Decision No. 52052

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of) ORANGE EMPIRE TRUCK LINES, INC.,) a corporation, for a certificate of) public convenience and necessity to) operate as a highway common carrier) for the transportation of property.)

Application No. 36411

<u>O P I N I O N</u>

Orange Empire Truck Lines, Inc., is engaged in the transportation of property in California pursuant to permits issued by this Commission.

It seeks an order authorizing it to conduct a statewide service as a highway common carrier for the transportation of general commodities, with certain exceptions.

Notice of filing of the application was given all common carriers subject to the jurisdiction of this Commission.

The application, insofar as it concerns Part A of paragraph IV thereof, does not contain evidence sufficient to constitute a showing that public convenience and necessity require the establishment of the proposed service.

It appears that as of the date of the filing of the application, with reference to Parts B, C and D of paragraph IV thereof, applicant was conducting its operations within the scope of the permitted authority heretofore issued by this Commission. Such operations not having constituted highway common carriage, the sought certificate of public convenience and necessity is not a requisite for its continuance.

The application will be denied.

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The Commission has considered the application and representations filed herein, Now Therefore

IT IS ORDERED that Application No. 36411 is denied.

The effective date of this order shall be ninety days after the date hereof.

1 th day Dated at ______ San Francisco _____, California, this Dr ____, 1955 dent luie Commissioners

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