

Decision No. 79067

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of) E. I. BRANDT, doing business as) E. I. BRANDT TRUCKING SERVICE, for) a certificate of public convenience) and necessity to operate highway) common carrier service.

Application No. 36090

SUPPLEMENTAL OPINION AND ORDER

E. I. Brandt requests authority to suspend service as a highway common carrier.

The certificate was acquired by Decision No. 51697 dated July 18, 1955, in Application No. 36090, and authorizes the transportation of dried fruit from Yuba City and Colusa to San Francisco, Oakland, Alameda and Stockton, and of empty pallet boards from such destinations to said points of origin.

Applicant has submitted a letter stating that competitive problems have arisen which necessitate suspension of service pending decision as to course of action.

An investigation by the Commission staff reveals that this type of service is available from numerous other common carriers.

After consideration, the Commission finds that the proposed suspension of service would not be adverse to the public interest. A public hearing is not necessary.

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Concurrent with the tariff filings required by Ordering Paragraph 2 hereof, the operating authority granted by Decision No. 51697 dated July 18, 1955, in Application No. 36090, is hereby suspended.

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

3. During the period of suspension, E. I. Brandt shall continue to file quarterly reports and pay fees pursuant to Section 5003.1 of the Public Utilities Code.

4. Prior to the expiration date of the suspension period or the date service is resumed, when the latter date is earlier than said expiration date, E. I. Brandt shall file a list of motor equipment to be operated and file and have in effect evidence of adequate liability insurance protection in compliance with Commission General Order No. 100-F.

5. Tariff schedules naming rates and rules governing the common carrier operations herein shall be brought up to date in compliance with all applicable Commission minimum rate orders. The required tariff filings shall be made effective on not less than ten days' notice to the Commission and to the public, and the effective date of the tariff filings shall be concurrent with the expiration date of the suspension period or the date when service is resumed when the latter date is prior to said expiration date.

6. The authority to suspend operations granted herein shall expire on August 10, 1972, or upon earlier resumption of operations which may be effected upon compliance with Ordering Paragraphs 3, 4 and 5.

E. I. Brandt is placed on notice that commencement of operations under the certificate referred to in Ordering Paragraph 1 herein, prior to compliance with Ordering Paragraphs 3, 4 and 5,

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may be cause for further suspension or revocation of the operating authority of E. I. Brandt.

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

Dated at San Francisco, California, this ______ day of August, 1971.

Commissioners