking facilities were limited.

Mr. Iles, PUC No. 717, stated that the Comet Motor Express, under its authority, was authorized to perform a line haul service, as well as a call and demand service, for the movement of all commodities between points in the area sought to be served by applicant; that it maintains 13 trucks and 2 semi trailers; that 3 of the trucks are kept to haul grain from farms to Craig, and from Craig and farms in Moffat and Routt counties to sheep camps; that, in all, wight trucks are available for call and demand service, of which about two are out of order on the average, waiting for repairs or parts; that equipment is not busy all the time, and more business could be handled, except during the grain harvest, when all trucks are busy hauling grain to the elevator in Craig; that he moves hay from the farms to Craig, and from Craig and the farms to the sheep camps during December, January, February and March; that at this time, there probably is some shortage of dump trucks for the movement of coal; that all commodities named by applicant in his application, except coal and gravel, can be hauled in trucks other than dump trucks; that the granting of the authority sought would, to some extent, curtail the revenue under his certificate, and while operation of only two trucks by applicant, if he did not increase the number, would not put Comet out of business, he might be compelled to reduce the number of trucks maintained by Comet, and he would be less able to handle peak demands; that a number of private

carriers, including Joe Stanton and Arvilla Watson, operate under Class "B" permits; that Stanton has a substantial number of trucks, of which only one is a dump body. He added that he had never seen Babb hauling grain.

Leonard Gray, PUC No. 880, who also serves the territory covered by the application, and devotes most of his time to farm service, stated that he had not engaged in grain hauling from the fields to elevators during harvest, because he was too busy handling # livestock at that time; that livestock hauling was over by December 1, and except for the fact that he has been able to move hay from Routt County and points in Moffat County, grain from said counties, and cake from Craig to sheep camps in western Moffat County, his truck would be idle during the winter months; that if applicant, with the equipment he now has, or additional equipment he might purchase, took away the hay haul, which amounted to 300 tons during the last winter, it would impair the efficiency of his operation; that he has not seen anyone hauling hay or grain under the Babb permit during the last two years. He does not have any dump equipment. He has hauled lumber from Babb's uncle's mill. He now has three trucks in service, and a new one is about to be delivered to him. that during the wool haul, which is about to start, he will keep one truck available for local service, the others being used to haul wool.

H. Basil Hallquist, Manager of Valley Transfer, PUC No. 1232, at Steambeat Springs, stated that his operation is strictly a farm service; that he has four units; that in previous years, he has hauled grain and hay from Routt County to sheep camps near Maybell; that this year all hay raised in Routt County was fed there, so no hay was available for hauling; that during the winter months, he has very little to do, it being impossible to get to farms off the highway on account of snow; that service during said period is limited to movement of hay and livestock; that his trucks are in use about three days a week; that he has relied on the business to the sheep camps to tide him through the slack season; that he has not found it necessary to get additional equipment, and believes that the facilities

now available are sufficient to care for the movement of hay and grain from Routt County to the sheep camps.

An examination of our Decision No. 6715 shows that applicants desired to haul "grain from farms to elevators and loading points." Obviously, the service contemplated was during harvest season. The permit was granted to haul grain "where the haul originates at farms, only." They were not authorized to haul hay, and apparently did not contemplate hauling either grain or hay from points in Routt or Meffat Counties to the sheep camps. An examination of our report files shows that no reports were filed from February, 1942, to date. Reports filed for the months of October, 1942, to January, 1942, show no hauling under Permit No. B-1079. 31,560 pounds of grain were hauled in September, 1941; 31,610 pounds of grain in August, 1941, from farms to elevators. In June, 1941, he hauled 126 tens, 140 pounds of grain, and in May, 1941, moved 119 tens and 1400 pounds of grain. All grain moved from farms in the vicinity of Craig to the elevator at Craig. No service was performed under the permit during the months of January, February, March, April, and July, 1941. Similarly, no service was performed during any of the months of the year 1940, except that  $12\frac{1}{2}$  tons were hauled during July,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  tons during April, and 5 tons in August. The one shipment in April moved from a ranch near Axial to Craig, and the shipment in July moved from Craig to the Noble Drilling Company location near Craig, the August shipment being 9700 pounds from a farm 7 miles distant from Craig to the elevator in Craig.

It appears from the reports that Mr. Babb has not been very actively engaged in the transportation business. Apparently the for-hire part of his service has not been in much demand by his contract customers or by the public if he has been operating in the past in the same manner that he proposes to operate in the future.

service required in the community. The carriers state that they can continue to perform that service, except possibly the movement of grain during the thrashing season and the transportation of coal.

