

**ORIGINAL**

Decision No. 53503

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of Ben Miller and Esther Miller, DBA B & M Moving Expressing Service, for exemption from the provisions of General Order 84C regarding C.O.D. bond.	}	Application No. 38229
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OPINION AND ORDER

Applicants hold city and highway carrier permits. By Decision No. 51669 of July 12, 1955, in Application No. 37074, they were authorized to handle C.O.D. (collect on delivery) shipments for the 30th and San Pablo Furniture Warehouse Store without securing and filing the bond required by General Order No. 84C. This authority has expired. Applicants again seek relief from the bonding requirement. The shipper has again voluntarily waived the protection afforded by the C.O.D. bond.

It appears that this is a matter in which a public hearing is not necessary and that an extension of relief from the bond filing requirements is justified. Because the conditions under which the C.O.D. service in question is performed may change, the extension will be limited to a one-year period, subject to such further change as circumstances may require. As applicants' exemption has expired, the order herein will be made effective immediately.

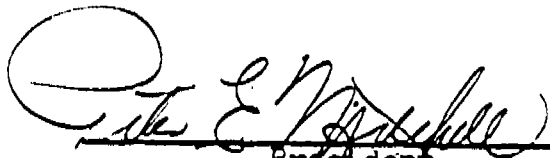
Therefore, good cause appearing,


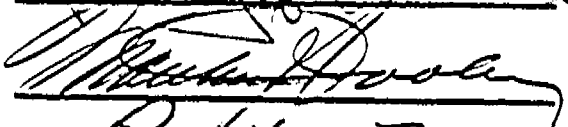
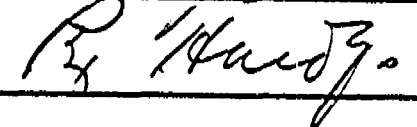
IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Ben Miller and Esther Miller, doing business as B & M Moving Expressing Service, be and they are hereby authorized to handle C.O.D. shipments for the 30th and San Pablo Furniture Warehouse Store without providing and filing the

bond required by General Order No. 84C; that this authority shall expire one year after the effective date of this order, unless sooner canceled, changed or extended by order of the Commission; and that, in all other respects, the rules and regulations set forth in General Order No. 84C shall govern the C.O.D. services involved in this proceeding.

This order shall become effective on the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 31<sup>st</sup> day of July, 1956.

  
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