Decision No. 14025

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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In the Matter of the Application of EDWARD A. MURDOCH to sell and GUY AMES to purchase an automobile stage line engaged in business as a common carrier of passengers and baggage between BAKERSFIELD and POSEY and intermediate points. State of California.



Application No. 10,402

BY THE COMMISSION:

ORDER

Edward A. Murdoch and Guy Ames are joint applicants in this proceeding which is an application by Murdoch to transfer and Ames to acquire an operating right under which Murdoch has been conducting an automotive service for the transportation of passengers and express between Bakersfield and Glenville, via Poso Creek and Woody. The operating right was granted to Murdoch by the Commission by Decision No. 5672 on Application No. 3936.

The consideration given by the applicants is \$1,200 of which amount \$700.00 is said to represent the value of an automobile included in the transfer and \$500.00 the value of the operating right.

We believe that this application should be granted and that it is not a matter requiring a public hearing.

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

- l. The consideration to be paid for the property herein authorized transferred may not be urged before this Commission or any 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 Murdoch shall immediately cancel tariff of rates and time schedules on file covering service, certificate for which is authorized transferred. Such cancellation to be in accordance with the provisions of General Order No. 51.
- 3. Applicant Ames shall immediately file, in duplicate, tariff of rates and time schedules, or adopt as his own the tariff of rates and time schedules as heretofore filed by applicant Murdoch covering said service. All tariff of rates and time schedules to be identical with those as filed by applicant Murdoch for said service.
- 4. The rights and privileges herein authorized may not be discontinued, sold, leased, transferred nor assigned unless the written consent of the Railroad Commission has first been secured.
- 5. No vehicle may be operated by applicant Ames unless such vehicle is owned by him or is leased under a contract or agreement on a basis satisfactory to the Railroad Commission.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 8th

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