

Decision No. 35083

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BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of W. M. MONTGOMERY for certificate of public convenience and necessity to operate transportation and stage service, as a common carrier, between Adelanto and Victorville, in the County of San Bernardino, State of California.

Application No. 24321

BY THE COMMISSION:

FIRST SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER

By Decision No. 34661, dated October 14, 1941, in Application No. 24321, the Railroad Commission granted to W. M. Montgomery a certificate of public convenience and necessity permitting the operation of a passenger stage line for the transportation of persons between Victorville and Adelanto and intermediate points, between Victorville and the Adelanto Air Base and between Adelanto and the Adelanto Air Base.

During the course of the hearing on Application No. 24321, W. M. Montgomery testified that he proposed to equip the line with two 40-passenger buses to be purchased under installment plans with payments running over a period of two years, and that he would, upon the certificate of public convenience and necessity being granted him, seek the necessary authority from the Commission to execute the long-term indebtedness.

Applicant now seeks approval of two conditional sales contracts, dated February 17, 1942, for the purchase of two 1942 International 40-passenger buses, each contract providing for a total payment of \$3,845.86, payable \$1,121.20 in cash and the balance in 18 monthly installments of \$151.37 each, commencing on April 1, 1942 under one contract, and on May 1, 1942 under the other. A copy of each of the proposed contracts has been filed with the Commission.

The Commission has considered this matter and is of the opinion that a further hearing is not necessary; that the request of applicant should be granted as herein provided; that the money, property or labor to be procured or paid for through the issue of said contracts is reasonably required for the purpose specified herein, and that the expenditures for said purpose are not, in whole or in part, reasonably chargeable to operating expenses or to income, therefore,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that W. M. Montgomery be, and he hereby is, authorized to execute two conditional sales contracts in substantially the same form as the two contracts dated February 17, 1942, filed in this proceeding, providing for an aggregate payment of \$7,691.72 for the purchase of two buses, provided that the authority herein granted will become effective when applicant has paid the minimum fee prescribed by Section 57 of the Public Utilities Act, which fee is Twenty-five (\$25.00) Dollars.

Dated at Los Angeles, California, this 3rd
day of March, 1942.

Justin Z. Casper
Ray L. Riley
W. G. Kelly
Richard Jackson
Francis D. Havenner

CERTIFIED AS A TRUE COPY

Commissioners.

Secretary, Railroad Commission
of the State of California

