Decision No. 23321.

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of THE ATCHISON, TOPEKA AND SANTA FE RAILWAY COMPANY, CREAT NORTHERN RAIL-WAY COMPANY, LOS ANGELES & SALT LAKE RAILROAD COMPANY, NORTHWESTERN PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY, SAN DIEGO & ARIZONA EASTERN RAILWAY COMPANY, SOUTHERN PAC-IFIC COMPANY and THE WESTERN PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY, on behalf of themselves and all other carriers similarly situated, for an order authorizing an increase in certain freight rates and charges.

Supplemental Application No. 19610.

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BY THE COMMISSION:

EIGHTEENTH SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER

By supplemental applications filed November 6, 1936, and November 20, 1936, P. L. Transportation Company, having adopted Los Angeles-Long Beach Despatch Line Tariff No. 9-A, C.R.C. No. 16, seeks to reestablish upon one day's notice and to continue in effect thereefter to and including December 31, 1936, the emergency charges authorized by Decision No. 28001, May 27, 1935.

Upon further consideration of the record and of the supplemental application hereinbefore referred to, and in view of prior supplemental orders in this proceeding authorizing continuance of intrastate rail and coastwise steamer emergency charges, we are of the opinion that this is a matter in which a public hearing is not necessary and that the relief sought should be granted, subject however to the conditions, modifications and exceptions set forth in the original and

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prior supplemental orders in the above numbered proceeding.

Therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS HERREBY ORDERED that P. L. Transportation Company be and it is hereby authorized to reestablish the emergency charges authorized by Decision No. 28001, dated May 27, 1935, subject to the same conditions and modifications and with the same incidental relief from Sections 15 and 24(a) of the Public Utilities Act and from the provisions of this Commission's Tariff Circular No. 2 as provided in the original and prior supplemental orders in this proceeding, and only for the period ending December 31, 1936.

This order shall become effective on the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this <u>JFH</u> day of November, 1936.

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