

**ORIGINAL**

Decision No. 75123

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of DON EBERT, DBA  
LAGUNA LIMOUSINE for authority  
to abandon passenger stage  
service.

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Application No. 50644  
(Filed October 22, 1968)

O P I N I O N

Don Ebert, doing business as Laguna Limousine Service engaged in the transport of passengers and their baggage between Laguna Beach, Laguna Hills and Disneyland Hotel in Anaheim, California, requests authority to discontinue and abandon this service.

The operating authority of applicant is set forth in Decision No. 70162 dated January 4, 1966, rendered in Application No. 47797.

The routes to be abandoned are from 260 N. Broadway, Laguna Beach, California, to the Laguna Hotel, 425 S. Coast Highway, Laguna Beach to Gate 1 at Leisure World, Laguna Hills, to Sales Office, Leisure World, Laguna Hills to the Disneyland Hotel, 1441 S. West Street, Anaheim.

Applicant alleges that patronage and revenue has decreased from \$824 in January to \$482 in August. The service was operated at a loss of \$180.16 for the month of August.

The Commission staff has filed a report and recommends that this matter be handled ex parte. The staff report is filed herein. Other service to Laguna Hills is available from Laguna Beach.

Public convenience and necessity no longer require the operation of the services provided by applicant as other bus service is available between Laguna Hills and Laguna Beach, the major portion of applicant's routes. Applicant's losses are substantial and patronage has continued to decline.

Notices of abandonment have been posted in buses and terminal, and no protest has been received.

A public hearing is not necessary.

The application will be granted.

### ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Don Ebert, doing business as Laguna Limousine Service, is authorized to discontinue his regular passenger stage service from 260 N. Broadway, Laguna Beach, to the Laguna Hotel, 425 S. Coast Highway, Laguna Beach, to Gate 1 at Leisure World, Laguna Hills, to Sales Office, Leisure World, Laguna Hills, to the Disneyland Hotel, 1441 S. West Street, Anaheim.

2. The operative rights granted by Decision No. 70162 dated January 4, 1966 in Application No. 47797 are revoked and all of applicant's effective timetables and tariffs are cancelled.

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

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 20<sup>th</sup> day of DECEMBER, 1968.

William Symons, Jr.  
President

Fred P. Monahan  
Commissioners

Commissioner William M. Bennett, 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.