

Decision No. 36902

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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In the Matter of the Application)
of IRA P. LAMB for permission to)
charge other than minimum rates on)
grain, grain products and related)
commodities.)

Application No. 21911

In the Matter of the Application)
of IRA P. LAMB for permission to)
charge less than minimum split)
delivery charges on grain and)
grain products and related com-)
modities under Section 11, Chapter)
223, Statutes of 1935, as amended.)

Application No. 23924

BY THE COMMISSION:

SUPPLEMENTAL OPINION AND ORDER

By prior orders (Decision No. 30938, as amended, in Application No. 21911 and Decision No. 33856, as amended, in Application No. 23924) Ira P. Lamb has been authorized to transport grain, grain products and related articles for Sperry Flour Company at rates lower than the established minimum rates. The authority is limited to specified areas in Southern California. It provides for the observance of designated weekly or monthly vehicle-unit rates unless a scale of mileage rates produces higher charges. In the latter event the mileage scale is to be used. The authority expires March 11, 1944. By supplemental application, Lamb asks that the alternative mileage basis be canceled and that, as so modified, the authority previously granted be extended.

Lamb submitted verified statements disclosing that during the past four years the mileage basis has not been operative because the vehicle-unit rates in all instances produced higher charges; that the proposed elimination of the mileage rates would save time and effort by removing the necessity of calculating

charges on both bases; and that no substantial change has been experienced in the unusually favorable circumstances and conditions which have surrounded the transportation in question.


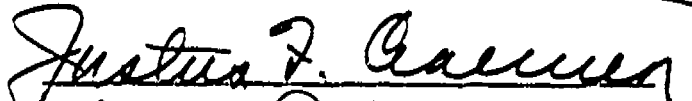
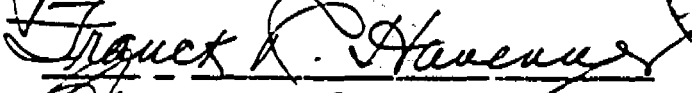

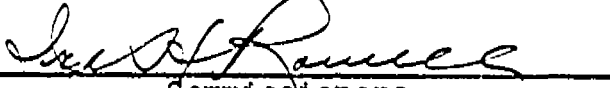
It appears that this is a matter in which a public hearing is not necessary and that, with the proposed modification, applicant's authority should be extended for a period of one year.

Therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Appendix "A" of Decision No. 30938 of May 31, 1938, as amended, in Application No. 21911 be and it is hereby further amended by canceling the provisions of Item No. 20 thereof relating to the computation of charges on the alternative mileage rates, and that, as so modified, the authority granted Ira P. Lamb by said Decision No. 30938, as amended, be and it is hereby extended to March 11, 1945, unless sooner changed, canceled or extended by appropriate order of the Commission.

This order shall become effective March 11, 1944.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 29th day of February, 1944.






Commissioners