

ORIGINAL

Decision No. 56088

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of)	
James R. McGrath for exemption from)	
the provisions of General Order)	Application No. 39635
No. 84C regarding C.O.D. Bond.)	

OPINION AND ORDER

Applicant holds city, household goods and radial highway common carrier permits. By Decision No. 54374 of January 15, 1957, in Application No. 38681, he was authorized to handle C.O.D. (collect on delivery) shipments for J. S. West & Co., East's Cash Market, Medico-Dental Pharmacy, Tar Scott Drugs, National Beverage, Smith Furniture Co., Leslies, Modesto Office Equipment and Madonna's Wines and Liquors, without securing and filing a bond with the Commission as required by General Order No. 84C. That authority is scheduled to expire January 15, 1958. Applicant now seeks a one-year extension of the authority as it would apply to seven of these firms, as named hereinafter. The affected shippers again have waived the protection afforded by the C.O.D. bond requirements.

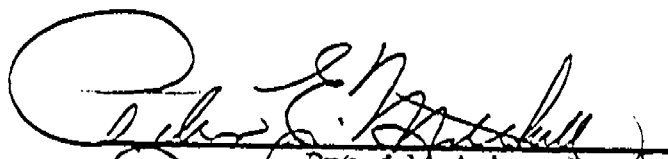
It appears that this is a matter in which a public hearing is not necessary and that the sought relief from the bond filing requirements is justified. In view of the expiration date of the present exemption, the order herein will be made effective January 15, 1958.

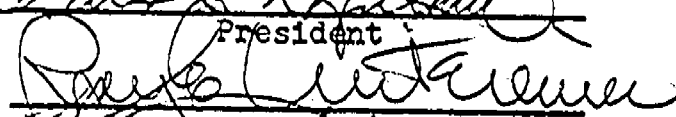
Therefore, good cause appearing,

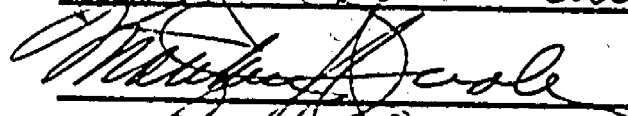
IT IS ORDERED that James R. McGrath is hereby authorized to handle C.O.D. shipments for J. S. West & Co., East's Cash Market, Medico-Dental Pharmacy, Tar Scott Drugs, Smith Furniture Co., Leslies, and Madonna's Wines and Liquors without providing and filing the bond required by General Order No. 84C; 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.

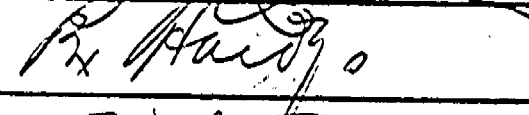
This order shall become effective January 15, 1958.

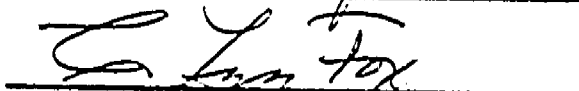
Dated at San Francisco, California, this 14th day of January, 1958.



President








Commissioners