

ORIGINAL

Decision No. 42182

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of CHARLES LEE TILDEN, CHARLES LEE TILDEN, JR. and IRVING S. CULVER, a copartnership, doing business as GIBRALTAR WAREHOUSES, to sell and transfer, and of CHARLES LEE TILDEN, JR. and IRVING S. CULVER, a copartnership, to purchase and acquire a public utility warehouse business operated in San Francisco, California.

Application  
No. 29770

OPINION AND ORDER

Charles Lee Tilden, Charles Lee Tilden, Jr. and Irving S. Culver, copartners doing business as Gibraltar Warehouses, (1) have been engaged in operating public warehouses in San Francisco. In this application they report that Charles Lee Tilden, desiring to withdraw from business, heretofore has made arrangements to sell and transfer his partnership interest in the business to the remaining two partners, equally, in consideration of the payment to him of \$15,379.28. They have asked the Commission to make its order authorizing such sale and transfer.

The Commission has considered this application and is of the opinion that a public hearing thereon is not necessary and

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(1) By Decision No. 41066, dated December 22, 1947, the Commission granted to Charles Lee Tilden, Charles Lee Tilden, Jr. and Irving S. Culver a certificate of public convenience and necessity to establish and operate 224,000 square feet of warehouse floor space in San Francisco in lieu of prescriptive rights and a temporary certificate then held by them.

Applicants have conducted their operations in leased premises. As of December 31, 1947, the proprietor's investment in the business was reported at \$46,638.63.

that the application should be granted, as herein provided, therefore,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED as follows:

1. Charles Lee Tilden, Charles Lee Tilden, Jr. and Irving S. Culver, a copartnership, may sell and transfer their public utility warehouse properties, business and rights, referred to herein, to Charles Lee Tilden, Jr. and Irving S. Culver, a copartnership, provided that applicants shall, immediately upon the transfer of the business and on not less than five (5) days' notice to the Commission and to the public, supplement or reissue the tariff on file with the Commission, insofar as it names rates, rules and regulations governing warehouse operations of Charles Lee Tilden, Charles Lee Tilden, Jr. and Irving S. Culver, to show that they have withdrawn or cancelled and that Charles Lee Tilden, Jr. and Irving S. Culver have concurrently adopted or established as their own said rates, rules and regulations. The tariff filings made pursuant to this order shall in all other respects comply with the regulations governing the construction and filing of warehouse tariffs set forth in the Commission's General Order No. 61.

2. The action taken herein shall not be construed to be a finding of the value of the properties, business and rights herein authorized to be transferred.

3. The authority herein granted will become effective twenty (20) days after the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 3rd day  
of November, 1948.

R. E. Downing

Justus J. Craven

David Russell

Harriet K. Kule

Samuel F. Potter

Commissioners