

Decision No. 44000

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of Application of)
W. M. WOOD, doing business as)
REDDING-LAKEVIEW STAGES, a cor-)
poration, for authority to suspend)
for a period of one year its service)
between Montgomery Creek and Big)
Bend.)

Application No. 30093
First Supplemental

OPINION AND ORDER

By this first supplemental application, W. M. Wood, doing business as Redding-Lakeview Stages, requests authority of the Commission to continue suspension of his passenger stage operation between Montgomery Creek and Big Bend for an additional one-year period.

Applicant presently is conducting a passenger stage service between Redding and the California-Oregon State line north of Alturas via Montgomery Creek. A branch of this operation extends from Montgomery Creek to Big Bend. At the latter point Pacific Gas and Electric Company had planned to begin the development of a new project to be known as the Pit No. 4 Powerhouse. By Decision No. 42606, dated March 15, 1949, on the original application herein, applicant Wood was authorized to suspend service for the transportation of passengers and express between Montgomery Creek and Big Bend until April 1, 1950. This suspension was authorized upon the allegations of the applicant that the Pacific Gas and Electric Company had completed a survey in the Big Bend area with the expectation of starting the powerhouse project. Construction thereof had not then been started. In this supplemental application applicant asserts this project is

not yet under way nor is there any indication that it will be begun in the immediate future. Therefore, he requests authority to continue suspension of his operations between Montgomery Creek and Big Bend for an additional one-year period.

Therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED:

(1) That W. M. Wood is hereby authorized to continue suspension of operations between Montgomery Creek and Big Bend until April 1, 1951.

(2) That applicant shall comply with provisions of General Orders Nos. 79, 80 and 93-A by filing in triplicate, appropriate tariffs and time tables effective concurrently, on not less than five days' notice to the Commission and the public.

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

Dated at Los Angeles, California, this 4th day of April, 1950.

R. J. Anderson
Justice J. C. Adams
W. H. Lawrence
Harold H. Hill
Kenneth D. Totten
Commissioners