DRIGINAL

Decision No. 72105

aЪ

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of) MEEK TRUCKING COMPANY, a California) Corporation, to amend its Certificate) of Public Convenience and Necessity) to delete "and fertilizer" therefrom.)

Application No. 49098 (Filed January 20, 1967)

$\underline{O} \ \underline{P} \ \underline{I} \ \underline{N} \ \underline{I} \ \underline{O} \ \underline{N}$

Meek Trucking Company, presently providing service as a highway common carrier, requests that the authority to transport fertilizer be deleted from its certificate.

It is alleged that fertilizer is a commodity extensively hauled by permitted carriers; there is no minimum rate on certain bulk fertilizers; as a result, permitted carriers can and do consistently undercut applicant's tariff rates and applicant has attempted to meet the competition of permitted carriers without success.

After consideration the Commission finds that the requested authority would not be adverse to the public interest. A public bearing is not necessary.

<u>O R D E R</u>

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Appendix A of Decision No. 62131 in Application No. 43336 is hereby amended by incorporating therein Second Revised Page 1, attached hereto and made a part hereof in place of First Revised Page 1.

-1-

2. Within sixty days after the effective date hereof and on not less than five days' notice to the Commission and to the public, applicant shall amend its tariff presently on file with this Commission to reflect the authority herein granted.

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

Dated at <u>San Francisco</u>, California, this <u>28</u>Th day of <u>FEBRUARY</u>, 1967.

resident Inn w Commissioners

Commissioner Peter E. Mitchell, being necessarily absent. did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.

Commissioner A. W. Gatov, being necessarily absent. did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding. Appendix A (Dec. 62131)

LM

MEEK TRUCKING COMPANY (a corporation)

Second Revised Page 1 Cancels First Revised Page 1

Meek Trucking Company, by the certificate of public convenience and necessity granted in the decision noted in the margin, is authorized to transport rice, barley, wheat, and animal and poultry feed, in <u>bulk</u>, between all points and places on, along, and within 25 miles laterally of the following routes:

> 1: U. S. Highway 101 between Santa Rosa and Gilroy. 2: U. S. Highway 99 West between Red Bluff and Sacramento. 3. U. S. Highway 99 East between Chico and Sacramento. 4: U. S. Highway 99 between Sacramento and Fresno. 5. U. S. Highway 40 between San Francisco and Sacramento. 6. U. S. Highway 50 between San Francisco and Stockton. 7. State Highway 4 between Pinole and Stockton. 8. State Highway 24 between Oakland and Sacramento. 9. State Highway 12 between Fairfield and Lodi. 10. Unnumbered highway between Concord and Byron.

Issued by California Public Utilities Commission. Amended by Decision No. ______, Application No. 49098.