Ordinarily, we would deny the application of Mr. Babb in its entirety, because he stated that, in effect, he wants to operate as a common carrier under private carrier authority. However, the Commission, generally, without opposition or complaint by the common carriers, has permitted private carriers, and at times non-authorized truckers, to haul grain in emergencies during the thrashing season. Also, it appears that his coal haul service really is that of a private carrier. He wants to haul for Mr. Phelan from his mine or their other mines in the territory. It would seem that authority to perform this service, at least, would cover practically all the transportation service he has performed in the past, and it would not seem to be desirable to have a permit outstanding which might be used to offer destructive competition to common carriers, which would be the situation if wider authority were granted.

Therefore, after careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that John Babb should be authorized to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of grain, during the summer thrashing season, only, from farms in Moffat County to elevators at Craig, and coal from mines within a radius of fifty miles of Craig to points in Moffat County within said fifty-mile radius; that said application in all other respects should be denied, and that permit herein granted should bear the number "B-1079".

# <u>O R D E R</u>

#### IT IS ORDERED:

That John J. Babb, Craig, Colorado, should be, and he hereby is, authorized to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of grain, during the summer thrashing season, only, from farms in Moffat County to elevator at Craig, Colorado,

and coal from mines within a radius of fifty miles of Craig to points in Moffat County within said fifty-mile radius.

All operations hereunder shall be strictly contract operations, the Commission retaining jurisdiction to make such amendments to this permit deemed advisable.

This order is the permit herein provided for, but it shall not become effective until applicant has filed a statement of his customers, copies of all special contracts or memoranda of their terms, the necessary tariffs, required insurance, and has secured identification cards.

The right of applicant to operate hereunder shall depend upon his compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of the Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government.

That said permit, when issued, shall bear the number "B-1079." That said application, in all other respects, should be, and the same hereby is, denied.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 5th day of May, 1943.

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# BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF )

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PERMIT NO.

C-8367

May 4, 1943

STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from..... Clyde Peterson Of 1105 Palmer St., Delta, Colerado 

After careful consideration, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the request should be granted.

# ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, That Permit No. C-8367 , heretofore issued to. Clyde Peterson of 1105 Palmer St., Delta, Colerado be,

and the same is hereby, declared cancelled effective March 22, 1943.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado,

this 4th day of Msy , 19 43

## BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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DEREMER & ATCHISON ) 3551 Blake St., ) Denver, Colorado )

PRIVATE PERMIT NO. B-1522

May &, 1943

## STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from the above named permittee, requesting that Permit No. B-1522 be suspended for a period of six months from April 29, 1943.

# ORDER

#### IT IS ORDERED:

That De Remer & Atchison of 3551 Blake St., Denver, Colorado, be, and they are hereby, authorized to suspend operations under Permit No. B-1522 for a period of not to exceed six months from April 29, 1943.

That unless said De Remer & Atchison shall, prior to the expiration of said suspension period, make a request in writing for the reinstatement of said permit, file insurance, and otherwise comply with all rules and regulations of the Commission applicable to private carrier permits, said permit, without further action by the Commission, shall be revoked without the right to reinstate.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION THE STATE OF COLORADO OF alcompt Missioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 4th day of May, 1943.

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF C. RAYMOND WOODARD, AKRON, COLORADO, FOR AN EXTENSION OF APPLICATION NO. 6024-PP TO INCLUDE THE TRANSPORTA-TION OF GRAIN AND FARM PRODUCTS FROM ) POINT TO POINT WITHIN A RADIUS OF FIFTI MILES OF AKRON, COLORADO.

APPLICATION NO. 6024-PP-B

-----May 5, 1943 \_ \_ \_ \_ \_

Appearances: C. Raymond Woodard, Akron, Colorado, pro se; Marion F. Jones, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for E. F. Anderson, Paul Hickman.

## STATEMENT

By the Commission:

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> Applicant herein seeks authority to extend his authority under his Class "B" private carrier permit to include the right to transport grain between points within a radius of fifty miles of Akron, Gelerade.

He has a semi-trailer, and wants to keep the truck busy. He has been able, at times, to get some business through Mr. Anderson at Akron, who has furnished him with an emergency letter. However, the Port of Entry has objected. Mr. Woodard stated that if emergency letters can be issued by Anderson when he is unable to handle the business himself to the applicant, he would be satisfied to operate at all times other than during harvest periods under such letters. Mr. Anderson agreed that he would use applicant's trucks at times when he is unable to furnish service personally.

It appeared that the harvest extends from about July 15 to September 15. Some years it starts and ends earlier. Combining and thrashing on farms continues to December 1. Corn shelling lasts inte the Spring.

Protestants indicated that they had no objections to the granting of the authority, as suggested.

Therefore, after careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said application should be granted to include the transportation of grain during the period extending from July 15 to September 15 of each year between points within a radius of fifty miles of Akren, Colorado.

# ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That G. Raymond Woodard, Akron, Colerade, should be, and he hereby is, authorized to extend his operations under his private carrier authority to include the right to transport grain during the period extending from July 15 to September 15 of each year between points within a radius of fifty miles of Akron, Colerade.

