## Decision No. 13575

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of ) (1) FRANK WORD for certificate of ) public convenience and necessity to ) operate (2) passenger service ) between Beckwith, California, and ) Clover Valley Lumber Camp, California.)

Application No. 9884

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By the Commission.

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In this proceeding FRANK WORD, who operates an automotive stage line between Calpine and the California-Nevada state line as part of a service between Calpine and Reno, Nevada, atks for authority to establish service between Beckwith, an intermediate point on the Calpine-Reno run, and Clover Valley Lumber Camp, a point distant about 14 miles from Beckwith. The only means of transportation between Beckwith and Clover Valley is a logging train which operates irregularly and does not transport passengers.

We believe that this is a matter which does not require a public hearing and that the application should be granted.

THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA HEREBY DECLARES that public convenience and necessity require the operation of an automotive service as a common carrier of passengers between Beckwith and Clover Valley Lumber Camp and intermediate points.

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IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that a certificate of public convenience and necessity be and the same is hereby granted, subject to the following conditions:-

l.-Applicant shall file his written acceptance of the certificate herein granted within a period of not to exceed ten (10) days from date hereof; shall file, in duplicate, tariff of rates and time schedules within a period of not to exceed twenty (20) days from date hereof, such tariff of rates and time schedules to be identical with those attached to the application herein; and shall commence operation of said service within a period of not to exceed sixty (60) days from date hereof.

2. 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.

3.-No vehicle may be operated by applicant herein 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 17 day

of May, 1924.

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Commissioners.