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Decision No. 13695

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BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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In the Matter of the Application of
 A. B. BLAND and VIRGIL N. SAMS to sell)
 and UNITED STAGES, Inc., to purchase)
 operative rights between El Centro and :Application No. 10,164
 Yuma Bridge, California, and to)
 operate same.)

BY THE COMMISSION,

ORDER

This is a joint application filed on behalf of A. B. Bland, Virgil N. Sams and Thomas Morgan in which the Railroad Commission is asked to authorize the transfer of certain operative rights.

Virgil N. Sams, one of the applicants, holds no operative rights of any nature whatsoever and such portion of the application must be denied.

A. B. Bland, one of the applicants, heretofore held an operative right between Holtville and Yuma Bridge which operative right was revoked by Decision Number 13568 in Case Number 1972. Such portion of the application must also be denied. A. B. Bland at the present time holds a right to operate passenger stage service between El Centro and Holtville secured under Application Number 4148. This portion of the application will be granted.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that A. B. Bland be, and he hereby is authorized to transfer to the United Stages, Inc., certificate

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of public convenience and necessity authorizing the operation of automotive passenger stage service between El Centro and Holtville, California, subject to the following conditions:

1. The consideration to be paid for the property herein authorized transferred may not 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. Applicant A. B. Bland shall immediately cancel tariff of rates and time schedules on file covering service between El Centro and Holtville, certificate for which is authorized transferred. Such cancellation to be in accordance with the provisions of General Order No. 51.

3. Applicant United Stages, Inc., shall immediately file in its own name, or adopt as its own the tariff of rates and time schedules as filed by applicant Bland for service between El Centro and Holtville. All tariff of rates and time schedules to be identical with those as filed by applicant Bland for said service.

4. The rights and privileges herein authorized transferred 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 United Stages, Inc., unless such vehicle is owned by said applicant or is leased under contract or agreement on a basis satisfactory to the Railroad Commission.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED that the above entitled application in all other respects be, and the same hereby is denied.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 12th day of June, 1924.

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H. B. Bourdige
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Commissioners