

Decision No. 29668

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application)
 of Melvin O. King, Jr., for)
 authority to discontinue operation)
 of an automobile service as a common) Application No. 21111
 carrier between Imperial Damsite,)
 Fort Yuma and Cantu, California.)

BY THE COMMISSION:

OPINION AND ORDER**ORIGINAL**

By this application Melvin O. King, Jr., requests authority to discontinue all of his common carrier operations for the transportation of persons and property between Cantu and Imperial Damsite and all intermediate points.

Applicant alleges that the number of men employed on construction operations at the Damsite is approximately a third less than he expected and further alleges that the peak of employment has been reached and passed. He states that he has at all times operated at a loss and that workers avail themselves of fellow employee's automobiles for transportation which they obtain free of charge thus eliminating the necessity for the maintenance of the service herein referred to.

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

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Melvin O. King, Jr., be and he is hereby authorized to discontinue and abandon all his service as an automotive common carrier of passengers, baggage and express between Cantu and Imperial Damsite and intermediate

points and all tariffs and time schedules therefor be and they are hereby cancelled.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED that Decision No. 28656, dated March, 23, 1936, on Application No. 20428, be and the same is hereby revoked and annulled.

The effective date of this order shall be the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 12th day of April, 1937.

Arthur D. Brown
Leon C. Whiteley
John R. Brown
Robert L. Brown
Ray L. Riley
COMMISSIONERS.