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Decision No.

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of ) PEERLESS STAGES, INC., for authority ) to control GRAY LINE SCENIC TOURS, INC.,) doing business as AIRPORT CHARTER LINES,) INC., and CALIFORNIA-NEVADA GOLDEN TOURS) by purchasing the capital stock thereof,) and for authority to issue stock and ) evidences of indebtedness.

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Application No. 58836 (Filed May 2, 1979)

## $\underline{O P I N I O N}$

On May 3, 1979, one day after notice of the filing of the application appeared on the Commission's Daily Calendar, applicant's attorney filed a motion to dismiss the application. This action was based on plenary jurisdiction over the matter by the Interstate Commerce Commission under Section 5(2)(a)(i), File No. MC F13933F, and Section 214 of the Interstate Commerce Act.

The Revenue Requirements Division and the Legal Division have reviewed the application and the Order for Dismissal and concur that the Commission's jurisdiction over the instant application is preempted by the Interstate Commerce Commission and have no objection to the dismissal of the application.

At such time as the Interstate Commerce Commission issues its order approving the control of Gray Line Scenic Tours, Inc. (Scenic) dba Airport Charter Lines, Inc. and California-Nevada Golden Tours by Peerless Stages, Inc., the Applicant shall file </ a copy of the order approving the transfer so that this Commission's

records will reflect the true ownership of the underlying certificates currently owned by Scenic.

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IT IS ORDERED that Application No. 58836 is hereby dismissed.

The effective date of this order is the date hereof. Dated at San Francisco, California, this <u>160</u> day of <u>AUGUST</u>, 1979.

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Commissioner Claire T. Dedrick. Deing necessarily absent. did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.