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Decision No. 70205

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the application of WILLIAM C. SCOTT, an individual, dba SCOTT VAN & STORAGE CO., of Los Angeles, for a Permit to operate as a Household Goods Carrier (Appln. No. 19-58790-HG), Los Angeles, (File No. T-82,219).

Application No. 47931 (Filed July 26,1965)

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William C. Scott, applicant, for self. Jackson W. Kendall, for Bekins Van and Storage Co., Interested party. W. H. Eastham, for the Commission's staff.

<u>O P I N I O N</u>

A Commission staff member having determined, after examination as provided in Section 5135 of the Public Utilities Code, that William C. Scott had failed to qualify for a household goods carrier permit, the matter was set for hearing at Los Angeles on November 17, 1965, before Examiner DeWolf.

The evidence shows that:

On August 26, 1965, William C. Scott failed to pass the prescribed written examination for an unlimited household goods carrier permit (Exhibit No. 1 in evidence) and applicant waived, in writing, a second examination; at the hearing applicant amended his application requesting a permit only for an area within a radius of 25 miles of 2210 Sunset Blvd., Los Angeles, California, and limited to service performed on an hourly basis.

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The evidence further shows that applicant is experienced in the business of moving household goods; that his equipment, consisting of one pick-up truck and one moving van, is adequate and in good operating condition; that his financial condition is satisfactory and that he is qualified for a limited household goods carrier permit as hereinafter set forth.

Based upon the evidence, we find that applicant has sufficient knowledge to apply the proper rates and to comply with the provisions of Distance Table No. 5 and Minimum Rate Table No. 4-B insofar as they apply to transportation service performed on an hourly basis.

Based upon said findings, the Commission concludes that applicant possesses the requisite qualifications to perform the services of 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. 19-58790 to be issued to William C. Scott, inserting therein conditions and restrictions limiting applicant's operation

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(a) to an area within a radius of 25 miles of 2210 Sunset Blvd., Los Angeles, California, and (b) to service performed only on an hourly basis.

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

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