

Decision No. 26586

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of)
PACIFIC GREYHOUND LINES, INC., a)
corporation, for authority to reroute)
its existing service between Castaic) Application No. 19142
P.O. and Gormans via the new Ridge)
Highway.)

BY THE COMMISSION -

OPINION

ORIGINAL

Pacific Greyhound Lines, Inc. requests authority to reroute its passenger stages over the new Ridge Highway between Castaic P.O. and Gormans. The new route was opened October 30, 1933, and provides a reduction of 9.6 miles, compared with the old route, a reduction of 700 feet in elevation, elimination of curvature to a minimum and at a 6 percent grade. It will permit applicant to reduce its mileage by 42,048 miles and shorten its schedules approximately 30 minutes. Applicant also requests authority to abandon all service over the old route between termini named.

Applicant was authorized informally to adopt the new route, except for one schedule each way daily over the old route, beginning October 30th. Between that date and November 15th applicant transported no passengers or express over the old route. Through passengers on those schedules complained because they were not transported over the new route. In view of the improved safety of the new route and the absence of patronage on the old one, the application to abandon the latter will be granted.

This is a matter in which a public hearing appears unnecessary.

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Decision No.23244, dated December 30, 1930, on Application No.16989, be amended to eliminate Route No.44, as therein stated and in lieu thereof substitute the following:

44- Between Bakersfield and Los Angeles, via Greenfield Corners, Lebec and the Ridge Highway, via Piru Creek, using the relocated highway between Gormans and Castaic P.O., thence through Saugus and San Fernando, or via Weldon Canyon Highway to San Fernando, and thence to Los Angeles, via both the main highway through Glendale and the main highway through North Hollywood,

and

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED that applicant be and it hereby is authorized to abandon all service between Gormans and Castaic P.O. and to withdraw and cancel within fifteen (15) days from date hereof its tariffs and time tables for such service.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 25th day of November, 1933.

Leon Whisney
M. A. Cur

Commissioners
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W. J. Kearney
Leon A. Wherry

M. J. Carr

Walter H. Brown
COMMISSIONERS.