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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the matter of Application of change of stock holders and officers of Howard's X-Ray Service, Inc.

Application 84-05-087 (Filed May 23, 1984)

OPINION

This is an application in which Charles A. Shoemaker and Kathleen M. Oborn, husband and wife, seek to acquire control of Howard's X-Ray Service, Inc. (Howard's), a California corporation, by the purchase of all outstanding shares of Howard's stock from Howard T. Williams and Alice Williams.

Notice of the application appeared in the Commission's Daily Transportation Calendar on May 29, 1984. There are no protests. The Commission makes the following findings and conclusion.

Findings of Fact

- 1. A public hearing is not necessary in this matter.
- 2. Howard's holds a certificate of public convenience and necessity to operate as a highway common carrier, issued under Public Utilities (PU) Code § 1063.5.
- 3. Howard's is authorized to issue 100,000 shares of no par value common stock. 5,000 shares have been issued to the Williams'.
- 4. An Order Consenting To Transfer Securities has been issued by the California Department of Corporations and is included with the application. Shoemaker, Oborn and the Williams' have entered into an agreement for the sale and purchase of the 5,000 shares of outstanding stock for \$67,500. The agreement is included with the application.
- 5. Howard's is currently engaged primarily in the moving and installation of new and used X-Ray equipment.
- 6. A financial statement for Howard's included with the application indicates total assets of \$18,595 and liabilities of \$7,449.

- 7. Shoemaker has been president of Howard's since early 1983; Shoemaker and Oborn have the resources and experience to acquire and operate Howard's.
- 8. The proposed sale and transfer of stock is not adverse to the public interest.

Conclusion of Law

The application should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that:

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- 2. Within 30 days after the transfer of shares hereby authorized, Charles A. Shoemaker and Kathleen M. Oborn shall notify the Commission of that fact.
- 3. The authority granted by this order shall expire on September 30, 1984, if it has not been exercised by that date.
 - 4. The application is granted as set forth above.
 This order is effective today.
 Dated June 20, 1984, at San Francisco, California.

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