This order is made a part of the permit granted to applicant, and shall become effective twenty (20) days from date.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of The Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Geverament.

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 5th day of May, 1943.

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF F. A. MURKE, DOING BUSINESS AS "MURKE OIL COMPANY," 432 NORTH THIRD STREET, STERLING, COLORADO, FOR A CLASS "A" PERMIT TO OPERATE AS A PRIVATE CARRIER BY MOTOR VE-HIGLE FOR HIRE.

APPLICATION NO. 6296-PP

May 5, 1943

Appearances: Marion F. Jones, Esq., Donver, Colorado, fer R. E. Ensminger, A. W. Kendall, S. A. Markley, H. M. Melton, R. B. Wilson.

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By the Commission:

The above-styled matter was set for hearing in Sterling, Colorade, on April 13, 1943, at 9:30 o'clock A. M., due notice of the time and place of hearing being forwarded to applicant.

Notwithstanding said notice, applicant failed to appear.

Thereupon, protestants, by their counsel, moved to dismiss the application for lack of presecution.

The matter was taken under advisement.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said application should be dismissed for lack of prosecution.

IT IS GEDERED:

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That the above-styled application be, and the same hereby is, dismissed for lack of prosecution.

This order shall become effective twenty (20) days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 5th day of May, 1943.

# (Decision No. 20891)

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF LAWRENCE DRAKE AND ASHLEY DRAKE, HAYDEN, COLORADO, FOR AUTHORITY TO TRANSFER PERMIT NO. A-2493 TO VERNE M. DECKER, HAYDEN, COLORADO.

APPLICATION NO. 5225-PP-BEB-A

May 5, 1943

Appearances: Lawrence Drake, Hayden, Golorade, pro se; Ashley Drake, Hayden, Colorado, pro se; Verné M. Decker, Hayden, Colorado, pro se.

# SIATEMENT

#### By the Countssion:

Ashley Drake and Lawrence<sup>©</sup>Dräke, on December 2, 1939, were autherised to operate as Class "A" private carriers by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of:

coal, only, from the Coryell Mine, south of Hayden, Colorado, to Hayden, Colorado.

They now seek authority to transfer said permit to Verne Decker, Hayden, Celerado, who was granted authority, on October 23, 1941, by Decision No. 17805, to operate as a Class "A" private carrier by meter vehicle for hire for the transportation of:

> coal from Sleepy Cat Mins, about nine miles south of Hayden, and from Growbar Goal Company Mine, about six miles south of Hayden, on the same road, to railroad loading point at Hayden, Colerado,

and who also asks that said transfer be authorized, and that the two permits be consolidated under the number "Permit No. A-2493."

At the hearing, in Steamboat Springs, Colorade, on April 20, 1943, it appeared that transferee now has one truck; that he has purchased three trucks from transferors, who are "throwing in the permit" as additional consideration for the purchase of the trucks by Mr. Decker.

It also appeared that there are no outstanding unpaid obligations against said operation.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said transfer should be authorized, and that said transferee should be permitted to consolidate his operations under the two permits, Nos. A-2493 and A-2689, and continue the same under the number "A-2493."

ORDER

# IT IS ORDERED:

That Lawrence Drake and Ashley Drake, Hayden, Celerado, should be, and they hereby are, authorized to transfer all their right, title and interest in Permit No. A-2493 to Verne M. Decker, Hayden, Celerado.

The right of transferee to operate under this order shall depend upon his compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

This order is made a part of the permit authorized to be transferred.

That said transferred authority should be consolidated with authcrity under Permit No. A-2689, and operated as "Permit No. A-2493."

This order shall become effective twenty (20) days from date.

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Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 5th day of May, 1943.

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(Decision No. 20892)

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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| IN THE MATTLE OF THE APPLICATION OF )<br>LEAMON RESLER, FORNG BUSINESS AS )<br>"AESLER TRUCK LINE," 23.55 LAWRENCE )<br>STREET, DENVER, COLORADO, FOR AU-<br>THORITY TO TRANSFER PUC NO. 460 TO )<br>BURLINGTOM TRANSFORTATION COMPANY,<br>547 WEST JACKSON BOULLVARD, CHICAGO, )<br>ILLINOIS. | APPLICATIONS NOS. 1487-A-BBAA<br>1502-AAA |  |  |  |
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| IN THE MATTLE OF THE APPLICATION OF<br>DEAN RESEAR, POING BUSTNESS AS "RES-<br>LEE TRUCK LIME," 327 PINE STREET,<br>STHALING, COLORADO, FOR AUTFORITY<br>TO TRANSFER PUC NO. 1115-I TO BUE-<br>LINGTON TRINSPORTATION COMPANN, 547<br>WEST JACKSON BOULEVARD, CHICAGO,<br>ILLINOIS.            | P.U.C. No. 1115-1                         |  |  |  |
| SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                           |  |  |  |

# May 6, 1943.

- Appearances: J. L. Rice, Lsq., Denver, Colorado, for the applicants; E. B. Evans, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the Public Utilities Commission of the State of Colorado;
  - 9. A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the Common Carrier Division of The Colorado motor Corriers' Association; A. J. Fregeau, Denver, Colorado,

for Weicker Transfer and Storage tomoany.

