

Decision No. 5671

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BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

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In the matter of the application)
of G. W. McCausland for certificate)
of public convenience and necessity) Application No. 3951.
to operate passenger and express)
service between Wasco and Lost Hills.)

G. W. McCausland in propria
persona.
E. J. Emmons for Jewett & Means.

BY THE COMMISSION:

O P I N I O N

G. W. McCAUSLAND applies for declara-
tion that public convenience and necessity require him to
operate passenger and express service between Wasco and Lost
Hills, a distance of about 22 miles, in Kern County.

A public hearing upon the application
was held by Examiner Westover at Bakersfield.

Applicant was awarded the contract to
carry the United States mail between Wasco and Lost Hills
for a period of four years beginning July 1, 1918, succeeding
E. D. Bacon, who formerly had similar mail contract.

Messrs. Jewett & Means operate a passen-
ger stage between Bakersfield and Lost Hills via Wasco and
offer no objection to the proposed service.

Local permits as required by Chapter 213, Laws of 1917, have not yet been applied for.

O R D E R

G. W. McCAUSLAND having applied to the Railroad Commission for a declaration that public convenience and necessity require him to operate a passenger and express service between Wasco and Lost Hills, in Kern County, a public hearing having been held thereon, the matter having been submitted and being now ready for decision,

THE RAILROAD COMMISSION HEREBY DECLARES that public convenience and necessity require the operation by G. W. McCausland of an automobile stage line as a common carrier of passengers and express matter between Wasco and Lost Hills, in Kern County:

PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that this declaration shall not become effective until applicant herein shall have received a supplemental order from the Railroad Commission reciting that there has been filed herein certified copies of permits from the City of Bakersfield and the County of Kern, as required by Section 3 of Chapter 213, Laws of 1917;

AND, PROVIDED FURTHER, that the rights and privileges herein granted shall not be assigned or transferred unless the written consent to such assignment or transfer has first been procured from the Railroad Commission.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that no vehicle may be operated under this certificate unless such vehicle is owned

by the applicant herein or is leased by such applicant under contract or agreement in form satisfactory to the Railroad Commission.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 10th day of August, 1918.

Edwin O. Edgerton
J. D. Howland
Alex. Gordon

Commissioners.