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Decision No. <u>74332</u>

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of RAILWAY EXPRESS AGENCY, INCORPORATED, for a highway common carrier certificate of public convenience and necessity authorizing line haul transportation of express shipments by motor truck between Oakland, California and Truckee, California.

Application No. 49864 Filed December 8, 1967

James Ingwerson and Dudley A. Zinke, for Kailway Express Agency, Inc., applicant. Graham & James by Boris H. Lakusta and Paul H. Delaney, for Delta Lines, Inc., Pacific Motor Trucking Company, and Walkup's Merchants Express, protestants. Joseph C. Matson, for the Commission staff.

ORDER DENYING MOTION

By this application, as amended, Railway Express Agency, Incorporated, requests a certificate of public convenience and necessity as a highway common carrier authorizing line haul transportation of express shipments between the offices of applicant located at Oakland, Vallejo, Martinez, Suisun, Sacramento, Grass Valley, Colfax and Truckee. The application also requested that in the event hearing is required applicant be granted interim authority pending final determination of the application.

Four days of public hearing have been held and two more days of public hearing are scheduled for July 2 and 3, 1968. Temporary authority has not been granted. At the conclusion of the fourth day of hearing (May 28, 1968) applicant made a motion renewing its request that it be granted a temporary certificate of

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public convenience and necessity pending the final determination of the application.

The evidence presented to date does not establish that public convenience and necessity require the granting of the requested temporary certificate of public convenience and necessity.

The Commission having considered said motion concludes that it should be denied.

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

IT IS ORDERED that the motion, requesting a temporary certificate of public convenience and necessity, pending final determination of this application is denied.

The effective date of this decision shall be the date hereof.

	Dated at	San Francisco	, California,	this 2nd day	
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