Decision No. 24245

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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Application

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No. 17786

In the Matter of the Application of A.W. Purdy, for permission to abandon auto truck service between Los Angeles, La Habra, Brea and Fullerton.

BY THE COMMISSION:

## $\underline{O P I N I O N}$

A.W. Purdy operating a limited freight transportation business between Los Angeles and Brea, La Habra and Fullerton, under authority of Decision No. 14818 on Application No. 9664, dated April 20, 1925, has made application to abandon such service. He alleges that he has accepted employment as the Fullerton agent of Rice Transportation Company, which also serves the same points as applicant with an unlimited freight service, at rates per 100 pounds very materially less than those of applicant, as shown by comparison of store door pickup and delivery, as follows:

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A-W-	Purdy	40	35	30	25
Rice	Transporta- tion Co.	25	21	18	15

It appears, therefore, that the public will not be deprived of adequate service as Rice Transportation Company through its ownership of Triangle-Orange County-San ta Ana system has abundant equipment and schedules to give service at less cost. The application, therefore, should be granted.

## <u>o r d e r</u>

A. W. Purdy having made application for authority to abandon operations as a common carrier of freight between Los Angeles and Brea, La Habra and Fullerton, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that applicant be and he is hereby authorized to abandon and discontinue all service aforesaid within ten days from date hereof; provided, applicant shall file within ten days from date hereof proper cancellation of his tariffs and time schedules now on file with this Commission, and

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED that all operating rights heretofore granted to A.W. Purdy by Decision No. 14818 on Application No. 9664, dated April 20, 1925, be and they are hereby revoked and annulled.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this <u>23</u> day of <u>Muchae</u> 1931.

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