

Decision No. 40704

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of
AVALON TRANSPORTATION CO. for certifi-
cate of public convenience and neces-
sity to operate water taxis for the
transportation of passengers for
compensation between points in the
State of California.)

ORIGINAL

Application No. 27236

(First Supplemental)

FIRST SUPPLEMENTAL OPINION AND ORDER

By Decision No. 38792 of March 20, 1946, in this proceeding, applicant was granted a certificate of public convenience and necessity to operate as a common carrier of persons and hand baggage by vessel between Balboa and Avalon. It represented that service on a seasonal basis extending from approximately May 15 to October 15 was required.

Applicant now seeks authority to suspend operations prior to October 15, alleging that there is practically no passenger travel between Balboa and Avalon after Labor Day, and that operations after that date would be at a substantial loss.

It appears that this is a matter in which a public hearing is not necessary and that the sought authority is justified and should be granted.

Therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Avalon Transportation Co. be and it is hereby authorized to suspend service as a common carrier of persons and hand baggage by vessel between Balboa, Orange County, and Avalon, Santa Catalina Island, and that revisions of tariffs and time schedules filed pursuant to this authorization be made effective on not less than one (1) day's notice to the Commission and to the public.

This order shall become effective on the date hereof.

Dated at Los Angeles, California, this 10th day of
September, 1947.

Harold P. Hule

Justice J. Cameron

W. H. Howell

R. T. Anderson

Commissioners