A .- No .- 22240-AH

Decision No. 42944

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of A. M. GROSS and F. GROSS, copartners doing business under the firm name and style of GROSS SYSTEMS, for authority to charge less than minimum rates under the provisions of the Highway Carriers' Act.

Application No. 22240 (Tenth Supplemental)

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ELEVENTH SUPPLEMENTAL OPINION AND ORDER

Decision No. 32960 of April 2, 1940, as amended, in this proceeding, has authorized applicants to deviate from the minimum rates otherwise applicable in connection with the transportation of property for Certified Grocers, Inc. The authority covers operations from Vernon to retail stores within a 100-mile radius of that city. It is scheduled to expire June 11, 1949. A one-year extension is sought.

The verified supplemental application shows that the authorized rates have been compensatory notwithstanding some increases in costs experienced since this matter was last considered a year ago; and that profitable operations under these rates may reasonably be anticipated for the ensuing year.

It appears that this is a matter in which a public hearing is not necessary and that the sought extension is justified. To prevent a lapse of applicants' authority, the order will be made effective June 11, 1949.

Therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the expiration date of the authority granted by Decision No. 32960 of April 2, 1940, as amended, in the above-entitled proceeding, be and it is hereby extended to June 11, 1950, unless sooner changed or further extended by order of the Commission.

This order shall become effective June 11, 1949.

Dated at Los Angeles, California, this day of June, 1949.

Haroldt Hills

Commissioners: