

**ORIGINAL**Decision No. 53960

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of )  
 DAIGH & STEWART TRUCK CO., a corpo- )  
 ration, for the removal of certain ) Application No. 38404  
 restrictions from its certificate )  
 of public convenience and necessity.)

O P I N I O N

Daigh & Stewart Truck Co. is presently authorized to trans- ✓  
 port shipments necessary or incidental to the establishment, mainte-  
 nance or dismantling of oil, gas or water wells and similar operations.  
 Its authority is subject to a restriction that it shall not transport  
 any shipments which shall carry a charge lower than that applicable  
 to a shipment of 10,000 pounds. Applicant requests that the restric-  
 tion be removed.

As justification for the authority sought applicant alleges  
 that it has encountered competition from carriers which have had com-  
 parable restrictions removed; shippers demand and require carriers to  
 provide them with a complete service; permitted carriers constitute  
 another source of competition because their service is not hampered  
 by such weight restrictions and that it is extremely difficult to  
 secure back hauls which would help to establish an economical two-way  
 movement and a more favorable load factor.

After consideration the Commission is of the opinion and so  
 finds that public convenience and necessity require the granting of  
 the authority sought. A public hearing does not appear to be  
 necessary.

ORDER

Application having been filed and the Commission having been informed in the premises:

IT IS ORDERED that:

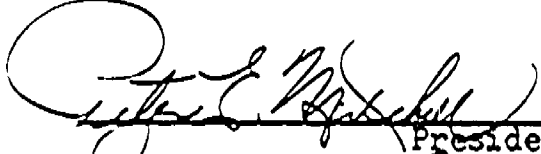

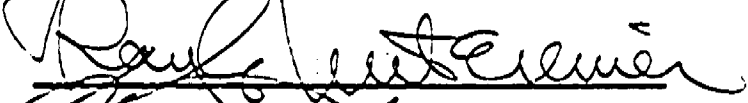


1. Decision No. 44263 dated May 26, 1950, in Application No. 30309 is hereby amended by deleting therefrom the following:

"(a) Applicants shall not transport any shipment which shall carry a charge lower than that applicable to a shipment of 10,000 pounds."

2. Within sixty days after the date hereof, and on not less than ten days' notice to the Commission and the public, applicant shall establish the service herein authorized and file in triplicate, and concurrently make effective, tariffs satisfactory to the Commission.

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

Dated at Los Angeles, California, this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of OCTOBER, 1956.

  
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