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Decision No. 7510

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BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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In the Matter of the Application of )  
 C. W. BURRIS for certificate of )  
 public convenience and necessity to )  
 operate freight service between Eureka ) Application No. 5406  
 and Freshwater Corners and Eureka and )  
 Wrangletown. )  
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B. C. Nelson for Applicant.

BY THE COMMISSION.

O R D E R

C. W. Burris has petitioned the Railroad Commission for an order declaring that public convenience and necessity require the operation by him of an automobile stage line as a common carrier of freight between Eureka and Wrangletown and intermediate points.

A public hearing was conducted by Examiner Satterwhite at Eureka on March 25, 1920, the matter was duly submitted and is now ready for decision.

Applicant proposes to charge rates in accordance with a schedule marked Exhibit "A" and filed with said application and to operate on a time schedule of one round trip daily on Tuesdays and Fridays and more often if traffic requires, using as equipment two Ford 2-ton trucks and one 3-ton Packard Truck as shown by Exhibit "C" amended at the hearing.

There was no opposition to the granting of this application. The testimony shows that there is now in course of construction two large lumber camps near Wrangletown and that

there will be employed at these camps 400 to 700 men which will necessitate considerable freight shipment. There is no other freight line operating over the proposed route.

After careful consideration of the evidence, we are of the opinion that the application should be granted.

THE RAILROAD COMMISSION HEREBY DECLARES that public convenience and necessity require the operation by C. W. Burriss of an automobile stage line as a common carrier of freight between Eureka and Wrangletown and intermediate points.

Provided, that the rights and privileges herein authorized may not be transferred nor assigned unless the written consent of the Railroad Commission to such transfer or assignment has first been procured.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that applicant file with the Railroad Commission within ten days from the date of service of this order a written acceptance of the certificate herein granted, such acceptance to contain advise as to the date upon which service will be commenced, which date shall not be more than 90 days from the date of service of this order.

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

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 30<sup>th</sup> day April, 1920.

*Edwin O. Edgerly*  
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*Dwight Matton*  
Commissioners