

Decision No. 26285

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of PEERLESS STAGES, INC. to reroute a portion of its service between San Jose and Los Gatos to enable it to handle passengers, baggage and express to and from Saratoga and intermediate points; and to readjust its fare and structure through the elimination of certain fares and the addition of other fare points and other fares, and to establish rules and regulations in relation thereto.

First Supplemental  
Application No. 18033

**ORIGINAL**

BY THE COMMISSION -

OPINION and ORDER

Applicant, Peerless Stages, Inc. seeks to have the order in Decision No. 25692 herein, dated March 7, 1933, modified in consonance with an agreement entered into by applicant and Pacific Greyhound Lines, Inc., dated July 20, 1933, by which both carriers exchange service, schedules and tickets of passengers between Los Gatos and Saratoga, and which is appended as Exhibit "A" attached to the application.

By Decision No. 25692 Peerless Stages, Inc. was authorized to establish passenger, baggage and express service between San Jose and Los Gatos, via Saratoga, but was restricted against any service "locally between Los Gatos and Saratoga and intermediate points." Pacific Greyhound Lines, Inc. possesses unrestricted operating right between Los Gatos and Saratoga. The schedules of both companies are so distributed that, if passengers at their option were permitted to use either service between these points, the service would be practically doubled. This will particularly affect pupils attending high school as Peerless Stages' route includes the school, while Pacific Greyhound's does not. The agreement entered into provides division of fares between the companies and transfers and the acceptance of each other's tickets

between termini and intermediates. Nothing appears in the agreement repugnant to law or the rules of this Commission and does appear in public interest.

This appears to be a matter in which a public hearing is not necessary. The application will be granted.

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Decision No.25692 herein be and the same hereby is modified as to restrictions therein imposed to read as follows:

"No passengers, baggage and express shall be transported locally between Los Gatos and Saratoga and intermediate points, except school children under school commute tariffs, now on file with, or as may hereafter be approved by the Railroad Commission of the State of California, and passengers handled in accordance with agreement between Pacific Greyhound Lines, Inc. and Peerless Stages, Inc., dated July 20, 1933, so long as said agreement is in full force and effect. Nothing herein contained shall authorize the transportation of passengers, baggage and express by Peerless Stages, Inc., from points between Saratoga and Los Gatos, excluding Los Gatos, on the one hand, to points between Los Gatos and Santa Cruz, including Santa Cruz, on the other hand, and vice versa."

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED that applicant and Pacific Greyhound Lines, Inc. be and they are hereby authorized to file such tariffs as are necessary to make effective the terms of the agreement between them, marked Exhibit "A" and attached to the application and which agreement is hereby approved.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 21<sup>st</sup> day of

August, 1933.

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Leon O. O'Connell  
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COMMISSIONERS.