

**ORIGINAL**

Decision No. 47269

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of	)	
W. J. Tannahill, M. F. Tannahill,	)	
and E. J. Tannahill, copartners doing	)	Application No. 21909
business under the name and style of	)	(14th Supplemental)
W. Tannahill & Sons, for authority to	)	
charge less than minimum rates.	)	

FOURTEENTH SUPPLEMENTAL OPINION AND ORDER

Applicants have been authorized to deviate from the established minimum rates in connection with the transportation of lumber and other forest products for the Owens-Parks Lumber Company from Vernon to points within a 30-mile radius of that City. The authority is scheduled to expire June 20, 1952. Permission is now sought to continue to observe the authorized rates for a further one-year period.

The verified supplemental application, as amended, alleges that the conditions surrounding the transportation in question which justified deviation from the minimum rates generally still obtain; that operations under the authorized basis have been compensatory; and that during 1952 the rates to be charged will continue to be compensatory. The amended application also shows that an agreement has been completed with the shipper for a nine percent increase in the rates heretofore charged.

It appears that, with the modifications hereinafter referred to, the sought authority is justified and should be granted. A public hearing is not necessary. In view of the forecast of compensatory future operations being limited to 1952, the authority will be made to expire with December 31, 1952. In addition, inasmuch as applicants have agreed with the shipper for a nine percent increase,

the authorized rates will be increased by that amount. The present authority refers to Distance Table No. 3 which has been superseded by Distance Table No. 4 and should be corrected accordingly. To prevent a lapse of applicants' authority, the order herein will be made effective June 26, 1952.

Therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that W. J. Tannahill, M. F. Tannahill and E. J. Tannahill, copartners doing business as W. J. Tannahill & Sons, be and they are hereby authorized to transport the commodities hereinafter described for Owens-Parks Lumber Company within the territory described below at rates less than the established minimum rates, but not less than the following:

\$1.91 per thousand board feet on all lumber and forest products as described in Item No. 660 of Highway Carriers' Tariff No. 2 (Appendix "D" of Decision No. 31600 as amended), except sash and doors, delivered within a radius of 30 miles computed in accordance with Distance Table No. 4 (Appendix "A" of Decision No. 46022 as amended), of the Vernon yard of Owens-Parks Lumber Company.



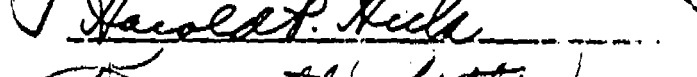
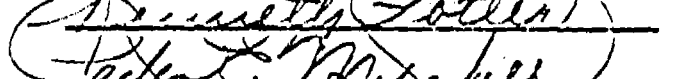
Hourly penalty charges shall be assessed in addition to the foregoing for unnecessary delays in loading, C.O.D. and all other delays, in accordance with the following basis:

\$1.64 per hour for 4-wheel  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ton trucks.  
1.64 per hour for 6-wheel  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ton trucks.  
2.40 per hour for 2-ton trucks.  
2.82 per hour for trucks of over 2 tons.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED that the authority herein granted shall expire with December 31, 1952, unless sooner changed, canceled or extended by order of the Commission.

This order shall become effective June 26, 1952.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 17<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1952.

  
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