Decision No. 29345

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

In the Matter of the Application of AUTOMOTIVE PURCHASING CO., INC., a corporation, for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to operate as a Freight Forwarder of automotive parts, accessories, and supplies necessary for and used in the building, maintenance, operation, repair and servicing of automotive equipment to auto parts houses, garages, and service stations between San Francisco and Oakland, on the one hand, and Auburn, Carmel, Chico, Corning, Fresno, Gilroy, Marysville, Merced, Modesto, Monterey, Pittsburg, Red Bluff, Roseville, Salinas, Santa Cruz, Ukiah, Visalia, and Watsonville, on the other hand, and to consolidate any such right as may be granted hereunder with the rights granted heretofore to applicant to operate service as a Freight Forwarder.

Application No. 20512.

BY THE COMMISSION:

FIRST SUPPLEMENTAL OPINION AND ORDER

By Decision 28934, dated Jume 29, 1936, in the above entitled proceeding Automotive Purchasing Co. Inc., a corporation, was granted a certificate of public convenience and necessity to operate as a freight forwarder between San Francisco and Oakland on the one hand, and Auburn, Carmel, Chico, Corning, Fresno, Gilroy, Marysville, Merced, Modesto, Monterey, Pittsburg, Red Bluff, Roseville, Salinas, Santa Cruz, Uklah, Visalia and Watsonville on the other. By supplemental application filed December 31, 1936, applicant now seeks authority to discontinue this service between San Francisco and Oakland on the one hand and Auburn, Carmel, Corning, Gilroy, Merced, Pittsburg, Red Bluff, Roseville, Uklah and Visalia on the other hand on the ground that it has been and is proving unprofitable. It appears from the supplemental application that during the month of November, 1936, a loss of \$234.60 was sustained from said freight forwarding operations.

The granting of this application will not deprive the public of transportation service as the territory is served by other carriers.

It appears that this is a matter not requiring public hearing and that the application should be granted; therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Automotive Purchasing Co. Inc., be and it is hereby authorized to discontinue service as a freight forwarder between San Francisco and Oakland on the one hand and Auburn, Carmel, Corning, Gilroy, Merced, Pittsburg, Red Bluff, Roseville, Ukiah and Visalia on the other hand heretofore authorized in Decision 28934 in the above entitled proceeding provided applicant first supplement its tariffs on file with the Commission in accordance with the authority herein granted.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED that upon the cancellation of rates between San Francisco and Oakland on the one hand and Auburn, Carmel, Corning, Gilroy, Merced, Pittsburg, Red Bluff, Roseville, Ukiah and Visalia on the other hand the certificate of public convenience and necessity heretofore granted in Decision 28934 to operate as a freight forwarder between said points be and it is hereby revoked and annulled.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this // day of January, 1937.

Commissioners.