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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the matter of the application) of Vernon Ray Cox doing business) as V. R. (Bud) Cox for a dump) truck carrier permit, Redding.) (File No. 372.70.)

Application No. 59986 (Filed October 2, 1980)

OBINION

Applicant Vernon Ray Cox requests the issuance of a dump truck carrier permit. At the time of filing this application, applicant held no other operating authority from this Commission. Notice of the filing of the application appeared in the Commission's Daily Calendar of October 7, 1980. No protest to the application has been received.

Applicant's place of business is at 1688 Hurtnell Avenue, Redding, California. Applicant operates one end dump truck and proposes to haul dirt, sand, and gravel within and between the counties of Shasta, Siskiyou, Tehama, Lassen, Butte, and Trinity. As of September 10, 1980 applicant's balance sheet indicates a net worth of \$136,111 with cash on hand of \$22,811. The application was supported by the K. R. Whitmire Co., Inc.

Findings of Fact

- l. Applicant is a fit and proper person to receive a permit as a dump truck carrier and possesses sufficient operating knowledge and financial ability to perform the proposed operation.
- 2. Applicant's equipment will not endanger the safety of highways or impair the condition of maintenance of them either directly or indirectly.
- 3. Applicant's proposed operation will not unnecessarily burden the public highways, 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.

- 4. Applicant has resided in the State of California for not less than ninety days immediately preceding the filing of this application.
- 5. It can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that the activity in question may have a significant effect on the environment.
- 6. The effective date of the following order should be the date of signature since other highway carrier permits are effective the date issued.

Conclusion of Law

The applicant should be granted a dump truck permit authorizing operation within and between the counties of Shasta, Siskiyou, Tehama, Lassen, Butte, and Trinity.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that upon applicant's compliance with the Commission's General Order No. 100-H, the Executive Director shall issue a dump truck carrier permit to Vernon Ray Cox authorizing operations within and between the counties of Shasta, Siskiyou, Tehama, Lassen, Butte, and Trinity.

The effective date of this order is the date hereof.

Dated ______, at San Francisco, California.

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

Commissioner Leonard M. Crimes, Irahing necessarily absent, did not participate.

Commissioners