

Decision No. 61660**ORIGINAL**

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of)
 LESTER J. GEIJSBEEK and JOHN H.)
 GEIJSBEEK, a co-partnership, doing)
 business as GEIJSBEEK TRUCKERS, to)
 suspend certain operating authority)
 to operate as a highway common car-)
 rier for the transportation of)
 lumber and other forest products.)

Application No. 43085

O P I N I O N

Lester J. Geijsbeek and John H. Geijsbeek request authority to suspend service as a highway common carrier and to suspend their participation in an agency tariff.

The operative rights in question were created by Decisions Nos. 43427 and 45094 and authorize the transportation of lumber and forest products to, from and between many points within the State. Pursuant to said authority, applicants became parties to Pacific Coast Tariff Bureau, Tariff No. 14, C. R. Nickerson, Agent, which provides rates, rules and regulations for the transportation of lumber and forest products.

It is alleged that only a limited number of customers use applicants' service; that as a result it is not the type of operation requiring a certificate; that the same service could be performed within the scope of applicants' authority as a highway contract carrier, thus permitting applicants to perform an individualized service with specialized facilities tailored to the needs of their customers as well as dispensing with tariff filing expenses.

After consideration, the Commission finds and concludes that public convenience and necessity no longer require applicants' service as a highway common carrier. A public hearing is not necessary.

O R D E R

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

IT IS ORDERED:

(1) That within one hundred and twenty days after the effective date hereof, Lester J. Geijsbeek and John H. Geijsbeek are hereby authorized to discontinue their highway common carrier operations on the effective date of tariff filings required by paragraph (4) hereof, but not before such effective date.

(2) That the certificates of public convenience and necessity granted to Lester J. Geijsbeek and John H. Geijsbeek, by Decision No. 43427, dated October 18, 1949, in Application No. 30123, and Decision No. 45094, dated December 5, 1950, in Application No. 31682, are revoked on the effective date of tariff filings required by paragraph (4) hereof.

(3) That Power of Attorney AFl No. 2 issued by Lester J. Geijsbeek and John H. Geijsbeek in favor of C. R. Nickerson, Agent, is hereby canceled on the effective date of tariff filings required by paragraph (4) hereof.

(4) That C. R. Nickerson, Agent, is hereby authorized and directed to cancel the participation of Lester J. Geijsbeek and John H. Geijsbeek from his tariffs on file with this Commission, said cancellation to be made within thirty days after the effective date of this order, and on not less than five days' notice to the

Commission and the public.

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

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

John E. Hatchell President
Ed L. Ford
George G. Hoover
Fredrick B. Halderoff Commissioners