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Decision No. 48777

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Investigation ) into the rates, rules, regulations,) charges, allowances and practices ) of all common carriers, highway ) carriers and city carriers relating) to the transportation of property ) in the City and County of San ) Francisco and the Counties of Alameda, Contra Costa, Marin, Monterey, Napa, Santa Clara, Santa Cruz, San Benito, San Mateo, ) Solano and Sonoma.

Case No. 54+1 (Petition No. 3)

(For list of appearances, see Decision No. 48743 of June 23, 1953, in this proceeding.)

## SUPPLEMENTAL OPINION AND ORDER

Decision No. 48743 of June 23, 1953, in Case No. 5441, authorized an interim increase of 6 per cent in the minimum rates named in Highway Carriers' Tariff No. 2 applicable to the transportation of general commodities between points situated within the San Francisco Bay Counties Territory as described in the tariff. The increased rates are to become effective July 23, 1953. By petition filed June 25, 1953, the Draymen's Association of Alameda County and the Draymen's Association of San Francisco, Inc., request that the increased rates be made effective July 6, 1953, instead of the aforesaid date. Petitioners maintain that the earlier effective date is needed because of the adverse financial position of the carriers.

The printing of the decision and tariff supplement and the service of the mandatory order involved upon the many respondent common and permitted carriers affected could not be accomplished so

as to make the increased minimum rates effective as requested by petitioners. However, it now appears that common carriers are in position to make their tariff filings sooner than was anticipated and that provision therefor should be made. To this extent the petition in question will be granted. In all other respects it will be denied. A public hearing is not necessary.

Therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the third ordering paragraph of Decision No. 48743 of June 23, 1953, in this proceeding, be and it is hereby amended by eliminating therefrom the phrase "not earlier than July 23, 1953."

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED that, except to the extent provided for in the preceding ordering paragraph hereof, the joint petition filed June 25, 1953, in this proceeding, by the Draymen's Association of Alameda County and the Draymen's Association of San Francisco, Inc., be and it is hereby denied.

This order shall become effective July 13, 1953.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 30 th

day of June, 1953.

Commissioners

Justus F. Craemer-being commissioner......................... being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.