

**ORIGINAL**

Decision No. 40700

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application )  
of Signal Trucking Service, )  
Ltd., etc. )

Application No. 27666  
(First Supplemental)

FIRST SUPPLEMENTAL OPINION AND ORDER

For reasons set forth in Decision No. 39339 of August 27, 1946, in this proceeding, applicant was authorized to deviate from the minimum rates established by Decision No. 31606, as amended, in Case No. 4246, in connection with the transportation of property for Sears, Roebuck and Company between the Los Angeles drayage area and adjacent points. The authorization permits applicant to assess the weekly and monthly rates per unit of carrier's equipment applicable within the drayage area. It expires September 17, 1947. Applicant seeks a six-month extension thereof.

The verified supplemental application alleges that, with the exception of increased operating costs, no substantial changes have occurred in the conditions under which the transportation is performed; and that increases in the drayage rates have compensated for these higher costs.

It appears that this is a matter in which a public hearing is not necessary and that the supplemental application should be granted.

Therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the expiration date of the authority granted Signal Trucking Service, Ltd., by Decision No.

39339 of August 27, 1946, in this proceeding, be and it is hereby extended to March 27, 1948, unless sooner changed, canceled or further extended by appropriate order of the Commission.

This order shall become effective September 16, 1947.

Dated at Los Angeles, California, this 10<sup>th</sup> day of September, 1947.

Harold P. Hills

Justus J. Craven

Ernest Howell

A. J. [unclear]

Commissioners