STATEMENT

By the Comaission:

On July 22, 1942, by Deckston No. 19316, the Commission authorized Leamon Resler to transfer cortain operating rights to Burlington Transportation Company, said rights being described in said order as:

> "(1) All his certificates authorizing transportation of commonities generally in interstate commerce between Denver, Colorado and the Colorado-Nebraska State Live, vie U. S. Highway No. 6; between Denver, Colorado, and the Colorado-Nebraska State Line, via U. S. Highway Nos. 85 and 34; and between Holyoke, Colorado, and the Colorado-Nebraska State Line, vie Colorado Highway No. 176; and

"(2) and the continuates and suthority of transforms to biss post freight in intrastate converse in the State of Colorado (including the routes seathered in the foregoing paragraph (1); except between Cleawood Springs and Aspen, Colorade; and except rover's permit operating in Washington and Yung Counties, Colorado."

The Commission has been informed that Burlington Transportation Company does not desire to dequire the operating rights of Mr. Hesler between Denver and Anton, over U. S. Eighway No. 36, and requests that suid decision be amended to elivinate said operation from the permissive authority granted.

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It would seen that such request can be granted.

Therefore, efter excerted consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said order and decision, No. 19316, should be excerted by adding the words "and exc thing intrastate operating rights between Denver and Anton, over U. S. Highway No. 36" after the word <sup>4</sup>"Colorine" at the end of Sub-paragraph No. (2) on Page 3 of the Order coquest is in said Decision No. 19316.

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## IT IS ORDERED:

That said Decision No. 19316 be, and the same hereby is, amended, nunc pro tung, as at date July 22, 1942, by adding the words:

> "and encepting intrastate operating rights between Denver and Auton, over U. S. Highway No. 36"

after the word "Colorumo" at the end of Sub-paragraph No. (2) on the third page of said Order, so that said Sub-paragraph No. (2), as amended, will read:

"(2) all the certificates and authority of transferor to transport freight in intrastate commerce in the State of Volorado (including the routes mentioned in the foregoing paragraph (1); except between Glenwood Springs and Aspens Volorado; and except rover's permit operating in Machington and Yuma Counties, Colorado, and accuding informatics operating rights between Deaver and Aspens, over U. S. Highway No. 36."

That said order, is all other respects, shall remain in full

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THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLOELTO unian Paclar ð Anna

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Dated at Denser, Colorado, Unis 6th day of May, 1943.

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(Decision No. 20893)

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ) GEORGE WINGFIELD, KIRK, COLORADO, ) FOR AN EXTENSION OF PUC NO. 1096. )

APPLICATION NO. 3848-BB

May 6, 1943

Appearances: George Wingfield, Kirk, Colorado, <u>pro se;</u> Marion F. Jones, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for Paul Hickman, E. F. Anderson.

# STATEMENT

By the Commissions

On October 11, 1939, Decision No. 14127, George W. Wingfield, Kirk, Colorado, was authorized to operate as a common carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of:

> farm products, farm and household equipment, livestock, coal, feeds, and building materials, from point to point within the area extending fourteen miles east, and twenty miles north, west and south of Vernon, Colorado.

On May 2, 1940, by Decision No. 15336, said authority was extended to include the right to transport:

(a) used household goods and furniture from points within the area extending fourteen miles east and twenty miles north, west and south of Vernon to points in the State of Colorado;
(b) commercial feeds, cinder blocks, brick and tile from Denver to points in said area, without the right to move any said commodities ordinarily handled by motor vehicle line haul carriers between points served by them; (c) coal from Denver and mines in the northern Colorado coal fields to Wray; (d) coal and building materials from Wray to points in Yuma County;
(e) building materials, on distribution of pooled

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cars, only, from Fort Morgan, Akron, Yuma, and Brush, on the one hand, to Wray, on the other; without the right to transport any of said commodities described in (a) to (c), inclusive, under the extension here granted, from points in the State of Colorado to points in the aforedescribed area that are within a radius of twenty miles of U. S. Highway No. 36 - that is, from points in the State of Colorade to points in the area covered by PUC 847.

He new asks the Commission to enlarge the territory he is authorized to serve a distance of six miles on the south and six miles on the west, which would make his western boundary coincide approximately with the western boundary of Yuma County.

The application was opposed by Paul Hickman, PUC No. 1066, and E. F. Anderson, PUC No. 577.

