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Decision No. 53608

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of R. H. GEOFFROY, JOSEPH GEOFFROY, MARGARET GEOFFROY, WILLIAM GEOFFROY and JOSEPHINE C. GEOFFROY, partners doing business as R. H. GEOFFROY COMPANY, for authority to charge less than the minimum rate for the transportation of malt liquors in cans or bottles in cases from Falstaff Brewing Corporation plant, San Jose to Falstaff Brewing Corporation warehouse, San Francisco and to East Bay Beverage Co., Emeryville, California.

Application No. 35046 (Second Supplemental)

SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL OPINION AND ORDER

Applicants hold a highway contract carrier permit. By prior orders in this proceeding a predecessor partnership was authorized to observe a rate less than the minimum rate otherwise applicable to the transportation of malt liquors for Falstaff Brewing Corporation from San Jose to that company's warehouse in San Francisco and to the East Bay Beverage Co. in Emeryville. The authorized rate is 14.7 cents per 100 pounds, minimum weight 32,000 pounds. The authority is scheduled to expire August 30, 1956. By this supplemental application the new partnership seeks permission to continue to observe that rate for a further one-year period.

The supplemental application states that the conditions which justified deviation from the minimum rate still obtain. A study of the current costs applicable to the operation submitted with the supplemental application shows that, under the presently authorized rate, the operation may reasonably be expected to be profitable during the ensuing year.

Interested parties have been notified of the filing of the supplemental application. No objection has been received to its being granted.

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In the circumstances, it appears, and the Commission finds, that the proposed rate is reasonable. This is a matter in which a public hearing is not necessary. The supplemental application will be granted. Inasmuch as the authority expires August 30, 1956, the order will be made effective on that date.

Therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Decision No. 50394 of August 10, 1954, as amended, in this proceeding, be and it is hereby further amended by substituting "R. H. Geoffroy, Joseph Geoffroy, Margaret Geoffroy, William Geoffroy and Josephine C. Geoffroy" for "Joseph Ceoffroy, Margaret Geoffroy, William Geoffroy, August Geoffroy and George Geoffroy" in the order thereof; and that the expiration date of the authority granted by said Decision No. 50394, as further amended herein, be and it is hereby extended to August 30, 1957, unless sooner changed or further extended by order of the Commission.

This order shall become effective August 30, 1956.

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Dated at San Francisco, California, this 2/2 day of August, 1956.

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