

Decision No. 6921.

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BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

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In the Matter of the Application of )  
JAMES R. WELD for certificate of )  
public convenience and necessity to )  
operate truck service between )  
Caliente and Southern California ) Application No. 5098.  
Edison Co. K. R. 3. )

James R. Weld in propria persona.

BY THE COMMISSION:

O R D E R

James R. Weld has petitioned the Railroad Commission for an order declaring that public convenience and necessity require the operation by him as a contract carrier of freight between Caliente and Southern California Edison Co. K. R. 3.

A public hearing was conducted by Examiner Handford at Bakersfield on December 5, 1919, the matter was duly submitted and is now ready for decision.

Applicant proposes to charge a rate of \$10.00 per ton for transportation of freight for the Southern California Edison Company between Caliente and the construction work now being prosecuted by that company at a power plant commonly known as Kern River 3. Applicant does not propose to operate on any regular schedule but to perform service for the Southern California Edison Company in accordance with their requirements and at the above mentioned rates using as equipment one Kimball Truck, four ton capacity, licensed by State Motor Vehicle Department under license No. 582816.

At the hearing on this application there was no appearance in protest against the granting of the desired certificate.

THE RAILROAD COMMISSION HEREBY DECLARES that public convenience and necessity require the operation by James R. Weld of an automobile truck line as a contract carrier of freight between Caliente and Southern California Edison Company's Kern River Plant No. 3; provided, however, that the rights and privileges hereby granted may not be transferred or assigned unless the written consent of the Railroad Commission to such transfer or assignment has first been secured.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that no vehicle may be operated under the authority conveyed by this certificate unless such vehicle is owned by the applicant herein or is leased by such applicant under a contract or agreement on a basis satisfactory to the Railroad Commission.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 9<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1919.

Edwin C. Edgerton  
H. D. Loveland  
Frank R. Kern  
Quincy Martin

Commissioners.