Hickman's authority, among other things, includes the right

to transport:

livestock between points in the area bounded by the Colorado-Nebraska-Kansas State Lines on the east, and extending west to a point six miles west of the Yuma-Washington County Line, and 25 miles north and 20 miles south of Wray, Colorado; livestock from and to points in said area, to and from points in the State of Colorado: farm products (except livestock) from point to point in said area, and from farms in said area to market points in the State of Colorado; used farm machinery and equipment (including used household goods and used furniture when moved in connection with farmers! effects) from farm to farm in said area, and. from and to farms in said area, to and from points in the State of Colorado; stock feeds, salt, fence posts, wire, building material and general farm supplies from Yuma to farms in said area; cement from Boettcher and plaster from LaPorte to points in said area; household goods, including store and office fixtures and furniture, between points in said area on the one hand, and points east of U S Highway No. 85 on the other, without the right to haul said commodities on U S Highway No. 85 or west thereof or between towns on U S Highway 34 and Denver and intermediate points.

E. F. Anderson, PUC No. 577, is authorized to transport, among other things:

> general freight from points in Washington County to points in the State of Colorado.

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Messrs. Anderson and Hickman, through their attorney, Marien F. Jones, stated that they did not object to extending applicant's territery 6 miles on the south and also would consent to the granting of authcrity to haul from and to Yuma, to and from a strip 5 miles in width immediately adjacent on the south to said extended territory.

In support of his application, Mr. Wingfield stated that he new is living one mile east and six miles northeast of Kirk; that he no longer maintains an office, agent, or trucks at or near Vernon; that since he moved to the place near Kirk, people residing in that territory have been sisking him for service. In the past, they have been geing to Yuma to get trucks. Primarily, he wants to extend his territery west and north in order to get enough business at his new location to justify the maintenance of his equipment. Naturally, people who live in his neighborhood do not want to go to Yuma to get service if they can find a man hear home willing to furnish it. He has never heard any somplaints about Paul Hickman's service.

For himself and others, Mr. Hickman stated that he has a total of eleven trucks, four of which are used on his line haul freight service, seven being retained for service under his call and demand certificate; that said service, primarily, is a farm service; that in addition to E. F. Anderson, Martin Wilshusen is authorized to, and does, furnish forhire service in Yuns. County. In addition to common carriers who can serve all or part of the territory applicant desires to serve, a number of Class "M" private carriers have authority to haul for their centract customers. They all maintain a number of trucks, Mr. Anderson having five. He stated that, in his opinion, the service now offered is adequate; that, except during the hurvest season, there is insufficient business available to keep the trucks of authorized carriers busy; that he does not believe Mr. Winfield should be permitted to move from Vernon and develop a business to the detriment of authorized carriers long in business.

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Upon the record, we cannot say that the now-authorized motor vehicle common carrier service in territory which applicant seeks to serve through the proposed extension is inadequate. Unless we can say that, we cannot grant the authority sought over the objection of said carriers.

Therefore, after careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that public convenience and necessity require the proposed extended operations of applicant in the territory extending six miles such of his present territory, and from and to points in the territory extending five miles south of said extended territory, to and from Yuma, and that certificate of public convenience and necessity should issue therefor; that said application, in all other respects, should be denied.

# ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That public convenience and necessity require the proposed extended motor vehicle operations of applicant, on call and demand, in the territory extending six miles south of and adjacent to his present territory, and from and to points in the territory extending five miles south of and adjacent to said extended territory, to and from Yuma, and the order shall be taken, deemed and held to be a certificate of public convenience and necessity therefor.

The applicant shall file tariffs of rates, rules and regulations and time and distance schedules as required by the rules and regulations of this Commission within twenty days from date.

The applicant shall operate his carrier system according to the schedule filed except when prevented by Act of God, the public enemy or extreme conditions.

This order is subject to compliance by applicant with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

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The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of The Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government. That said application, in all other respects, should be denied.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

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THE PUBLIC UTILITIES CONDISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO.

Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 6th day of May, 1943.

### BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF SI LOCKHART, STEAMBOAT SPRINGS, COLORADO, FOR AN EXTENSION OF PER-MIT NO. B-2082.

APPLICATION NO. 3962-PP-A-BE

May 5, 1943

Appearances: Si Lockhart, Steamboat Springs, Colorado, pro se; T. A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Donver, Colorado, for Grand County Transportation Company, Comet Motor Express, Larson Transportation Company; Winston S. Howard, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for Valley Transfer, Loonard Gray, R. M. and H. N. Greeley.

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Heretofere, Si Lockhart was authorized to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of:

> coal from morthern Gelerado coal fields to users within a twelve-dile radius of Fort Collins, Colerado; used farm machinery and equipment and livestock from and to farms within said twelve-mile radius of Fort Collins, to and from sales rings in Fort Collins, and from and to sales rings in Fort Collins, to and from sales rings at Greeley; farm products, including livestock, from and to farms within a radius of twenty miles of Fort Collins, to and from markets in said area, and livestock in lots of not to exceed 8 head from sales yards in said twenty-mile area to Denver.

