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Decision No.

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of CLIPPER TRANSPORTATION CO., INC., a corporation, for authority to temporarily suspend service.

Application No. 41232

ORDER OF SUSPENSION

Clipper Transportation Co., Inc., is the holder of certificates of public convenience and necessity authorizing it to operate as a common carrier for the transportation of passengers and their baggage by vessel from Magnolia Pier and from Pacific Landing in the City of Long Beach to Avalon, Catalina Island, and return.

Clipper Transportation Co., Inc., alleges that:

- (1) It presently is not rendering service due to financial difficulties caused by its former owners and managers;
- (2) C. J. Ver Halen, Jr., has acquired the entire stock of Clipper Transportation Co., Inc.;
- (3) The motor vessel "Flyer" is subject to a mortgage which is in the process of being foreclosed by judicial sale pursuant to order of the U. S. District Court;
- (4) The sale is set for June 24, 1959; and
- (5) Clipper Transportation Co., Inc., under the new ownership and management proposes to acquire the "Flyer" or a similar vessel so that operations may be commenced by July 1, 1959.

Clipper Transportation Co., Inc., requests authority to temporarily suspend its operations until July 1, 1959. The application will be granted.

Therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED that the certificate of public convenience and necessity granted by Decision No. 50474 in Application No. 35550 as amended by Decision No. 57563 in Application No. 40316 is suspended until July 1, 1959. This suspension shall become effective from the date of this decision, provided that Clipper Transportation Co., Inc., shall, within fifteen days after the date of this order and on not less than one day's notice to the Commission and to the public, amend its tariffs, showing the suspension of service as herein ordered.

This order shall become effective as of the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 23rd
day of June, 1959.

E. J. Fox
President
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