

ORIGINAL

Decision No. 55045

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of)	
THE ATCHISON, TOPEKA AND SANTA FE)	
RAILWAY COMPANY and PACIFIC ELECTRIC)	Application No. 39019
RAILWAY COMPANY to extend pickup and)	
delivery limits of Azusa, California,)	
and to amend tariff authority.)	

OPINION AND ORDER

Applicants seek authority to enlarge their pickup and delivery zone at Azusa and to apply Azusa rates to the enlarged territory.

The application shows that the area proposed to be added to the present zone is contiguous to and a part of the community and that this area is situated within three miles of the corporate limits. It also shows that applicants have been requested to provide the additional pickup and delivery service involved. The application states that there are no industries, plants or persons similarly situated in territory contiguous to Azusa that are not already receiving similar service. Because of the relatively short distances involved, the resulting deviations from the established minimum rates would be slight.

Competing carriers have been notified of the filing of the application. No objection has been offered to its being granted.

It appears that this is a matter in which a public hearing is not necessary and that the granting of the sought authority is justified.

Therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that applicants be and they are hereby authorized to enlarge their pickup and delivery zone at Azusa as requested and to establish for the transportation

involved, not earlier than five days after the effective date of this order and on not less than five days' notice to the Commission and the public, rates no lower than those prescribed for like transportation to and from Azusa.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED that the authority herein granted shall expire unless exercised within sixty days after the effective date of this order.

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

Dated at Los Angeles, California, this 25th day of May, 1957.

John E. ...
President
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Commissioners