

ORIGINAL

Decision No. 82588

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of)
VIKING DELIVERY SERVICE, INC. for
modification of a certificate of
Public Convenience and Necessity.

Application No. 54698
(Filed March 1, 1974)

O P I N I O N

Viking Delivery Service, Inc., presently authorized to provide service as a highway common carrier for the transportation of general commodities, with certain exceptions, between various points within the State, requests that its certificated authority be amended by deleting therefrom the authority to transport the following commodities:

- (a) Audit media, payroll checks, business records, tabulating cards, paper punch tapes, and printed material.
- (b) Telephone directories.

The certificate was granted by Decision No. 82475 dated February 13, 1974 in Application No. 54481.

It is alleged that for many years prior to the issuance of its certificate, applicant conducted extensive operations as a contract carrier in a courier service and in the transportation of telephone directories; that both services are generally performed under special contracts pursuant to bids made by many carriers; and that said services can best be performed as a contract carrier rather than as a certificated carrier.

After consideration the Commission finds that the granting of the application would not be adverse to the public interest. A public hearing is not necessary.

We find with reasonable certainty that the project involved in this proceeding will not have a significant effect on the environment.

O R D E R

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Appendix A of Decision No. 82475 dated February 13, 1974 in Application No. 54481 is amended by substituting First Revised Page 3, attached hereto and by reference made a part hereof, in place of Original Page 3.

2. After the effective date hereof and on not less than two days' notice to the Commission and to the public applicant shall amend its tariffs presently on file with this Commission to reflect the authority herein granted.

The effective date of this order is the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 12th day of MARCH, 1974.

Thomas L. Stinson
President
William J. Quinn
John H. Moran
Commissioners

Commissioner Thomas Moran, being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.

Except that pursuant to the authority herein granted carrier shall not transport any shipments of:

1. Used household goods, personal effects and office, store and institution furniture, fixtures and equipment not packed in accordance with the crated property requirements set forth in Item 5 of Minimum Rate Tariff 4-B.
2. Automobiles, trucks and buses, viz.: new and used, finished or unfinished passenger automobiles (including jeeps), ambulances, hearses and taxis; freight automobiles, automobile chassis, trucks, truck chassis, truck trailers, trucks and trailers combined, buses and bus chassis.
3. Livestock, viz.: barrows, boars, bulls, butcher hogs, calves, cattle, cows, dairy cattle, ewes, feeder pigs, gilts, goats, heifers, hogs, kids, lambs, oxen, pigs, rams (bucks), sheep, sheep camp outfits, sows, steers, stags, swine or wethers.
4. Liquids, compressed gases, commodities in semi-plastic form and commodities in suspension in liquids in bulk, in tank trucks, tank trailers, tank semitrailers or a combination of such highway vehicles.
5. Commodities when transported in bulk in dump trucks or in hopper-type trucks.
6. Commodities when transported in motor vehicles equipped for mechanical mixing in transit.
7. Logs.
8. Commodities requiring the use of special refrigeration or temperature control in specially designed and constructed refrigerator equipment.
9. Audit media, payroll checks, business records, tabulating cards, paper punch tapes and printed material.
10. Telephone directories.

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