He new seeks to extend his authority under said permit to include the right to haul farm produce, including livestock, and farm machinery, between points within a radius of fifty miles of Steamboat Springs, and from points in said area to Denver.

At the hearing, in Steamboat Springs, Colorade, on April 20, 1943, applicant testified that he is an auctioneer of, and dealer in,

livesteek; that he is new located at Steamboat Springs, and is not so-Sively operating under his Class "B" permit, although he is keeping it in good standing because he probably will want to use it some day in the future; that most of the auction sales he cries are held within a radius of twenty miles of Steamboat Springs, but occasionally, he may have a farm sale at a more distant point, all of which will be within said fiftymile radius and in Moffat or Routt Counties. He does not desire to perform any service in Jackson or Grand Counties. His transportation service, chiefly, would be limited to the transportation of a few animals from farms to the sale, or the sale to farms. He has not been asked by anyone to get authority to haul livestock, but has noticed that people have been unable to get a dairy cow or other animal moved promptly after the sale, and at times, have been unable to get them moved to the sale; that Valley Transfer is the only operator available at Steamboat Springs; that it gives excellent service, except occasionally during the fall of the year; that during said period, it sometimes has been unable to handle immediately, but always gets there, it being sometimes late at night on the day service is sought, or at the latest, the following day; that he never has sought the service of Gray or any carrier other than Valley Transfer and Larson. He has noticed that M. B. Kelly, PUC No. 1210, of Slater, Colorado, and W. L. Jones, PUC No. 7980, at Dixon, Wyeming, eccestenally, haul livestock. He was unable to get service from Larson on an occasion or two. He stated that his customers would be limited to ranchers who have stock to sell at the sales; that "some rancher in the fifty-mile area would call and tell him that he had a cow he wanted to send to the sale, or two or three or four or five or six cows, as the case may be. Then he would expect to go out and get that cow or cows for the sale, and then after the sale, if the purchaser asked him to haul for him, wheever the purchaser might be, he would want to be in a position to haul the cow, or cows, out to the purchaser's ranch." He admitted that that amounted to serving the public, generally, and that he would want to serve "anyone who went to the sale, and anyone who had cattle to nove back;" and when asked: "At this time, can you give us a list

of the people whom you expect to serve?" He answered, "No, there would be ne way of knowing."

Mr. Hallquist, in opposition, testified that he furnished a farm service in Houtt County; that he has four units; that he advertises his service in the paper three times weekly; that while busy during the fell months, he attempts, during all periods of the year, to furnish service the same day requested, and always has served within twenty-four hours after call is made; that until ODT regulations became effective, he sent trucks to the sales, but cannot do so now. He presented an exhibit, showing livestock hauled to market in lots of less than 1,000 pounds from January 1, 1943, to date of hearing, April 20, 1943. It showed 29.Lots, weighing from 265 pounds to 985 pounds, varying from one hog, one calf, one cow, and three sheep, to four hogs, three calves, and seven sheep. Another exhibit, showing lots of over 1,000 pounds and less insta 47,000 pounds handled during the same period, being 26 in number.

He stated that during the Spring months, he has had two or three trucks idle a considerable portion of the time; that depreciation, insurance, and other costs of operation continue, even when trucks are idle; that he needs all the business he can get to maintain his service, which Mr. Lockhart stated is excellent.

The record shows that the common carrier service new available is adequate. At this time any community that can get service for the movement of one or two animals on the same day, or at least within twenty-four hours, is adequately served. It not only is desirable not to have more trucks in service than necessary, but under ODT regulations, it would not be allowed, even though a permit were granted.

However, this application should be defied for other reasons. Mr. Lockhart's testimony disclosed that he contemplates operating as a common carrier. This type of service could not be permitted under a private carrier permit. He necessarily would be compelled to limit his service to a few contract customers. The contract for service must be entered into and approved by the Commission before the service can be performed. Obviously, since he stated he would not know in advance who

would require his service, he could not make such arrangements and have Commission approval within twenty-four hours, so even though the service contemplated were desirable, and could be permitted under the permit, he would be unable to furnish the service any earlier than it could be furnished by Valley Transfer.

Therefore, after careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said application should be denied.

# <u>O R D E R</u>

### IT IS ORDERED:

That the above-styled application be, and the same hereby is, denied.

This order shall become effective twenty (20) days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 5th day of May, 1943.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF PAUL N. MOSCHETTI, 524 WEST MAIN STREET, FLORENCE, COLORADO, FOR A CLASS "B" PERMIT TO OPERATE AS A PRIVATE CARRIER BY MOTOR VEHICLE FOR HIRE.

