

Decision No. 85017

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of EFFIE SHARABI,
dba SAN FRANCISCO LIMOUSINE
SERVICE, of San Francisco,
California, for a permit to
operate as a charter party
carrier of passengers
(File No. TCP-532).

Application No. 55325
(Filed November 18, 1974)

Effie Sharabi, for himself, applicant.
James B. Brasil, Attorney at Law, for the
City and County of San Francisco, protestant.
Thomas P. Hunt, for the Commission staff.

O P I N I O N

Applicant has applied for a charter-party carrier of passengers permit to operate vehicles under 15-passenger seating capacity and under 7,000 pounds gross weight. A protest was filed by the city and county of San Francisco (City), and a public hearing was held before Examiner Arthur M. Mooney in San Francisco on February 14, 1975, on which date the matter was submitted. A request by applicant for interim authority pending the hearing has heretofore been denied.

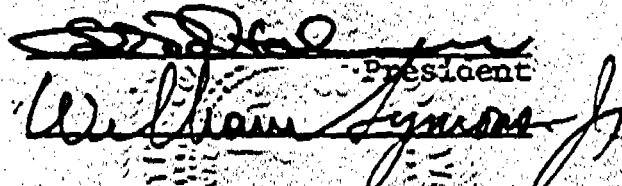


No evidence was presented by applicant. Public Utilities Code Section 5374 states: "Before an annual permit or certificate is issued, the Commission shall require the applicant to establish reasonable fitness and financial responsibility to initiate and conduct the proposed transportation services." Applicant not having made any showing, the Commission has no evidence on which to make the requisite findings.

O R D E R

IT IS ORDERED that the application is denied.

The effective date of this order is the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 15th
day of OCTOBER, 1975.


President


Commissioners

Commissioner Vernon L. Sturgeon, being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.