

Decision No. 48830

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application)	
of J. H. DEVINE and J. J. DEVINE,)	
copartners, doing business as)	Application No. 32441
DEVINE AND SON TRUCKING COMPANY)	
for Section 11 Relief.)	

SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL OPINION AND ORDER

Applicants transport lumber from the Glenco Forest Products Company Mill at Elk Creek to various wholesale lumber businesses at Sacramento. Prior orders in this proceeding have authorized them to deviate from the minimum rate otherwise applicable to this transportation. The authority is scheduled to expire July 30, 1953. Permission is now sought to continue to deviate from the minimum rate for a further one-year period. Applicants proposed, however, that the rate of 17 cents per 100 pounds they are now authorized to observe be increased to 18 cents.

The verified supplemental application shows that, except for increased operating costs, the conditions surrounding the transportation in question which justified deviation from the minimum rate generally still obtain; that a study of operating costs included in the supplemental application indicates that operations under the 17-cent rate have been profitable; that the proposed increase in the rate will offset the higher operating costs incurred since this matter was previously considered; and that operations under the 18-cent rate may reasonably be expected to be profitable during the ensuing year.

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

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To prevent a lapse of the authority, the order herein will be made effective July 30, 1953.


Therefore, good cause appearing,

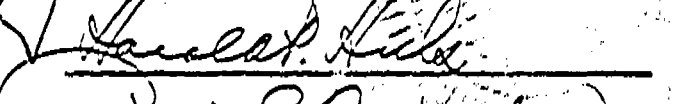
IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Decision No. 45936 of July 10, 1951, in this proceeding, be and it is hereby further amended by substituting in the first ordering paragraph thereof, "but not less than 18 cents per 100 pounds" for "but not less than 17 cents per 100 pounds"; and that the expiration date of the authority granted by said Decision No. 45936, as amended, in this proceeding, be and it is hereby further extended to July 30, 1954, unless sooner changed or further extended by order of the Commission.

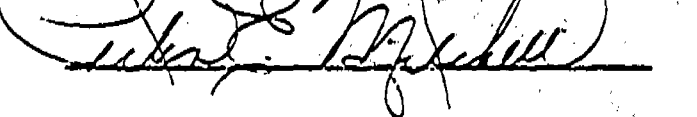
This order shall become effective July 30, 1953.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 14th day of July, 1953.



President






Commissioners