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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNAA

Investigation on the Commission's own motion into warehouse operative rights of Theodore Bronner, doing business as Bronner & Son Warehouse

In the Matter of the Application of) Theodore Bronner, an individual doing) business as Bronner & Son Warehouse,) for authorization to sell and trans-) fer; and of Bronner & Sons, Inc., a) corporation, to purchase and acquire) a warehouse operative right and) operating properties; and of Bronner) & Sons, Inc., for authorization to) issue shares of stock) Case No. 6817

Application No. 44255

ORDER REVOKING WAREHOUSE OPERATIVE RIGHT

Bronner & Sons, Inc., a corporation, possesses a prescriptive operative right as a public utility warehouseman for the operation of storage or warehouse floor space at Biggs.

Jack L. Dawson, agent for the above utility, has informed the Commission by letter, that the corporation has not engaged in public storage for some time and desires to discontinue offering such service. Jack L. Dawson also submitted a copy of a letter from Theodore Bronner of Bronner & Sons, Inc., to him reciting the aforementioned facts and indicating that the corporation is engaged exclusively in cleaning, drying and storing grain owned by the Bronner family.

In the circumstances, the Commission finds that revocation of the warehouse operative right, as requested, would not be adverse to the public interest. A public hearing is not necessary. The Commission concludes that the operative right should be revoked and the tariff applicable to the service thereunder should be canceled.

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. The prescriptive operative right as a public utility warehouseman,

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determined by the Commission's order dated August 16, 1960, in Case No. 6817 and acquired by Bronner & Sons, Inc., by Decision No. 63495 dated April 3, 1962, in Application No. 44255, is hereby revoked.

2. Jack L. Dawson, Agent, is hereby authorized and directed to cancel the participation of Bronner & Sons, Inc., from the involved tariffs of California Warehouse Tariff Bureau on file with the Commission, such cancellation to be made within 90 days after the effective date of this order and on not less than ten days' notice to the Commission and to the public.

The Secretary is directed to cause service of a certified copy of this order to be made upon Bronner & Sons, Inc., or to mail a certified copy thereof to it at its last known address as shown in the Commission's records and to mail a copy of this order to Jack L. Dawson, Agent.

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

Dated at San Francisco, California this $\frac{3^{+}}{2}$ day of November, 1973.

Commissioners