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Decision No. 57860

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of LAS VEGAS TRUCK LINE, INC., a corporation, to sell; and EVANS TANK LINE, INC., a corporation, to purchase, a certificate of public convenience and necessity.

Application No. 40626

## <u>opinion</u>

Las Vegas Truck Line, Inc., requests authority to sell and Evans Tank Line, Inc., requests authority to purchase an operative right for the transportation of general commodities between Los Angeles and certain adjacent points, on the one hand, and points on State Highway 127 between Baker and the California-Nevada State line and 15 miles laterally, on the other hand, and between Death Valley Junction and Stovepipe Wells and all intermediate points.

A value of \$1,000 is placed on the operating authority. According to the terms of a sales agreement attached to the application \$500 was paid upon the execution of the agreement and the balance will be due and payable upon the final approval of this Commission.

Applicants allege that seller has been engaged in the transportation of property between points in Southern California, pursuant to interstate authority; that seller has not been able to integrate both its interstate and intrastate operations; that buyer is engaged as a highway common carrier, petroleum irregular route carrier and radial highway common carrier; and possesses the necessary financial ability to conduct the operations to be transferred.

After consideration, the Commission is of the opinion and finds that the proposed transfer would not be adverse to the public interest. A public hearing is not necessary.

## ORDER

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

IT IS ORDERED:

- 1. That on or before May 1, 1959, Las Vegas Truck Line, Inc., may sell and transfer and Evans Tank Line, Inc., may purchase and acquire the operative rights granted in Decision No. 54213.
- 2. That within thirty days after the consummation of the transfer herein authorized, the purchaser shall notify the Commission, in writing, of that fact and within said period shall file with the Commission a true copy of any bill of sale or other instrument of transfer which may be executed to effect said transfer.
- 3. That on not less than five days' notice to the Commission and to the public, effective concurrently with the consummation of such transfer, applicants shall amend or reissue the tariffs on file with the Commission, naming rates, rules and regulations governing the operations here involved to show that Las Vegas Truck Line, Inc., has withdrawn or canceled and Evans Tank Line, Inc., has adopted or established as its own said rates, rules and regulations. The tariff filings made pursuant to this order shall comply with the regulations governing the construction and filing of tariffs set forth in the Commission's General Order No. 80.

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

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 13 th day of Anniand, 1959.

President

Commissioners