

ORIGINALDecision No. 49075

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of
 United Parcel Service of Los Angeles,
 Inc., for authority to establish
 certain increased rates applicable
 to wholesale service within Southern
 California only.

Application No. 34058

Preston W. Davis and Roger L. Ramsey, by
Roger L. Ramsey, for applicant.

OPINION AND ORDER ON REHEARING

In this proceeding United Parcel Service of Los Angeles, Inc., seeks authority to establish increased rates for its "wholesale" parcel delivery service within southern California. By Decision No. 48591, dated May 12, 1953, after hearing, the Commission denied the application for lack of justification. Thereafter, upon applicant's petition, rehearing was granted.

At the rehearing, scheduled before Examiner Bryant at Los Angeles on August 25, 1953, counsel for applicant requested dismissal of the proceeding without prejudice. He stated that although the company urgently needs increased revenue, changed conditions make it inappropriate to proceed further in this application. He indicated that his company would wish to file another application after its future labor wages had been determined and after it had an opportunity to

observe the effect upon its business of recently authorized increases in state-wide minimum rates and in parcel post rates.

Under the circumstances it appears that the request for dismissal should be granted; therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the above-entitled application be, and it hereby is, dismissed without prejudice.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 15th day of September, 1953.

R. W. [Signature]
President

Justin J. Caserio

Harold P. Kula

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Commissioners