Decision No. 45134

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Investigation into the operating rights, operations and practices of Lawrence Warehouse Company.

Case No. 5292

OPINION AND ORDER

The above-entitled investigation of the operating rights, operations and practices of Lawrence Warehouse Company was instituted by the Commission on April 24, 1951, because it appeared that respondent had a tariff on file with the Commission as a public utility warehouseman at San Francisco and was not performing warehouse service thereunder.

Subsequently, respondent's secretary informed the Commission in writing that the company has not provided public utility warehouse service in San Francisco for several years. He waived, for respondent, the right to appear and be heard in this proceeding and requested that the tariff covering the warehouse operations at San Francisco be canceled.

In the circumstances, it appears that the operating rights involved should be revoked and authority to cancel the tariff granted. The proceeding should be discontinued upon cancellation of the tariff. A public hearing is not necessary.

Therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that whatever operating rights respondent, Lawrence Warehouse Company may possess to engage in the public utility warehouse business in the City and County of San Francisco be and they are hereby revoked; and that said respondent be and it

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is hereby authorized to cancel, not earlier than the effective date of this order and on not less than five (5) days' notice to the Commission and public, its rates, rules and regulations applicable to warehouse operations at San Francisco.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED that, upon cancellation of the above-referred to rates, rules and regulations, this investigation be and it is hereby discontinued.

This order shall become effective twenty (20) days after the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this ______ day of August, 1951.

Commissioners