APPLICATION NO. 6327-PP

May 5, 1943

## STATEMENT

By the Commission:

Applicant herein seeks authority to operate as a Glass "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of coal, only, from point to point within a radius of one hundred miles of Florence, Colorado.

Inasmuch as the motor carrier associations, heretofere, have indicated they have no objection to the granting of permits, limited to the service herein sought to be performed by applicant, the Commission determined to hear, and has heard, said matter, forthwith, without formal notice, upon the records and files herein.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said application should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

That Paul N. Moschetti, Florence, Colorado, should be, and he hereby is, authorized to operate as a Class "B" private carrier by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of coal, only, from point to point within a radius of one hundred miles of Florence, Colorade.

All operations hereunder shall be strictly contract operations, the Commission retaining jurisdiction to make such amendments to this permit deemed advisable.

This order is the permit herein provided for, but it shall not become effective until applicant has filed a statement of his customers, copies of all special contracts or memoranda of their terms, the necessary tariffs, required insurance, and has secured identification cards.

The right of applicant to operate hereunder shall depend upon his compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of The Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government.

This order shall become effective twenty (20) days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 5th day of May, 1943.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF W. EARL TAGUE AND FRIEDA TAGUE, 3455 GARFIELD STREET, DENVER, COLO-RADO, FOR A CLASS "B" PERMIT TO OPERATE AS A PRIVATE CARRIER BY MOTOR VEHICLE FOR HIRE.

APPLICATION NO. 6328-PP

May 5, 1943

# STATEMENT

#### By the Commission:

Applicants herein seek authority to operate as Class "B" private carriers by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of rock, sand, gravel, and other materials used in making up the surface of the reads, from pits and supply points in the State of Colorado to construction jobs within a radius of seventy-five miles of said pits and supply points, excluding service in Boulder, Glear Greek and Gilpin Counties. Inasmuch as the motor carrier associations, heretofore, have indicated they have no objection to the granting of permits, limited to the service herein sought to be performed by applicants the Counties determined to hear, and has heard, said matter, forthwith, without formal notice, upon the records and files herein.

After careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that said application should be granted.

## <u>ORDER</u>

#### IT IS ORDERED:

That W. Earl Tague and Frieda Tague, Denver, Colorado, should be, and they hereby are, authorized to operate as Class "B" private carriers by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of rock, sand, gravel, and other materials used in making up the surface of the roads, from pits and supply points in the State of Colorade to construction jobs within a radius of seventy-five miles of said pits and supply points, excluding service in Boulder, Clear Creek and Gilpin Counties.

All operations hereunder shall be strictly contract operations, the Commission retaining jurisdiction to make such amendments to this permit deemed advisable.

This order is the permit herein provided for, but it shall not become effective until applicants have filed a statement of their oustomers, copies of all special contracts or memoranda of their terms, the necessary tariffs, required insurance, and has secured identification cards.

The right of applicants to operate hereunder shall depend upon their compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of this Commission.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of The Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government. This order shall become effective twenty (20) days from date.

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 5th day of May, 1943.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ) WILLIAM H. BYERS AND JOHN WALKER, ) ILIFF, COLORADO, FOR A CLASS "B" ) <u>APP</u> PERMIT TO OPERATE AS A PRIVATE CARRIER ) BY MOTOR VEHICLE FOR HIRE. )

APPLICATION NO. 6300-PP

May 5, 1943

Appearances: William H. Byers, Iliff, Colorado, <u>pro se;</u> John Walker, Iliff, Colorado, <u>pro se;</u> Marion F. Jones, Esq., Denver, Colorado, for Lester Smith, William Blankenbeckler, and J. H. and F. V. Hellbusch; Truman A. Stockton, Jr., Esq., Denver, Colorado, for the Colorado Transfer and Warehousemen's Association

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

Applicant, William H. Byers, stated that he resides about three miles northwest of Iliff, which is located twelve miles northeast of Sterling; that he has a truck, equipped with grain box and stock rack, which he uses on his farm of 320 acres; that livestock service of Blankenbeckler and Smith has been very satisfactory, except for the movement of one or two head of stock or a few hogs from farm to farm, sales, or from farm to town; that, ordinarily, he goes to Sterling on Saturday with a load of farm products or livestock that he has produced, but always has room for more, and if he could get the authority here sought, would be able to do some hauling for his neighbors, as a convenience for them; that the truck mentioned is a one and one-half ton truck, with a l2-feet stock rack, in which he can haul nine head of cows or twenty-two hogs; that, at times, he has handled mixed load of three head of cattle, eight head of hogs, and eight sheep. Grain haul chiefly is limited to the harvesting season, although his neighbors, on occasions when he has been driving to town, have asked him to haul a load of barley to town to be ground or rolled, and returned to them after processing. In the winter, he would be able to haul cattle to Denver, although Blankenbeckler's service to that point has been satisfactory.

