

Decision No. 46433

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of)	
Walkup Drayage & Warehouse Company,)	
a corporation, for authority to depart)	Application No. 28758
from the rates, rules and regulations)	(Fifth Supplemental)
of Highway Carriers' Tariff No. 2)	
under the provisions of the Highway)	
Carriers' Act.)	

FIFTH SUPPLEMENTAL OPINION AND ORDER

Applicant holds a highway contract carrier permit. It transports iron and steel structural material and babbitt material for Joseph T. Ryerson & Son, Inc. Prior orders in this proceeding have authorized it to observe monthly vehicle-unit rates instead of the minimum rates in cents per 100 pounds otherwise applicable. The authority is limited to transportation from Ryerson's plant in Emeryville to points within 150 miles of that plant. It expired November 17, 1951. Permission to deviate from the minimum rates for a further one-year period is now sought. Applicant proposes, however, that the previously authorized monthly rates be increased by \$23.10.

The verified supplemental application shows that, except for an increase in drivers' wages, the conditions surrounding the transportation in question which have justified deviation from the minimum rates still obtain; that the proposed increase would offset the wage increase; that this adjustment is acceptable to Ryerson; and that the previously authorized rates as adjusted herein may reasonably be expected to result in profitable operations during the ensuing year.

It appears that this is a matter in which a public hearing is not necessary and that the supplemental application should be granted. The order herein will be made effective

immediately so that applicant's authority will not be inoperative for any appreciable length of time.

Therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Decision No. 40841 of October 28, 1947, as amended, in this proceeding, be and it is hereby further amended by providing that the rates authorized therein shall be further increased by adding thereto an increase of \$23.10 per month; that the aforesaid authority, as so amended, be and it is hereby reinstated; and that it shall expire one (1) year after the effective date hereof, unless sooner canceled, changed or further extended by order of the Commission.

This order shall become effective on the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 20th day of November, 1951.

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Commissioners