

ORIGINAL

Decision No. 49608

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of)
 GEORGE A. MYERS, KARL D. GENTRY,)
 PERCY MURRAY, RICHARD M. SMITH,)
 A. M. COLLIER and ROSS RAGLAND,)
 copartners doing business as)
 TULELAKE COLD STORAGE CO., and of)
 A. M. COLLIER, ROSS RAGLAND and)
 GEORGE A. MYERS for approval of)
 transfer by each A. M. Collier and)
 Ross Ragland of his one-tenth)
 interest in said copartnership to)
 George A. Myers, and the retirement)
 of A. M. Collier and Ross Ragland)
 therefrom.)

Application No. 35038

OPINION AND ORDER

George A. Myers, Karl D. Gentry, Percy Murray, Richard M. Smith, A. M. Collier and Ross Ragland, copartners doing business as Tulelake Cold Storage Co., conduct cold storage warehouse operations at Tulelake (Siskiyou County). Collier and Ragland each holds a one-tenth interest in the copartnership. By this application they seek authority to transfer their interests to Myers. Myers in turn will transfer to them interests in the Klamath Ice and Cold Storage Co. located at Klamath Falls, Oregon.

The application shows that Collier and Ragland wish to withdraw from the Tulelake operations. It also shows that Myers desires to acquire a greater interest in the Tulelake warehouse and become more active in its management. The other partners are agreeable to the proposed transfer.

No change in the service available to the public nor in rates, rules and regulations applicable thereto is involved.

It appears that this is a matter in which a public hearing is not necessary, that applicants' proposals are not adverse to the

public interest and that the sought authority should be granted.

The action taken herein shall not be construed to be a finding of the value of the property herein authorized to be transferred.

Therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that A. M. Collier and Ross Ragland may, within sixty days after the effective date hereof, transfer their interests in the warehouse property and equipment involved in this proceeding to George A. Myers; and that prior to the effective date of said transfer applicants shall, on not less than five days' notice to the Commission and the public, supplement tariffs on file with the Commission insofar as they name rates, rules and regulations governing the warehouse operations here involved to show this change in the copartnership.

This order shall become effective twenty days after the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 26th day of January, 1954.

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 Commissioners