

**ORIGINAL**Decision No. 55332

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of )  
 RICHARD A. COWAN, doing business as )  
 DICK COWAN TANK LINE, for a certifi- )  
 cate of public convenience and )  
 necessity to operate an automobile )  
 freight service as a petroleum )  
 irregular route carrier, between )  
 all points in the State of Califor- )  
 nia, by reason of operations con- )  
 ducted on and after September 1, )  
 1949 under Radial Highway Common )  
 Carrier Permit issued by the Pub- )  
 lic Utilities Commission. )

Application No. 31318

ORDER OF SUSPENSION

Richard A. Cowan, doing business as the Dick Cowan Tank Line, is, at the present time, the owner of a certificate of public convenience and necessity authorizing him to operate as a petroleum irregular route carrier between all points and places in the State of California. This authority was granted by Decision No. 44863, dated October 3, 1950, in Application No. 31318.

Mr. Cowan has written this Commission on April 26, 1957 requesting suspension of the above certificate. He states that his request is predicated upon "economic changes in transportation."

Therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED that the certificate of public convenience and necessity granted by Decision No. 44863, dated October 3, 1950, in Application No. 31318 to Richard A. Cowan, doing business as the Dick Cowan Tank Line, is hereby suspended for a period of one year from the effective date of this decision, provided that Richard Cowan shall within 30 days after the effective date of this order and upon

not less than one day's notice to the Commission and to the public, amend his tariffs and time schedules showing the suspension of service as herein ordered.

This order shall become effective twenty days after the date hereof.

Dated at Los Angeles, California, this 31<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1957.

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President

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Commissioners