In opposition, testimony of Lester Smith, Delbert Hawkins, Mrs. William Blankenbeckler, and E. F. Anderson, in the Shiermeyer application, No. 1630-B, heard the same day at Sterling, was made a part of the record. They there testified that all said carriers engaged in the transportation of livestock and other farm products in the area where applicants seek authority to serve; that Smith has a semi and one truck, Hawkins has three trucks, Blankenbeckler has two trucks and a pup, Anderson has five trucks, Hellbusch has two trucks, and Maloney and Simmons, Private Carriers, have a number of trucks. They all agreed that service for movement of livestock is adequate, and that they are willing to serve at all times.

Said carriers, by their counsel, agreed that permit might issue for the transportation of grain and feed, provided it were made non-transferrable, but urged that they needed all the livestock hauling that was available, in order to maintain their equipment. Applicants are willing that permit be made non-transferrable.

Upon the record made, granting of authority to haul livestock does not appear to be in order. Applicant Byers concedes that service of Blankenbeckler and Smith is satisfactory, except for the movement of one or two head of stock or a few hogs. However, he did not indicate that he was willing to limit his service to the movement of that number in a shipment. Since there is no objection for the issuance of authority for the transportation of grain and feed, permit can issue for said service.

Therefore, after careful consideration of the record, the Commission is of the opinion, and finds, that a Class "B" permit should issue to applicants for the transportation of grain and feed

between points within a radius of ten miles of Iliff, and from and to points in said area, to and from Sterling and Denver; that the now-authorized common carrier service is adequate for the transportation of livestock; that the granting of authority for the transportation of said livestock will tend to impair the efficiency of said authorized common carrier service, and that said application to haul livestock should be denied.

# ORDER

### IT IS ORDERED:

That William H. Byers and John Walker, Iliff, Celorado, should be, and they hereby are, authorized to operate as Class "B" private carriers by motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of grain and feed between points within a radius of ten miles of Iliff, and from and to points in said area, to and from Sterling and Denver, Colorado, and that said permit be, and it hereby is made non-transferrable.

All operations hereunder shall be strictly contract operations, the Commission retaining jurisdiction to make such amendments to this permit deemed advisable.

This order is the permit provided for, but it shall not become effective until applicants have filed a statement of their customers, copies of all special contracts or memoranda of their terms, the necessary tariffs, required insurance, and have secured identification cards.

The right of applicants to operate hereunder shall depend upon their compliance with all present and future laws and rules and regulations of the Commission.

The authority herein granted is subject to all applicable orders of the Office of Defense Transportation of the Federal Government.

That said application, in all other respects, should be, and the same hereby is, denied.

This order shall become effective twenty (20) days from date.

> THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 5th day of May, 1943

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF C. J. SCHULER AND C. F. LOEBNITZ, DOING BUSINESS AS TELLURIDE TRANSFER, TELLURIDE, COLORADO, FOR AN EXTENSION OF CERTIFICATE NO. 60.

APPLICATION NO. 564-BBB-BB

May 8, 1943.

Appearances: Telluride Transfer Company, by R. S. Dunn, Telluride, Celorade, <u>pro se</u>; T. A. White, Esq., Denver, Celorado, for The Denver and Rio Grande Western Railroad Company and Rio Grande Motor Way, Inc.; Cass M. Herrington, Esq., Receiver, for Rio Grande Southern Railroad Company.

<u>STATEMENT</u>

By the Commission:

The above application was filed with the Commission on January 20, 1942. We are now in receipt of a communication from applicant to the effect that they have no objection to dismissing the present application without prejudice.

After a careful consideration of said request, the Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the instant matter should be dismissed.

<u>ORDER</u>

IT IS ORDERED:

That the instant matter be, and the same is hereby, dismissed without prejudice.

This order shall become effective twenty days from date.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 8th day of May, 1943.

(Decision No. 20899)

## BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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RE MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATIONS OF

DELBERT FARRA Box 1179 Arcata, California

<u>PUCNO. 1068</u>

May 8, 1943

## STATEMENT

By the Commission:

The Commission is in receipt of a communication from the above named certificate holder, requesting that Certificate Number 1068 be suspended for an additional six months from May 12, 1943.

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#### IT IS ORDERED:

That Delbert Farra of Box 1179, Arcata, California be, and he is hereby, authorized to suspend his operations under Certificate No. 1068 for an additional six months from May 12, 1943.

That unless said Delbert Farra shall, prior to the expiration of said suspension period, make a request in writing for the reinstatement of said Certificate, file insurance, and otherwise comply with all rules and regulations of the Commission applicable to Certificate holders, said Certificate without further action by the Commission, shall be revoked without the right to reinstate.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO Commissioners.

Dated at Denver, Colorado, this 8th day of May, 1943.