

Decision No. 40957

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of )  
LOUIS BRADAS, JR., for a new certifi- )  
cate to operate passenger and stage )  
service between San Rafael and Point )  
San Quentin and intermediate points )  
between San Rafael and Bret Harte )  
Village, in place and stead of present )  
operative rights. )

Application No. 28869

O P I N I O N

Louis Bradas, Jr., doing business as San Quentin Stage Co., is presently engaged in the transportation of passengers and newspapers between San Rafael, San Quentin and Point San Quentin and intermediate points via California Park under a prior right to transport passengers and a certificate authorizing the transportation of newspapers issued by Decision No. 29449 in Application No. 20924.

By the above-entitled application applicant Bradas requests the authority of the Commission to establish a local operation within San Rafael over a loop route which would begin and end at applicant's present terminus at Third Street and Tamalpais Avenue. This service is designed to serve the residential area known as Bret Harte Village. The proposed one-way fare over this route would be 10 cents for adults and children would be transported at one-half the adult fare which would be 5 cents. It is not proposed to issue transfers between the route of applicant's present operation and the proposed route. Applicant also requests the Commission to issue to him a new certificate in the place and stead of applicant's present prior right and the certificate first hereinabove referred to.

As justification for the extension of service within San

Rafael the application states that the area proposed to be served consists entirely of residential properties much of which has been recently developed and is becoming more densely occupied; that said area proposed to be served is commonly known as Bret Harte Village and that applicant has received numerous requests from the residents thereof to extend his service to such area in order that the residents may have transportation facilities to and from the shopping centers of San Rafael.

No other public carrier would be affected by applicant's proposal. This is not a matter requiring a public hearing and the application will be granted.

O R D E R

An application therefor having been filed, the Commission being fully informed therein and it being hereby found that public convenience and necessity so require,

IT IS ORDERED:

(1) That a certificate of public convenience and necessity is hereby granted to Louis Erades, Jr., authorizing the establishment and operation of service as a passenger stage corporation, as defined in Section 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  of the Public Utilities Act for the transportation of passengers and newspapers between San Rafael, San Quentin, Point San Quentin and intermediate points via California Park, and for the transportation of passengers between San Rafael and Bret Harte Village and intermediate points. Said certificate is not granted as an extension and enlargement of but in the place and stead of the prior operative right and the certificate granted by Decision No. 29449 in Application No. 20924 which operative rights are hereby revoked and annulled.

(2) That in providing service pursuant to the certificate herein granted, applicant shall comply with and observe the following service regulations:

- a. Applicant shall file a written acceptance of the certificate herein granted within a period of not to exceed 30 days from the effective date hereof.
- b. Within 60 days from the effective date hereof and on not less than 5 days' notice to the Commission and the public, applicant shall establish the service herein authorized and comply with the provisions of General Order No. 79 and Part IV of General Order No. 93-4, by filing in triplicate, and concurrently making effective, appropriate tariffs and time tables.
- c. Subject to the authority of this Commission to change or modify them by further order, applicant shall conduct operations pursuant to the certificate herein granted over and along the following routes:

Commencing at the terminal at Third Street and Tamalpais Avenue in San Rafael, thence on Third Street, Irwin Street, Francisco Boulevard and State Highway to Point San Quentin and County Road to San Quentin. Beginning at Third Street and Tamalpais Avenue thence over Third Street, Lincoln Avenue, Francisco Boulevard to Irwin Street.

Commencing at Third Street and Tamalpais Avenue in San Rafael, thence on Third Street, Lincoln Avenue, Francisco Boulevard, Irwin Street, Hillview Avenue, Redding Way, Meadow Avenue to Irwin Street.

Applicant may turn his motor vehicles at termini or intermediate points either in the intersection of the street, or by operating around a block, in either direction, contiguous to such intersection.

The effective date of this order shall be 20 days from the

date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 25<sup>th</sup> day  
of November, 1947.

Harold Kula

Justice J. Gardner

Frank L. Wallace

A. E. Dunnington

Herbert Patten

COMMISSIONERS