

Based upon the allegations and exhibits in the verified application, the Commission finds as follows:

1. Public convenience and necessity require that the application be granted as set forth in the ensuing order.
2. Applicants have the financial resources to provide the service sought in the application.
3. Public hearing is not necessary.

As a consequence the Commission concludes that the application should be granted.

Applicants are hereby placed on notice that operative rights, as such, do not constitute a class of property which may be capitalized or used as an element of value in rate fixing for any amount of money in excess of that originally paid to the State as the consideration for the grant of such rights. Aside from their purely permissive aspect, such rights extend to the holder a full or partial monopoly of a class of business over a particular route. This monopoly feature may be modified or canceled at any time by the State, which is not in any respect limited as to the number of rights which may be given.

O R D E R

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. A certificate of public convenience and necessity is granted to Norman W. Richardson and Janet M. Richardson authorizing them to operate as a passenger stage corporation, as defined in Section 226 of the Public Utilities Code, between the points and over the routes more particularly set forth in Appendix A attached hereto and made a part hereof.

2. In providing service pursuant to the certificate herein granted, applicants shall comply with and observe the following service regulations. Failure so to do may result in a cancellation of the operating authority granted by this decision.

- (a) Within thirty days after the effective date hereof, applicants shall file a written acceptance of the certificate herein granted. Applicants are placed on notice that, if they accept the certificate of public convenience and necessity herein granted, they will be required, among other things, to comply with and observe the safety rules of the California Highway Patrol, the rules and other regulations of the Commission's General Order No. 98-A and insurance requirements of the Commission's General Order No. 101-C.
- (b) Within one hundred twenty days after the effective date hereof, applicants shall establish the service herein authorized and file tariffs and timetables, in triplicate, in the Commission's office.
- (c) The tariff and timetable filings shall be made effective not earlier than five days after the effective date of this order on not less than five days' notice to the Commission and the public, and the effective date of the tariff and timetable filings shall be concurrent with the establishment of the service herein authorized.
- (d) The tariff and timetable filings made pursuant to this order shall comply with the regulations governing the construction and filing of tariffs and timetables set forth in the Commission's General Orders Nos. 79 and 98-A.
- (e) Applicants shall maintain their accounting records on a calendar year basis in conformance with the applicable Uniform System of Accounts or Chart of Accounts as prescribed or adopted by this Commission and shall file with the Commission, on or before March 31 of

each year, an annual report of their operations in such form, content, and number of copies as the Commission, from time to time, shall prescribe.

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

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 15th day of 1 APRIL, 1969.

William Symons, Jr.
President

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[Signature]
Commissioners

Norman W. Richardson and Janet M. Richardson, by the certificate of public convenience and necessity granted by the decision noted in the margin, are authorized to transport passengers for sightseeing purposes between the City of Santa Cruz, on the one hand, and the Boardwalk, Historical Wax Museum, Lighthouse Point, Natural Bridges State Park, Santa Cruz Campus of University of California, Santa Cruz Mission, Henry Cowell State Park, Santa Vida's Leprechaun Woods, Twin Lakes Beach State Park and the Art Gallery and Last Supper and intermediate points, on the other hand, subject to the following conditions and restrictions:

- (a) All service herein authorized shall be limited to the transportation of round-trip passengers only.
- (b) Service shall be operated from May 1 to September 30.
- (c) Operations shall be conducted over the most suitable streets and highways subject to local traffic regulations.

Issued by California Public Utilities Commission.

Decision No. 75570, Application No. 50838.