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Decision No. _____

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application)
of Souther Warehouse Company for)
an order granting a temporary)
suspension of public warehouse)
service in San Francisco, Cali-)
fornia.)

Application No. 25173

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BY THE COMMISSION:

FIRST SUPPLEMENTAL OPINION AND ORDER

By Decision No. 35722 of September 1, 1942, Souther Warehouse Company was authorized to suspend its public utility warehouse operations in San Francisco until September 1, 1943. The operations theretofore conducted were confined to the storage, handling and servicing of new passenger and freight automobiles. The premises used in these operations were vacated, pursuant to a demand of the lessor, in order to make this warehouse space available to our armed forces. By supplemental application a one-year extension of the suspension authority is sought.

It is represented that the circumstances and conditions which prevailed at the time the suspension of service was authorized still exist and that they are expected to continue to exist without material change for the duration of the war and for some time thereafter, unless new automobiles are permitted to be manufactured for sale to the public generally.

Under the circumstances, it appears that this is a matter in which a public hearing is not necessary and that the proposed extension of the authority is justified. The supplemental application will be granted.

Therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the expiration date of the authority granted by Decision No. 35722 of September 1, 1942, in the above entitled application, be and it is hereby extended to September 1, 1944, unless sooner changed, canceled or extended by appropriate order of the Commission.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED that Souther Warehouse Company shall, upon exercising the authority herein granted, amend its tariffs on file with the Commission on not less than three (3) days' notice to the Commission and to the public to show that operations have been further suspended as authorized herein.

This order shall become effective ten (10) days from the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 10th day of August, 1943.

Frank R. Havenue

Justice F. Coe

Commissioners