

ORIGINAL

Decision No. 55580

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the matter of the investigation into)	
the rates, rules, regulations, charges,)	
allowances and practices of all common)	Case No. 5432
carriers, highway carriers, and city)	Petition for
carriers, relating to the transportation))	Modification No. 95
of general commodities (commodities for)	
which rates are provided in Minimum Rate)	
Tariff No. 2).)	

SUPPLEMENTAL OPINION AND ORDER

Minimum Rate Tariff No. 2 sets forth rates for the transportation of Castor Beans, among other commodities. The prescribed minimum rates for the transportation of this commodity are based on a fourth-class less truckload rating and a fifth-class truckload rating provided in Item No. 10830 of Western Classification No. 76, Geo. H. Dumas, Agent. By this petition California Farm Bureau Federation seeks inclusion of Castor Beans in Item No. 652½ series of Minimum Rate Tariff No. 2 which applies to commodity rates for Grain, Grain Products and Related Articles. Petitioner requests that the sought adjustment in minimum rates be made effective as soon as possible in view of the fact that the harvesting and marketing of Castor Beans has commenced.

It is alleged that, since the withdrawal of acreage formerly dedicated to the production of cotton, the amount of acreage dedicated to the production of Castor Beans has been substantially increased in California, that commodity rates are not provided for Castor Beans and that the proposed grain and grain products commodity rates are necessary to provide appropriate rates for this important new crop.

Interested parties, including California Trucking Associations, Inc., have been notified of the filing of the petition. No objections have been received.

In the circumstances it appears, and the Commission finds, that the proposed revision of the minimum rates is justified. The petition will be granted. In view of the fact that the shipping season is underway, the rates will be made effective immediately. Common carriers will be authorized to amend their tariffs on one day's notice.

Therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Minimum Rate Tariff No. 2 (Appendix "D" of Decision No. 31606, as amended) be and it is hereby further amended by incorporating therein, to become effective September 18, 1957, Eleventh Revised Page 4 cancels Tenth Revised Page 4 and Second Revised Page 51-C cancels First Revised Page 51-C, attached hereto and by this reference made a part hereof.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED that tariff publications authorized to be made by common carriers as a result of the order herein may be made effective on not less than one day's notice to the Commission and to the public if filed not later than sixty days after the effective date of the tariff changes herein involved.

In all other respects the aforesaid Decision No. 31606, as amended, shall remain in full force and effect.

The effective date of this order shall be the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 18th day of September, 1957.

President

Commissioner

Commissioners

INDEX OF COMMODITIES

Only those articles which are named in commodity items or in Exceptions to the Western Classification and Exception Sheet are shown in the following list.

COMMODITY	Item Number	COMMODITY	Item Number
Acid, Boracic	730	Borax	730
Adapters, Casing	365	Boxes, Well Derrick or Stuffing	365
Adjusters and Boards	365	Brackets, Cornice	660, 690
Air Compressors (M)	365	Brackets, Insulator	660, 690
Ale	310, 360, 600	Bran	652, 652, 654
Ale, Ginger	600	Bran, cottonseed (M)	652, 654
Alfalfa	652, 654	Bran, Rice	652, 654
Anvils (M)	365	Breads	(1)
Aprons, Window	660, 690	Breakfast Nook Sets	660, 690
Arms, wooden	365	Brewers' Flakes	652, 652, 654
Asphalt	723-726	Brewers' Grains	652, 652, 654
Astragals	660, 690	Brick, Fire	365
Atmospheric Water Cooling Towers	(M) 365, 660, 690	Brine	(1)
Bakery Goods	360	Brushes, tooth	395
Balusters	660, 690	Bronzing Liquids	377
Balustrade Work	660, 690	Broths	(1)
Bark	660, 690	Buckwheat	652, 652, 654
Barley	652, 652, 654	Buffets	660, 690
Barrels, Pump Working	365	Built-in Fixtures	660, 690
Bars, Grate	365	Butter, Dairy	(M) 315, 605
Base Boards	660, 690	Butter, Fruit	(1)
Bath Salts or Crystals	395	Buttermilk	(1)
Batteries, dry cell	305	Buttermilk, dried	652, 654
Bay Rum	395	Buttermilk, Powdered or flaked	(1)
Beads, Angle, Corner, Cornice	660, 690	Butter, Peanut	(1)
Beans, Castor	652, 654		
Beans, Mesquite	652, 654	Cabinets, Kitchen	660, 690
Beans and Pork	(1)	Cabinets, Medicine	660, 690
Bea Hivos	660, 690	Cabinets, Telephone	660, 690
Beer	310, 360, 600	Cake, Babassu Nut	652, 653, 654
Beer Tonic	310, 360, 600	Cake, Coconut	652, 653, 654
Boat Pulp	652, 654	Cake, Copra	652, 653, 654
Belts (M)	365	Cake, Corn Gorm	652, 653, 654
Beverage Containers	600	Cake, Corn Oil (M)	652, 654
Beverage Preparations	311, 360, 375	Cake, Cottonseed	652, 653, 654
Beverages	310, 360, 600	Cake, Flaxseed	653, 654
Bits, Drilling	365		
Blacksmith's Rotary		Cake, (Grain)	652, 652, 654
Blowers (M)	365	Cake, Hemp Seed	652, 653, 654
Blinds (Shutter)	660, 690	Cake, Kapok Seed	652, 653, 654
Blocks (Base, Center, Corner, Head)	660, 690	Cake, Linseed	652, 653, 654
Blocks, Casing, Crown or Underreamer Dressing	365	Cake, Mosquito (M)	652, 654
Blocks, Wooden Paving	660, 690	Cake, Palm	652, 653, 654
Blowers, Blacksmith's Rotary (M)	365	Cake, Palm Kernel	652, 653, 654
Boards, Base	660, 690	Cake, Peanut	652, 653, 654
Boards, Ironing	660, 690	Cake, Perilla	653, 654
		Cake, Perilla Seed	652, 653, 654
		Cake, Rape Seed	652, 653, 654

