

Decision No. 13462

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BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of)
 GEORGE M. KEMBLE and C. R. ESTES to)
 sell and of L. M. ESTES to purchase)
 an automobile passenger, express and)
 freight line operated between Alturas)
 and Bieber, California.)

Application No. 9819.

BY THE COMMISSION:

ORDER

George M. Kemble and C. R. Estes, co-partners, have filed a joint application with L. M. Estes in which they petition for an order authorizing the co-partnership to sell and L. M. Estes to purchase and thereafter operate an automobile stage line.

The certificate proposed to be transferred is one obtained by the co-partnership under Decision No. 11707 in Application No. 8690, dated February 21, 1923, authorizing the operation of an automotive stage line as a common carrier of passengers, express and freight between Alturas and Bieber, serving as intermediate points Canby, Adin and Lookout, California.

The consideration as set forth in the application is given as the sum of \$1,500. and includes, in addition to the operative right, two Oldsmobile trucks, one Dorris touring car, one Reo speed wagon, three wagons and one sleigh.

We are of the opinion that this is a matter in which a public hearing is not necessary and that the application should be granted.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the above entitled application be, and the same hereby is granted, subject to the following conditions:

1. The consideration to be paid for the property herein authorized transferred shall never be urged before this Commission or any other rate fixing body as a measure of value of said property for rate fixing or any purpose other than the transfer herein authorized.

2. Applicants George M. Kumble and C. R. Estes shall immediately cancel tariff of rates and time schedules filed with the Commission covering service under certificate herein authorized transferred. Such cancellation to be in accordance with the provisions of General Order No. 51.

3. Applicant L. M. Estes shall immediately file, in duplicate, tariff of rates and time schedules, or adopt as his own the tariff of rates and time schedules as filed by applicants George M. Kumble and C. R. Estes covering said service. All tariffs of rates and time schedules to be identical with those as filed by applicants George M. Kumble and C. R. Estes.

4. The rights and privileges herein authorized may not be discontinued, sold, leased, transferred nor assigned unless the written consent of the Railroad Commission to such discontinuance, sale, lease, transfer or assignment has first been secured.

5. No vehicle may be operated by applicant L. M. Estes unless such vehicle is owned by said applicant or is leased by him under a contract or agreement on a basis satisfactory to the Railroad Commission.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 23rd day of April, 1924.

C. Seavey
H. W. Bunnidge
Irving Martin
J. B. Whittington
Commissioners.