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Decision No. ____63164

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the matter of the application of Robert M. Cheney for exemption from the provision of General Order 84C regarding C.O.D. Bond.)	Application No. 44014 (Filed December 13, 1961)
In the matter of the application of Hector Cota for exemption from the provisions of General Order 84C regarding C.O.D. Bond.)	Application No. 44028 (Filed December 19, 1961)
In the matter of the application of William J. Gahan for exemption from the provision of General Order 84C regarding C.O.D. Bond.)	Application No. 44034 (Filed December 20, 1961)
In the matter of the application of Johnnie J. Gallego, Jr., for exemption from the provision of General Order 84C regarding C.O.D. Bond.)	Application No. 44041 (Filed December 21, 1961)
In the matter of the application of Reyes N. Gonzales for exemption from the provision of General Order 84C regarding C.O.D. Bond.)	Application No. 44051 (Filed December 26, 1961)
In the matter of the application of Hubert Tucker for exemption from the provision of General Order 84C regarding C.O.D. Bond.)	Application No. 44052 (Filed December 26, 1961)

OPINION AND ORDER

Applicants hold highway contract carrier permits. By these applications, they seek exemption from the provisions of General Order No. 84C, under which carriers may not handle C.O.D. shipments until a bond of not less than \$2,000 is provided and filed with the Commission. The sought exemption would apply only in connection with shipments transported for the shipper hereinafter designated. Each of the applications is accompanied by a letter from the shipper stating the bonding of applicants is not necessary in connection with its C.O.D. consignments.

A. 44014, et al. - ac Since the protection of the bonding provisions has been voluntarily waived by the shipper involved in these applications, the Commission finds that the sought exemptions are justified. A public hearing is not necessary. Attention is called to the fact that the exemptions herein granted extend only to shipments transported for the specified shipper. Should applicants desire to handle C.O.D. shipments for anyone else, all outstanding requirements must be met. Because the conditions under which the C.O.D. service in question is performed may change, the exemptions will be limited to a one-year period. Good cause appearing, IT IS ORDERED that Robert M. Cheney, Hector Cota, William J. Gahan, Johnnie J. Gallego, Jr., Reyes N. Gonzales and Hubert Tucker are hereby authorized to handle C.O.D. shipments for Downey Fertilizer Company without providing and filing the bond required by General Order No. 84C; that these authorities shall expire one year after the effective date of this order unless sooner canceled, changed or extended by order of the Commission; and that in all other respects the rules and regulations set forth in General Order No. 84C shall govern the C.O.D. services involved in these proceedings. This order shall become effective on January 24, 1962. Dated at San Francisco, California, this 232 day of January, 1962. Commissioners _2_ Commissioner Frederick B. Holoboff being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.