Decision No. __79922

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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In the Matter of the Application of the QUINCY RAILROAD COMPANY for authorization to discontinue passenger service between Quincy, California and Quincy Junction, California.

Application No. 36817

ORDER REVOKING HIGHWAY COMMON CARRIER RIGHTS

Quincy Railroad Company, a California corporation, by Decision No. 24601, dated March 21, 1932, in Application No. 18021, was granted authority to transport persons and property by motor vehicle between Quincy and Quincy Junction, a distance of 3¹/₂ miles. By Decision No. 51402, dated May 3, 1955, in the above proceeding, Quincy Railroad Company was granted authority to abandon the passenger stage service being rendered pursuant to Decision No. 24601.

Request has been made by the company for the Commission to revoke the remaining portion of the certificate which authorizes transportation of property by motor vehicle. The company alleges that the service by motor vehicle has not been performed for the past five years and that it has been unable to generate any traffic. Other highway common carriers, however, are available to serve the two points.

The certificate was suspended January 28, 1972 for failure to maintain on file evidence of adequate insurance as required by Commission's General Order No. 100 Series.

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The Commission finds that the company should be relieved of the obligation to continue this service and will grant the request. A public hearing is not necessary.

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. The Quincy Railroad Company is authorized to discontinue and abandon highway common carrier service between Quincy and Quincy Junction.

2. All tariffs applying to its highway common carrier operations are hereby canceled.

3. The highway common carrier operating rights granted by Decision No. 24601, dated March 21, 1932, in Application No. 18201, are hereby revoked.

4. At least five days prior to the discontinuance of service, notice of such discontinuance shall be posted in the carrier's terminal(s).

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

Dated at San Francisco, California, this _____ day of April, 1972.

Commissioners

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