Decision No. 58

BEFORE THE

RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

In the Matter of the Application of WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY, a corporation, for an order permitting said corporation to continue existing toll rates and charges not exceeding rates in effect on October 10th,1911, until further order of the Commission.

APPLICATION No.7

ORDER.

The WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY having filed its
Application for permission, pending the further order of this
Commission, to continue its toll rates and charges not exceeding
those in effect on October 10th, 1911, notwithstanding the provisions of Section 24 (b) of the Public Utilities Act referring to
the rates and tolls for long and short distance telephone and
telegraph service,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that said applicant be permitted to continue such rates and charges notwithstanding said provisions of said section for a period of thirty days from the date of service of this order, within which period said applicant is directed to file with this Commission schedules of rates complying with the provisions of said section with reference to long and short distance telephone and telegraph service, or in case said applicant desires in any case to justify its charge of a greater compensation in the aggregate for the transmission of a message or

conversation for a shorter than for a longer distance in the cases specified in sub-section (b) of Section 24, said applicant shall file within said time an application or applications for permission to continue such charges as provided in said sub-section of said section, whereupon a date will be set for hearing the same.

Dated at San Francisco, Cal., this 8th day of April, 1912.

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