

ORIGINAL

Decision No. 57740

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of	)	
James R. McGrath for exemption from	)	Application No. 40632
the provisions of General Order	)	
No. 84C regarding C.O.D. Bond.	)	

OPINION AND ORDER

Applicant holds city, household goods and radial high-way common carrier permits. By Decision No. 56088 of January 14, 1958, in Application No. 39635, 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, Smith Furniture Co., Leslies, and Madonna's Wines and Liquors, located in Modesto, without securing and filing a bond with the Commission as required by General Order No. 84C. This authority is scheduled to expire January 15, 1959.

Applicant seeks authority to continue to deviate from the bonding requirements in connection with C.O.D. service for six of the above-mentioned shippers, and also for three additional shippers, A-1 Produce, Foletta's Furniture and The Union Furniture Co., for a further one year period. The shippers involved have voluntarily waived in writing the protection afforded by the C.O.D. bond requirements.


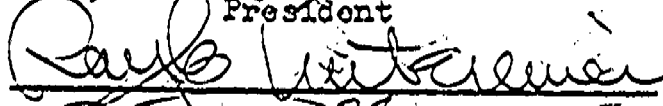

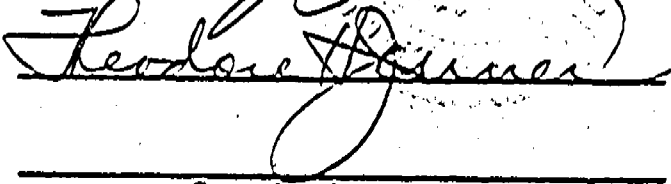
It appears that this is a matter in which a public hearing is not necessary and that continuation of relief from the bond filing requirements is justified.

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, A-1 Produce, Foletta's Furniture, The Union Furniture Co., Tar Scott Drugs, Smith Furniture Co., Leslies, and Madonna's Wines and Liquors, located in Modesto, 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, 1959.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 16th day of December, 1958.

  
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