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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of)
JOHN A. HILDERBRAND and MELVIN O.)
LANGFORD for a certificate of public)
convenience and necessity to operate,) Application No. 37333
Highway Common Carrier Service)
between French Gulch and Carrville,)
California, and Intermediate Points.)

ORDER REVOKING OPERATIVE RIGHTS

By Decision No. 52787 dated March 13, 1956, in this proceeding, John A. Hilderbrand and Melvin O. Langford, doing business as H & L Motor Express, were granted a certificate of public convenience and necessity to operate as a highway common carrier for the transportation of general commodities between French Gulch, Carrville and intermediate points.

By letter dated September 7, 1960, they request that their operating rights be canceled. They state that another highway common carrier, Interlines Motor Express, has been authorized to operate in this territory and that it assesses freight charges based on through rates from other points in California. They assert that they cannot afford to pay the insurance and tariff filing fees due to the loss in business.

In the circumstances it appears, and the Commission finds, that public convenience and necessity no longer require applicants to operate a highway common carrier service. The certificate of public convenience and necessity will be revoked and their tariff canceled.

Therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED:

- (1) That the certificate of public convenience and necessity granted to John A. Hilderbrand and Melvin O. Langford, doing business as H & L Motor Express, by Decision No. 52787, dated March 13, 1956, in Application No. 37333, is hereby revoked.
- (2) That H & L Motor Express Local Freight Tariff No. 1, Cal.P.U.C. No. 1, issued by John A. Hilderbrand, partner, is hereby canceled.

The Secretary is directed to cause service of a certified copy of this order to be made upon John A. Hilderbrand and Melvin O. Langford.

The effective date of this order shall be the twentieth day after service thereof upon John A. Hilderbrand or Melvin O. Langford, unless before such effective date there shall have been filed with this Commission a written response to this order denying the facts set forth herein, in which event the effective date of this order shall be stayed until further order of the Commission.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this Amaday of October, 1960.

Resident

Commissioners