

Decision No. 61491

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of)
 LOS ANGELES TRANSPORT & WAREHOUSE CO.,)
 a corporation, for a certificate of)
 public convenience and necessity to)
 operate as a highway common carrier)
 of limited commodities from Vernon,) Application No. 35918
 California, to various points and)
 places in Southern California, pur-)
 suant to Sections 1063-1064 of the)
 Public Utilities Code.)

ORDER SUSPENDING OPERATIVE RIGHTS

Los Angeles Transport & Warehouse Co., a corporation, possesses a certificate of public convenience and necessity to operate as a highway common carrier for the transportation of certain specified commodities between Vernon, on the one hand, and the Los Angeles Basin Territory, excluding Hemet, and the San Diego Territory, on the other hand.

The Commission is now in receipt of a cancellation notice, dated November 11, 1960, and addressed to Los Angeles Transport & Warehouse Co. by which the Western Classification Committee, Agent, notified it that its participation in Western Classification 77 would be canceled, effective February 11, 1961.

By letter from the Secretary of the Commission, dated November 22, 1960, Los Angeles Transport & Warehouse Co. was placed on notice that its highway common carrier operative rights would be subject to suspension or revocation, pursuant to lawful procedures, unless the required classification is filed and made effective concurrently with the scheduled cancellation thereof. On January 3,

1961, the Western Classification Committee, Agent, filed with this Commission Supplement No. 21 to its classification eliminating Los Angeles Transport & Warehouse Co. as a participating carrier therein effective February 11, 1961.

Section 486 of the Public Utilities Code requires that common carriers of property file with this Commission schedules showing their rates and classifications, and Section 493 of the Code provides that no common carrier shall engage or participate in the transportation of property until its schedules of rates and classifications have been filed.

The required classification not being on file, and the Commission being of the opinion that such failure constitutes good cause for the suspension of this carrier's certificate,

IT IS ORDERED:

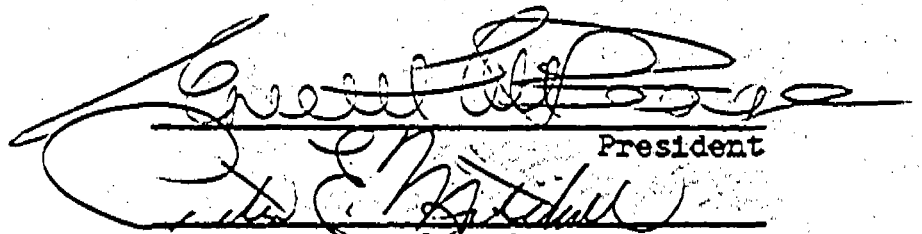
(1) That the certificate of public convenience and necessity to operate as a highway common carrier granted to Los Angeles Transport & Warehouse Co. by Decision No. 55357, dated August 5, 1957, in Application No. 35918, is hereby suspended pending further order.

(2) That all tariffs issued by or on behalf of Los Angeles Transport & Warehouse Co. governing its highway common carrier operations are hereby suspended pending further order. A copy of this order shall be filed with said tariffs in the office of the Commission.

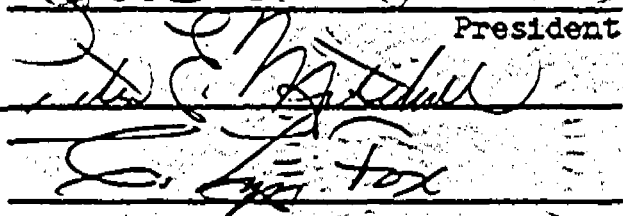
The Secretary is directed to cause service of a certified copy of this order to be made upon Los Angeles Transport & Warehouse Co.

The effective date of this order shall be the twentieth day after such service unless before such effective date Los Angeles Transport & Warehouse Co. shall have filed with this Commission a written response to this order denying the facts set forth herein, or shall have filed a proper and lawful freight classification as required by Sections 486 and 493 of the Public Utilities Code, in which event the effective date of this order shall be stayed until further order of the Commission.

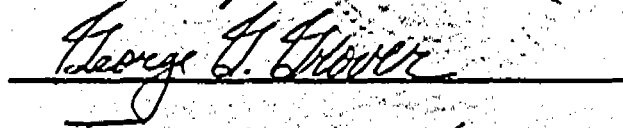
Dated at San Francisco, California, this 14th day of February, 1961.



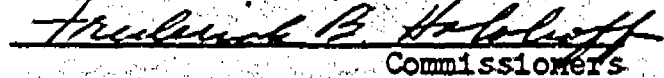
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