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Decision No. 51244

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of GENEVA C. MONNET and VIRGIL H. MONNET, copartners, doing business as MANUFACTURERS DISTRIBUTION TERMINAL, for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to operate as a highway common carrier.

Application No. 36291

OPINION

This application as amended seeks authority to establish highway common carrier service in the San Francisco-East Bay Cartage Zone established by Decision No. 50872 (Case 5535; 53 Cal PUC 696). The commodities sought to be transported are new household goods, new office, store and institutional furniture, fixtures and equipment.

Manufacturers Distribution Terminal has been in business since 1939. The applicants purchased the business on June 1, 1950. Virgil H. Monnet has been in the transportation business for about thirty years. He has rail and steamship experience. He is manager. There is also an assistant manager, four full time and one part time office employees and from six to eleven warehousemen and drivers.

The firm has recently acquired a terminal in Emeryville.

The building includes 35,000 square feet divided 25,000 for storage space, 1,600 for office space and the rest for handling shipments.

The applicants own three trucks which meet their minimum requirements.

Additional equipment is leased during peak periods.

Applicants filed a traffic exhibit which reveals frequent intercity service rendered by it between various points in its application. The exhibit covers the period August 1 to September 15 inclusive of both 1953 and 1954. Service has been substantially a

daily one.

Questions relating to the need for service in the cartage zone were exhaustively explored in Case No. 5535, supra, and therefore public hearings are not necessary in this matter. Other carriers operating in the area have received certificates effective either on February 1, 1955, or as of the dates of issuance, if later. The following order will be made effective as of its date.

The evidence shows that applicants have the necessary financial ability, facilities, equipment, experience and personnel to undertake the proposed service. It further shows that the growth of San Francisco-Rast Bay communities has increased the over-all requirements for common carrier service and has resulted in increased demand for applicants' services. Public convenience and necessity require that the application be granted.

Applicants are placed upon notice that operative rights, as such, do not constitute a class of property which may be capitalized or used as an element of value in rate fixing for any amount of money in excess of that originally paid to the State as the consideration for the grant of such rights. Aside from their purely permissive aspect, such rights extend to the holder a full or partial monopoly of a class of business over a particular route. This monopoly feature may be changed or destroyed at any time by the State, which is not in any respect limited as to the number of rights which may be given.

ORDER

Application having been filed and the Commission having considered the same and being of the opinion and finding that public convenience and necessity so require, therefore,

IT IS ORDERED:

- 1. That a certificate of public convenience and necessity is hereby granted to Geneva C. Monnet and Virgil H. Monnet authorizing the establishment and operation of a service as a highway common carrier, as defined in Section 213 of the Public Utilities Code, for the transportation of new household goods and new office, store and institutional furniture and fixtures between the points set forth in Appendix "A" annexed hereto and by this reference made a pert of this order.
- 2. That in providing service pursuant to the authority herein granted, applicants may use any and all streets, roads, highways and bridges and shall comply with the following service regulations:
 - a. Within thirty days after the effective date of this order, applicants shall file a written acceptance of the certificate herein granted.
 - b. Within sixty days after the effective date hereof, and upon not less than five days notice to the Commission and the public, applicants shall establish the service herein authorized and comply with the provisions of General Order No. 80 by filing in triplicate and concurrently making effective tariffs satisfactory to the Commission.

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

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LIMITS OF SAN FRANCISCO-EAST BAY CARTAGE ZONE

San Francisco-East Bay Cartage Zone includes that area embraced by the following boundary:

