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Decision No. 79777

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of Douglas Bus Lines, Inc., for Authority to Extend Service Area to Serve the "Autonetics" Laguna Niguel Facility at 24000 Avila Road, Laguna Niguel, California, 92677.

Application No. 51107 (Filed May 22, 1969)

## ORDER EXTENDING TIME

Applicant requests extension of time to establish commuter service to the new Laguna Niguel facility under construction for the North American-Rockwell "Autonetics" plant at 24000 Avila Road, Laguna Niguel, California 92677.

By Decision No. 76203 in Application No. 51107 the Commission authorized Douglas Bus Lines, Inc., to extend its service as a passenger stage corporation to serve the North American-Rockwell "Autonetics" plant and ordered it to establish the service within 120 days after the effective date of the order.

Due to delay in construction of the facility the Commission by Decision No. 76421 extended the time for institution of the service to February 1, 1971 and again by Decision No. 78202 time was extended to February 1, 1972. By letter dated January 20, 1972 the applicant states that the plant has been completed and is not in use, but a sale for the plant is being negotiated and a purchaser has requested information regarding availability of bus service for its employees. Applicant is still desirous of establishing bus service for plant employees from the nearest labor source, which is the Santa Ana and Anaheim areas, and requests another extension of time for institution of the service.

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Therefore, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Douglas Bus Lines, Inc. is granted an extension of time to establish service to the North American-Rockwell "Autonetics" plant and the time within which applicant may exercise authority granted in Decision No. 76203, dated September 23, 1969 is hereby extended to February 1, 1973.

In all other respects said decision shall remain in full force and effect.

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