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Decision No. 77307

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application)
of MPA COURIER CORPORATION, a)
corporation, for authority to)
abandon freight forwarding)
service and express corporation)
service.)

Application No. 51911
(Filed May 19, 1970)

O P I N I O N

MPA Courier Corporation, presently authorized to conduct operations as a permitted carrier, freight forwarder and express corporation for the transportation of checks, drafts, money orders, securities, transit items, sales audit items, business records, audit media, tabulation cards, data processing materials, legal documents and printed or reproduced documents on data, requests authority to discontinue said services and the revocation of its certificated authority as well as an exemption from the rates, rules and regulations in Minimum Rate Tariffs Nos. 2, 19, 1-B, 5 and 9-B.

It is alleged that said operations have been uneconomical; that operations conducted during 1969 resulted in a loss of \$100,905; that applicant has sought and found another carrier with similar operating authority which is willing to provide the service presently being rendered by applicant; and that said carrier is willing to assume the responsibility of providing service to applicant's customers upon the conditions that applicant abandon its service and secure an order from the Commission authorizing said discontinuance and revoking all of applicant's operating authority.

After consideration the Commission finds that public convenience and necessity no longer require applicant's certificated operations and that the proposed discontinuance of service would

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not be adverse to the public interest. A public hearing is not necessary.

O R D E R

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. MPA Courier Corporation is hereby authorized to discontinue service as a freight forwarder and as an express corporation and the operating authority heretofore granted to MPA Courier Corporation by Decision No. 76236 dated September 30, 1969, as amended by Decision No. 76434, dated November 18, 1969 in Application No. 50884 and Decision No. 76236, dated September 30, 1969, in Application No. 50884 is hereby revoked.

2. On the effective date of this order MPA Courier Corporation Air Freight Forwarder and Express Tariff No. 1, Cal. P.U.C. No. 1, is canceled.

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

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 3rd day of JUNE, 1970.

William J. ...
President

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Commissioners

Commissioner J. P. Vukasin, Jr., being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.