

Decision No. 55352

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application)	
of BIGGE DRAYAGE CO., a corporation,)	
for authority to depart from minimum)	Application No. 37994
rates, rules and regulations appli-)	(First Supplemental)
cable in connection with certain)	
transportation to be performed for)	
RAYMOND CONCRETE PILE CO.)	

FIRST SUPPLEMENTAL OPINION AND ORDER

Applicant holds permits as radial highway common, highway contract and city carriers. Decision No. 53344 dated July 10, 1956, authorized it to assess hourly and mileage charges in lieu of the applicable minimum rates for the transportation of pile driving equipment, material and supplies between all points in California north of the southern boundaries of San Luis Obispo, Kings, Tulare and Inyo Counties for Raymond Concrete Pile Co. By Interim Order in Decision No. 55210 of July 2, 1957, a temporary ninety-day extension of the authority was granted because applicant did not sufficiently justify a one-year extension of the authority. That authority expires October 28, 1957. By amendment to First Supplemental Application No. 37994, applicant requests that the authority be extended for the one-year period.

The amendment to the supplemental application shows that applicant's operations have been conducted at a profit during the past year. A cost study submitted with the amendment to the supplemental application shows that the operations may reasonably be expected to be profitable under the authorized rates during the ensuing year. The Transportation Division staff has reviewed the cost study and has recommended granting the sought authority.

Therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:


(1) That the expiration date of the authority granted to Bigge Drayage Co. by Decision No. 53344, dated July 10, 1956, as amended, in this proceeding, be and it is hereby extended to July 30, 1958, unless sooner canceled, changed or further extended by order of the Commission.


(2) That any transportation performed by applicant as a common carrier of the same commodities between the same points shall be cause for revocation of the authority herein granted.


(3) That, if, during the period that the authority herein granted is in effect, applicant should be granted and accept a certificate of public convenience and necessity pursuant to its application No. 36284, the authority herein granted, insofar as it shall apply on the same commodities between the same points as provided by said certificate, shall be canceled, said cancellation to be effective as of the effective date of the rates on the commodities, and applicable between the points involved herein, filed pursuant to the acceptance of said certificate.


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

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 5th day of August, 1957.



President






Commissioners