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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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Applicant has also attached as part of the application a balance sheet as of July 31. 1981 showing a net worth of \$926,109.

Copies of the application were served on California — Carriers Association, California Dump Truck Owners' Association, California Trucking Association, Highway Carriers Association, Associated Independent Owner-Operators, Inc., Southern California Rock Products Association, Aggregates & Concrete Association of Northern California, Inc., California Asphalt Pavement Association, and Engineering & Grading Contractors Association, Inc. Notice of filing also appeared on the Commission's Daily Calendar of March 29, 1982. No protests have been received.

Findings of Fact

1. Applicant:

- a. Is a fit and proper entity to receive a permit to operate as a dump truck carrier.
- b. Has sufficient operating knowledge and financial ability to initiate and continue the proposed operation.
- c. Has demonstrated that the privilege sought:
 - (1) Will not endanger the safety of the public or interfere with the public use of the public highways or impair the condition or maintenance of them, directly or indirectly.
 - (2) Will not unnecessarily burden the public highways.
 - (3) Is necessary to serve the public and will not impair the ability of presently permitted dump truck carriers to provide adequate service at the lowest possible reasonable rates.
- 2. Applicant is a corporation authorized to do business in the State of California.
- 3. It can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that the activity in question may have a significant effect on the environment.
- 4. The following order complies with the Commission's Energy Efficiency Plan.
 - 5. A public hearing is not necessary.

Conclusion of Law

Applicant should be granted a dump truck carrier permit authorizing operations within and between points in Kern County.

The following order should be effective on the date of signing to be consistent with other permit grants.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that the Executive Director shall issue a dump truck carrier permit to General Production Service of California, Inc., a California corporation, authorizing operations within and between points in Kern County.

This order is effective today. SEP 8 1982 _, at San Francisco, Dated California.

> JOHN E. BRYSON President RICHARD D. GRAVELLE LEONARD M. CRIMES, JR. VICTOR CALVO PRISCILLA C. CREW Commissioners

I CERTIFY THAT THIS DECISION WAS APPROVED BY THE ABOVE COMMISSIONERS TODAY

Joseph E. Bodovicz, Executive Dir

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