

Decision No. 24071.

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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In the Matter of the Application ( )  
of the MONTEREY STEAMSHIP COMPANY )  
for authority to discontinue ( )  
operation as a common carrier be- ( )  
tween San Francisco and Monterey, ( )  
California. ( )

Application No. 17586.

Wm. Gissler, Jr., for Applicant.

BY THE COMMISSION:

O P I N I O N

ORIGINAL

Monterey Steamship Company, a corporation, has petitioned the Railroad Commission for authority to discontinue its operation as a common carrier between San Francisco and Monterey and to cancel its tariff as now filed.

A public hearing on this application was conducted by Examiner Handford at San Francisco, the matter was duly submitted and is now ready for decision.

Applicant company commenced the operation of steamer service between San Francisco and Monterey in the month of March, 1931, duly filing tariff effective March 21, 1931. The tonnage anticipated did not develop and the owners of the steamer used withdrew same from service in April, 1931. No service has since been rendered and it is now the desire of applicant to discontinue service and to cancel tariff now on file.

Although all interested parties were notified there was no appearance at the hearing protesting the granting of the application.

We are of the opinion that the application should be granted, the record showing no business now being available between

San Francisco and Monterey for the applicant, and the public being regularly served by another steamship company operating between such points.

ORDER

A public hearing having been held upon the above-entitled application, the matter having been duly submitted and the Commission being now fully advised,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that applicant Monterey Steamship Company, a corporation, be and the same is hereby authorized to discontinue steamer service as a common carrier of property between San Francisco and Monterey, and

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED that Local Freight Tariff No. 1 (C.R.C. No. 1) of Monterey Steamship Company, issued March 20, 1931 and effective March 21, 1931, be and the same is hereby cancelled and annulled.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 28<sup>th</sup> day of September, 1931.

C. J. Devery  
Leon Whitehall

M. B. Kavin  
Fred G. Peterson  
Commissioners.