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Decision No. 80851

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of
CLARENCE W. OSTERKAMP, an individual,
of Los Angeles, for a permit to operate
as a Household Goods Carrier, within
150 mile radius of Los Angeles.
(File T-89,316)

Application No. 53427
(Filed June 26, 1972)

Patsy Burbank, for Clarence W. Osterkamp,
applicant.
Robert J. Strouse, for the Commission
staff.

OPINION AND ORDER

Pursuant to Section 5135 of the Public Utilities Code examinations were taken by Patsy Burbank, a managing employee of the applicant, on two occasions to establish applicant's knowledge and ability to engage in business as a household goods carrier. Mrs. Burbank twice failed to attain a passing score. Applicant thereafter requested a hearing.

Hearing was held on October 13, 1972 before Examiner Porter. Evidence was presented that Mrs. Burbank was under emotional strain at the time of the examinations, and felt that if the test was limited to the movement of pianos within a radius of 50 miles of Los Angeles, she could pass the test.

Therefore, good cause appearing, IT IS ORDERED that the application is hereby denied unless on or before January 15, 1973 C. W. Osterkamp or a person selected by him to act as managing

employee is successful in passing an examination administered pursuant to Section 5135 of the Public Utilities Code limited to the movement of pianos within a 50 mile radius of the city of Los Angeles. If the examination is passed, any permit issued shall be limited to the movement of pianos within a 50 mile radius of the city of Los Angeles.

The effective date of this order is the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 19th day of DECEMBER, 1972.

Vernon L. Sturgeon
President
William J. Quinn
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Paul J. Quinn
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Commissioners