

ORIGINAL

Decision No. 47451

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of)
Fred Winkler, Sr., Ralph Winkler,)
Herman Winkler and Stanley Winkler,)
co-partners, doing business as) Application No. 32242
Winkler Brothers Transportation,)
for authority to charge less than)
the minimum rates under the provi-)
sions of the Highway Carriers' Act.)

SUPPLEMENTAL OPINION AND ORDER

Decision No. 47285 of June 17, 1952, in this proceeding, granted applicants a sixty-day extension of their authority to charge a rate less than the minimum rate otherwise applicable for the transportation of cement from Kentucky House to Pine Flat Dam. This limited extension was granted in lieu of the one-year extension sought by applicants pending further investigation.

Subsequently, applicants pointed out that their estimates of operating results for the period of the sought one-year extension make provision for increased wages and other higher costs. They allege that, notwithstanding these increases in expenses, the authorized rate may reasonably be expected to provide sufficient revenues to enable the operation to be continued on a profitable basis during the period covered by the proposed extension.

Interested parties were notified of the filing of the application. The Truck Owners Association of California, which had protested the granting of the original authority, informed the Commission that it has no objection to the proposed extension of that authority.

In the circumstances it appears that this is a matter in which a public hearing is not necessary and that the sought extension of applicants' authority is justified and should be granted.

Therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the expiration date of the authority granted by Decision No. 45763 of May 29, 1951, as amended, in this proceeding, be and it is hereby further extended to June 18, 1953, unless sooner changed or further extended by order of the Commission.

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

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 8th day of July, 1952.

R. F. [Signature]
President
James F. [Signature]
Harold [Signature]
Herbert [Signature]
Commissioners