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## Decision No. 52176

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of ) MINATTA TRANSPORTATION COMPANY, a ) California corporation, for a ) certificate of public convenience ) and necessity to operate as a high- ) way common carrier.

Application No. 36349

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

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Minatta Transportation Company is engaged in the transportation of property in California pursuant to a permit issued by this Commission.

Applicant seeks an order authorizing it to conduct service as a highway common carrier for the transportation of lumber, hay and grain, statewide; steel from Fontana to the Bay Area; cement from Permanente and Redwood City to Eureka; general commodities from Los Angeles Basin and San Francisco Bay Area to Eureka and intermediate points.

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

Upon consideration of the allegations of the application and the representations filed pursuant to the above-mentioned notice, it appears that as of the date of the filing of the application applicant was conducting his 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 their continuance. It further appears that applicant does not possess the financial resources to institute and maintain the proposed service. 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. 36349 is denied.

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

Dated at \_\_\_\_\_\_ San Francisco \_\_\_\_\_\_, California, this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of Movemberl, 1955. ident

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