

Decision No. 7673**ORIGINAL**

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

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In the matter of the application
of IMPERIAL COMPRESS COMPANY for
authority to adjust and establish
rates for storing and handling
cotton at Imperial. }
 } Application No. 5398.
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J. S. Larew for applicant.

BY THE COMMISSION:

O P I N I O N

Applicant herein requests authority to es-
tablish rates for storing and handling cotton at Imperial.

A public hearing upon the application was held
by Examiner Westover at El Centro.

This proceeding involves similar features
to that of application of Calexico Compress Company, No.
5397. Both companies are engaged in storing and handling
cotton in Imperial Valley. They are under the same manage-
ment; their rates, rules and regulations are the same and
their operating expenses are of a similar nature. The two
applications were heard together and the same testimony, in
so far as germane, was offered in support of each. For

further details reference is hereby made to decision upon Application No. 5397. The testimony justifies granting the application for authority to maintain the schedule now in effect, set forth as Exhibit "D" in the application.

O R D E R

Imperial Compress Company having applied to the Railroad Commission for authority to establish rates for storing and handling cotton as set out in Exhibit D accompanying the application, a public hearing having been held thereon, the matter having been submitted and being now ready for decision,

IT IS HEREBY FOUND AS A FACT that the schedule of rates proposed is just and reasonable for the service involved.

Basing its order upon the foregoing finding of fact and upon the facts set forth in the opinion preceding this order,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED by the Railroad Commission that Imperial Compress Company be and it is hereby authorized to file with the Commission within 20 days from date hereof and thereafter charge and collect the rates and charges for storing and handling cotton at Calexico, which are set forth in Exhibit D attached to and made part of the application herein.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 26 day of June, 1920.

Edwin D. Edgerly
W. T. Loveland
Dwight Mastri

Commissioners.