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Decision No. 64227

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of VICTOR VALLEY VAN & STORAGE CO., INC., of Victorville, for a permit to operate as a Household Goods Carrier (Appl. No. 36-3811-MG), Statewide, (File No. T-72,425).

Application No. 44437

H. L. Farmer and Charles P. Barrett for the Commission staff.

OPINION

A Commission staff member having determined, after examination as provided in Section 5135 of the Public Utilities Code, that Paul J. Atherton, applicant's "responsible managing employee", had failed to qualify for a household goods carrier permit, the matter was set for hearing at Los Angeles on August 2, 1962, before Examiner Mark V. Chiesa.

At the hearing said staff member testified that, on June 25, 1962, Elena E. Hoover, who had in the meantime replaced Paul J. Atherton as applicant's managing employee, was given an examination as provided in said code section and that she passed the examination and, therefore, applicant has now qualified for a permit.

A financial statement filed with the application shows that on March 19, 1962, applicant had Assets of \$74,642.33 and Liabilities of \$19,682.86.

The application was not opposed, and applicant, being unavoidably absent, chose to rest the matter on the contents of its application and the examination of the managing employee.

The Commission finds that applicant possesses the requisite qualifications and the financial resources and responsibility to perform transportation service as a household goods carrier as set forth in the following order.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that on the effective date of this decision the Secretary of the Commission shall cause Household Goods Carrier Permit No. 35-3811 to be issued to Victor Valley Van & Storage Co., Inc., a corporation. Said permit is issued upon the following conditions:

If Elena E. Hoover ceases to be connected with Victor Valley Van & Storage Co., Inc., the latter shall notify the Commission in writing within thirty days after such cessation. If such notice is given, the permit shall remain in force a reasonable length of time in order that another representative of applicant may be qualified before the Public Utilities Commission. If Victor Valley Van & Storage Co., Inc., fails to notify the Commission of such cessation within a thirty-day period, at the end of that period the permit shall be automatically suspended.

The effective date of this order shall be twenty days

after the date hereof. San Francisco Dated at	, California, this //the day
of <u>SEPTEMBER</u> , 1962.	Herry & Grover
	President
Commissioner Peter E. Mitchell, being necessarily absent, did not perticipate in the disposition of this proceeding.	Mednish B. Hobeloff

Commissioner Everett C. McKeage, being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.