

Decision No. 66409

**ORIGINAL**

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of )  
 PACIFIC CARTAGE, INC., for a )  
 certificate of public convenience )  
 and necessity to operate a highway )  
 common carrier service. )

Application No. 36089

O P I N I O N

By Decision No. 53030, dated May 8, 1956, in this proceeding Pacific Cartage, Inc., was granted a certificate of public convenience and necessity. Applicant was authorized to transport general commodities with exceptions in the San Francisco-East Bay Cartage Zone.

On August 13, 1963 applicant wrote a letter to the Commission on its behalf requesting cancellation of both its permits and its certificate. The letter recites that Pacific Cartage, Inc., discontinued its carrier service in 1962.

On August 29, 1963 the Commission forwarded to applicant a Notice of Delinquent Fees. Applicant returned this document with another request for cancellation of its certificate. It appears that for more than a year last past the applicant has rendered no service in the certificated area.

The Commission finds that:

1. Applicant has abandoned service as a highway common carrier without authorization from this Commission so to do.
2. Public convenience and necessity no longer require the services of Pacific Cartage, Inc., in the area described in Decision No. 53030 in this proceeding.

The Commission concludes that applicant's certificate of public convenience and necessity as a highway common carrier should be cancelled.

A public hearing is not necessary.

O R D E R

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. The certificate of public convenience and necessity heretofore granted to Pacific Cartage, Inc., by Decision No. 53030, dated May 8, 1956, in this application, is hereby revoked and cancelled.

2. C. R. Nickerson, Agent, and Western Classification Committee, Agent, are hereby authorized and directed to cancel the participation of Pacific Cartage, Inc., from their tariffs on file with this Commission, said cancellation to be made within ninety days after the effective date of this order and on not less than five days' notice to the Commission and the public.

The Secretary is directed to cause service of a certified copy of this order to be made upon Pacific Cartage, Inc., or to mail a certified copy thereof to it at its last known address as shown in the Commission's records, and to mail copies of this order to C. R. Nickerson, Agent, and Western Classification Committee, Agent.

The effective date of this order shall be the thirtieth day after such service on Pacific Cartage, Inc., or after such mailing, as the case may be, unless before such effective date there shall have been filed with this Commission a written request for a public hearing in which event the effective date of this order

shall be stayed until further order of the Commission.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this  
3rd day of DECEMBER, 1963.

William B. Beumel  
President

George T. Trover

Fredrick B. Holslopp  
Commissioners