Decision No. 8947



BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of CHARLES D. BOYNTON for an order granting permission to sell and transfer his right, title and interest in an automobile freight line operating between Boulevard and San Diego, California, to P. G. COCHRAN, and for permission to discontinue his service; and Application of P. G. COCHRAN for an order granting permission to purchase and operate said automobile freight line thereafter.

Application No. 6745.

BY THE COMMISSION:

ORDER

CHARLES D. BOYNTON and P. G. COCERAN have applied to the Railroad Commission for an order authorizing the sale and transfer of an automobile freight line as a common carrier of freight between Boulevard, California, and San Diego, California, the applicant, Charles D. Boynton, desiring to sell, and the applicant, P. G. Cochran, desiring to purchase, acquire and hereafter operate said truck line.

The rights and privileges, transfer of which is authorized, are those acquired by applicant, Charles D. Boynton by virtue of having operated prior to May 1, 1917, and continuously operated in good faith since that date.

Transfer of the rights and privileges is to be made for a consideration named in the application as five hundred dollars (\$500.00) as the amount paid for equipment and operative rights.

The Commission does not herein pass upon the value of the property involved in this proceeding, nor may the purchase price be considered as a basis for rate making purposes.

We are of the opinion that this is a matter in which a public hearing is not necessary, and that the application should be granted.

IT IS ERREBY ORDERED, that the application be, and the same hereby is, granted subject to the following conditions:

- 1. That the amount paid for the purchase of the property shall not be considered as a measure of value of said property before this Commission, or any other authority, for rate fixing or any purpose other than the transfer herein referred to.
- 2. That the applicant, P. G. Cochran, will be required to immediately cancel all tariffs and time schedules now on file with the Railroad Commission, such cancellation to be in accordance with the provisions of General Order No. 51 and other regulations of the Railroad Commission.
- 3. That applicant, P. G. Cochren, will be required to immediately file tariffs and time schedules in his own name, or to adopt as his own the tariffs and time schedules heretofore filed with the Railroad Commission by applicant, Charles D. Boynton, all rates to be identical with those filed by applicant. Charles D.

Boynton.

- 4. The rights and privileges of transfer which are hereby authorized, may not be discontinued, sold, leased, transferred nor assigned unless the written consent of the Railroad Commission to such discontinuence, sale, lease, transfer or assignment has first been secured.
- 5. No vehicle may be operated by the applicant,
 P. G. Cochran, unless such vehicle is owned or leased
 by him for a specified amount on a trip or term basis,
 the leasing of equipment not to include the servives
 of a driver or operator. All employment of drivers
 or operators of leased cars shall be made on the basis
 of a contract, by which the operator or driver shall
 bear the relation of an employee to the transportation
 company.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this Collaborate, this Collaborate day of May, 1921.

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Commissioners.