Beginning at the point where the San Francisco-San Mateo County Boundary Line meets the Pacific Ocean; thence easterly along said boundary line to Lake Morced Boulevard; thence southerly along said Lako Merced Boulevard and Lynnewood Drive to So. Mayfair Avenue; thence westerly along said South Mayfair Avenue to Crestwood Drive; thence southerly along Crestwood Drive to Southgate Avenue; thence westerly along Southgate Avenue to Maddux Drive; thence southerly and easterly along Maddux Drive to a point one mile west of Highway U.S. 101; thence southeasterly along an imaginary line one mile west of and paralleling Highway U.S. 101 (El Camino Real) to its intersection with the southerly boundary line of the City of San Mateo; thence northeasterly, northwesterly, northerly and easterly along said southerly boundary to Bayshore Highway (U.S. 101 Bypass); thence leaving said boundary line and continuing easterly along the projection of last said course to its intersection with Belmont (or Angelo) Creek; thence northeasterly along Belmont (or Angelo) Creek to Seal Creck; thence westerly and northerly to a point one mile south of Toll Bridge Road; thence easterly along an imaginary line one mile southerly and paralloling Toll Bridge Road and San Mateo Bridge and Mt. Eden Road to its intersection with State Sign Route 17; thence continuing easterly and northeasterly along an imaginary line one mile south and southeasterly of and paralleling Mt. Eden Road and Jackson Road to its intersection with an imaginary line one mile easterly of and paralleling State Sign Route 9; thence northerly along said imaginary line one mile easterly of and paralleling State Sign Route 9 to its intersection with "B" Street, Hayward; thence easterly and northerly along "B" Street to Center Street; thence northerly along Center Street to Castro Valley Boulevard; thence westerly along Castro Valley Boulevard to Redwood Road; thence northerly along Redwood Road to William Street; thence westerly along William Street and 168th Avenue to Foothill Boulevard; northwesterly along Foothill Boulevard to the southerly boundary line of the City of Oakland; thence easterly and northerly along the Oakland Boundary Line to its intersection with the Alameda-Contra Costa County Boundary Line; thence northwesterly along last said line to its intersection with Arlington Avenue (Berkeley); thence northwesterly along Arlington Avenue to a point one mile north-easterly of San Pablo Avenue (Highway U.S. 40); thence northwesterly along an imaginary line one mile easterly of and paralleling San Pablo Avenue (Highway U.S.40) to its intersection with County Road No. 20 (Contra Costa County); thence westerly along County Road No. 20 to Broadway Avenue (also known as Balboa Road); thence northerly along Broadway Avenue (also known as Balboa Road) to Highway U.S. 40; thence northerly along Highway U.S. 40 to Rivers Street; thence westerly along Rivers Street to 11th Street; thence northerly along 11th Street to Johns Avenue; thence westerly along Johns Avenue to Collins Avenue; thence northerly along Collins Avenue to Morton Avenue; thence westerly along Morton Avenue to the Southern Pacific Company right of way and continuing westerly along the prolongation of Morton Avenue to the shore line of San Pablo Bay; thence southerly and westerly along the shore line and waterfront of San Pablo Bay to Point San Pablo; thence southerly along an imaginary line from Point San Pablo to the San Francisco Waterfront at the foot of Market Street; thence westerly along said waterfront and shore line to the Pacific Ocean; thence southerly along the shore line of the Pacific Ocean to the point of reginning.
The foregoing description includes the following points or portions

Thereof:
Alameda
Alameda Pier
Albany
Baden
Bay Farm Island
Bayshore
Berkeley
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Brisbane
Broadway
Burlingame
Camp Knight
Castro Vallay
Colma
Daly City East Oakland
Essa Cowfoug

Elmhurst Emeryville Ferry Point
Fruitvale
Government Island
Hayward
Lawndale
Lomita Park
Melrose Millbrae
Mills Field
Mt. Eden
Oakland
Oakland Municipal
Airport

Elicton

Oakland Pier
Ocean View
Piedmont
Point Castro
Point Fleming
Point Isabel
Point Molate
Point Orient
Point Potrero
Point Richmond
Point San Pablo
Richmond Russell City
San Bruno
San Francisco
San Francisco Inte
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San Leandro
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San Mateo
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Stege
Tanforan
Treasure Island
Union Park
Visitacion
Westlake
Winehaven
Yerba Buena
Island

APPENDIX "A" (Continued)

MAP SHOWING

LIMITS OF SAN FRANCISCO - EAST BAY CARTAGE ZONE

