

ORIGINAL

Decision No. 48853

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Investigation into rates, rules, regulations, charges, allowances and practices of all common carriers, highway carriers and city carriers relating to the transportation of property in Los Angeles and Orange Counties (transportation for which rates are provided in City Carriers' Tariff No. 4 - Highway Carriers' Tariff No. 5).

Case No. 5435
(Petition No. 1)

OPINION AND ORDER

By its Petition for Modification No. 1 in this proceeding, the Motor Truck Association of Southern California alleges that serious question has developed whether certain exception ratings on toilet preparations and other articles are applicable to City Carriers' Tariff No. 4 - Highway Carriers' Tariff No. 5, the so-called Los Angeles Drayage Tariff. Petitioner requests that the tariff be amended forthwith to remove the uncertainty.

Reduced classification ratings were established in Highway Carriers' Tariff No. 2 by Decision No. 48402 in Case No. 4808, dated March 24, 1953. The Los Angeles Drayage Tariff was not involved. Uncertainty concerning the ratings in the latter tariff arises by reason of the fact that the lower ratings were published in an Exception Sheet which governs the ratings in both tariffs.¹ The Commission has not approved the revised ratings for the Los Angeles Drayage Area.

¹ Pacific Southcoast Freight Bureau Exception Sheet No. 1 series of J. P. Haynes, Agent.

The need for the relief herein sought is urgent because of the misunderstandings that have developed. No issue of fact or law is involved. A public hearing is not necessary.

Therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that City Carriers' Tariff No. 4 - Highway Carriers' Tariff No. 5, be and it is hereby further amended by incorporating therein, to become effective August 25, 1953, Fourth Revised Page 22 (cancels Third Revised Page 22), and Original Page 22-A, attached hereto and by this reference made a part hereof.

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

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 9th day of July, 1953.

[Signature]
President
Justice F. Wallace
Harold P. Hills
Herbert P. Potter
Commissioners

Item No.	SECTION NO. 1 - RULES AND REGULATIONS OF GENERAL APPLICATION (Continued)	Class Rating
	* (1) EXCEPTIONS TO WESTERN CLASSIFICATION AND EXCEPTION SHEET (Continued)	
212	Aluminum Ware, viz.: Kitchen or cooking utensils, not nested solid ----- (Subject to Note 1 of Item No. 290 series.)	1½
215	Bicycles, set up or knocked down ----- (Subject to Note 1 of Item No. 290 series.)	1½
218	Burial Cases, set up ----- (Subject to Note 2 of Item No. 290 series.)	1½
219	Cans, iron or steel, liquid capacity exceeding one gill but not exceeding 5 gallons, not nested ----- (Subject to Note 1 of Item No. 290 series.)	1¼
220-B	Carriers (used packages), second-hand, empty, as described in and subject to the provisions of Item No. 300 series of the Exception Sheet ----- (Minimum rate restriction removed as no longer effective.)	One-half of 4
230	Flowers, fresh, cut -----	1
232	Furniture, as described under that heading in the Western Classification, except articles knocked down and except the following: Bamboo, cane, fibre, grass, rattan, reed or willow; Bedstead rails, bedstead rails and holders combined, or bedstead slats; steel; Cabinets, filing, steel; Children's bed springs, linked or woven wire, with angle iron frames; Cots, linked or woven wire springs and steel frames, collapsed or folded. (Subject to Note 1 of Item No. 290 series.)	1½
235	Glassware, viz.: Incandescent lamps; Lamp globes or bulbs; Lamp shades, (not nested) ----- (Subject to Note 2 of Item No. 290 series.)	1½
240	Ice Cream -----	2
260	Pads, sanitary (sanitary diapers or napkins) ----- (Subject to Note 1 of Item No. 290 series.)	1½
265-A	Paper or Articles of Paper or Pulp, viz.: Boxes, bottles or cans as described in Item No. 6125 series of the Western Classification ----- (Subject to Note 1 of Item No. 290 series.)	1½

(1) For Items Nos. 270, 280 and 290, appearing on Third Revised Page 22,
see Original Page 22-A.

* Change, Decision No. **4SS53**

EFFECTIVE AUGUST 25, 1953.

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Item No.	SECTION NO. 1 - RULES AND REGULATIONS OF GENERAL APPLICATION (Concluded)	Class Rating									
EXCEPTIONS TO WESTERN CLASSIFICATION AND EXCEPTION SHEET (Concluded)											
(1) 270	Sheet Steel Ware, as described under that heading in the Western Classification, except articles nested or nested solid and except the following: Baking pan sets, (two or more pans strapped together with band steel); Can or pail stock, other than milk shipping can stock, tin, bodies flat, tops and bottoms formed; Forks or spoons, galvanized, tinned or plain; Pail or tub car blanks; Panels or hoods, refrigerator cabinet, unfinished, not galvanized, painted, enameled nor lacquered; Powderkeg material, (bottoms, sides, stoppers or tops); Shovels, stove. (Subject to Note 2 of Item No. 290 series.)	1½									
#275	△ Toilet Preparations and other articles, viz.: Brushes, tooth; Bath salts or crystals, bubble bath or water softening compounds, medicated or perfumed; Bay Rum; Military or traveling toilet kits; Perfumery; Permanent hair-waving sets, other than electric; Powder, sachet or toilet; Rose water; Shampoo; Toilet preparations, not otherwise indexed by name in the Western Classification; Witch hazel extract. NOTE:—Provisions of Item No. 1230 series of the Exception Sheet shall not apply.	Western Classification ratings apply (See Note)									
(1) 280	Trunks or Traveling Bags as described under that heading in the Western Classification ----- (Subject to Note 2 of Item No. 290 series.)	1½									
(1) 290	(Applies in connection with items making specific reference hereto.) (1) Rates on shipments weighing in excess of 2,000 pounds shall be computed at the ratings shown based upon the class rates applicable to a minimum weight of 2,000 pounds. (2) Rates on shipments weighing in excess of 4,000 pounds shall be computed at the ratings shown based upon the class rates applicable to a minimum weight of 4,000 pounds.										
(1) Items Nos. 270, 280 and 290 transferred from Third Revised Page 22.											
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