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Decision No. 56551

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of RICHARD CHALA for certificate of public convenience and necessity to operate a passenger service between OXNARD and certain Labor Camps in Ventura County.

Application No. 39749

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

Richard Chala requests authority to render a passenger stage service for the transportation of Mexican agricultural contract laborers between Oxnard and twelve labor camps located in Ventura County.

The fares for the proposed "on-call" service would range from 15 cents to 50 cents, depending upon the distance of the camps from Oxnard, which vary from 1 mile to 17 miles. Applicant proposes to use two 40-passenger buses and one 10-passenger station wagon. He indicated a net worth of \$11,800 as of January 1, 1958.

To justify the authority sought, applicant alleges that Mexican citizens work in the county under a contract between the United States and Mexico; that during the peak months many thousands are billeted at these camps; and that these people have no public means of traveling from the camps to the City of Oxnard for the purpose of shopping.

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.

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<u>O R D E R</u>

Application having been filed and the Commission being advised in the premises,

IT IS ORDERED:

(1) That a certificate of public convenience and necessity is hereby granted to Richard Chala to establish and operate as a "passenger stage corporation", as that term is defined in Section 226 of the Public Utilities Code, for the transportation of passengers between the points and over the routes as set forth in Appendix A attached hereto and made a part hereof.

(2) That in providing service pursuant to the certificate herein granted, there shall be compliance with the following service regulations:

(a) Within thirty days after the effective date hereof, applicant shall file a written acceptance of the certificate herein granted. By accepting the certificate of public convenience and necessity herein granted, applicant is placed on notice that he will be required, among other things, to file annual reports of his operations and to comply with and observe the safety rules and other regulations of the Commission's General Order No. 98. Failure to file such reports, in such form and at such time as the Commission may direct, or to comply with and observe the provisions of General Order No. 98, may result in a cancellation of the operating authority granted by this decision.

(b) Within sixty days after the effective date hereof, and on not less than five days' notice to the Commission and the public, applicant shall establish the service herein authorized and file in triplicate and concurrently make effective tariffs and time

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

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Appendix A

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By the certificate of public convenience and necessity granted in the decision indicated below, Richard Chala is authorized to transport passengers between the City of Oxnard and the following farm labor camps, over and along the routes indicated:

- (1) <u>Campo Pacifico, Campo Buena Vista</u>, and <u>Campo Three S</u>, along Oxnard Boulevard and 5th Street.
- (2) <u>Campo Garcia</u>, along Oxnard Boulevard, Saviers Road, Pleasant Valley Road, and Cypress Road.
- (3) <u>Campo Blanco</u>, along Oxnard Boulevard, 5th Street, and Las Posas Road.
- (4) <u>Campo Norte</u>, along Oxnard Boulevard, 5th Street, Rice Road, Santa Clara Avenue, and Los Angeles Avenue.
- (5) <u>Campo Mobile</u>, along Oxnard Boulevard, 5th Street, Rice Road, Santa Clara Avenue, Los Angeles Avenue, and Ditch Road.
- (6) <u>Campo Saticoy</u>, along Oxnard Boulevard, 5th Street, Rice Road, Santa Clara Avenue, Los Angeles Avenue, Telephone Road, and Saticoy Avenue.
- (7) <u>Campo Camarillo</u>, along Oxnard Boulevard, 5th Street, and Lewis Road.
- (8) <u>Campo Somis</u>, along Oxnard Boulevard, 5th Street, Rice Road, Santa Clara Avenue, Los Angeles Avenue, and Donlon Road.
- (9) <u>Campo Lomas</u>, along Oxnard Boulevard, 5th Street, Rice Road, Santa Clara Avenue, Los Angeles Avenue, and Bradley Road.

Service shall be limited to the transportation of passengers having origin or destination at one of the above camps.

End of Appendix A

Issued by the California Public Utilities Commission. Decision No. <u>56557</u>, Application No. 39749.

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