Boiler Flues	365	Cake, Safflower Seed	653, 654
Boiler Fronts (M)	365	Cake, Sesame Seed	652 ¹ / ₂ , 653, 654
Boiler Parts (M)	365	Cake, Soya Bean	652 ¹ / ₂ , 653, 654
Boilers (M)	365	Cake, Sunflower Seed	652 ¹ / ₂ , 653, 654
Boiler Tubes	365	Cake, Tucum Nut	652 ¹ / ₂ , 653, 654
Bolts, wooden	660, 690	Cake, Velvet Bean	652 ¹ / ₂ , 653, 654
Bone, ground	652 ¹ / ₂ , 654		
Book Cases	660, 690		

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- (1) See "Canned Goods and Other Articles as described in Item No. 610 series."
(M) Denotes articles on which application of rates is limited to mixed shipments.

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Cancels

Item No.	SECTION NO. 3	COMMODITY RATES (Continued)
	(Applies in connection with rates making specific reference hereto.)	
	GRAIN, GRAIN PRODUCTS AND RELATED ARTICLES, viz.:	
	Feed, Animal or Poultry, and other articles not prepared for human consumption, viz.:	
	Feed, Animal or Poultry (except cooked or baked cakes, biscuits or bread - see Note 1), consisting of mixtures or blended products containing 70% or more by weight of two or more of the following articles (except as noted):	
	Grain or Grain Products specified in Item No. 652, Alfalfa, Clover Feed,) Barley Hay Feed, Sorghum Feed,) cut or ground, Bean Straw Feed,)	
	The following articles not to exceed 70% of the total weight of such prepared animal or poultry feed:	
	Bran, Cottonseed, Cake or Meal, viz.:	
	Babassu Nut, Hemp Seed, Cocoanut (Copra), Kapok Seed, Corn Germ, Linseed, Corn Oil, Mesquite, Cottonseed, Palm,	Palm Kernel, Soya Bean, Peanut, Sunflower Seed, Perilla Seed, Tucum Nut, Rape Seed, Velvet Bean, Sesame Seed,
	Hulls, Cottonseed, whole or ground,	
	Milk or Buttermilk, dried,	
	Milk, sour skim,	
	Molasses, viz.: Blackstrap, Beet Sugar Final or Corn Sugar Final (Hydrol),	
	Rice Bran, Hulls or Polish.	
*652 ¹ / ₂ -B Cancels 652 ¹ / ₂ -4	NOTE 1.-Steaming as a preliminary to further process of manufacture to produce animal or poultry feed as described herein shall not be considered cooking.	
	Alfalfa, cut or ground, sweetened or unsweetened, Bone; ground, Kelp; dried or ground, Meal, viz.: Alfalfa, Bean Straw, sweetened or unsweetened,	Meal, viz.: Clover, Fish, Meat, dried, Orange, dried, Milk or Buttermilk, dried, Milk, sour skim, Orange Pulp, dried, Scrap, Fish, ground or pulverized.
	#0Beans; castor, Beans, mesquite, Bran, rice, Charcoal, crushed or ground, (not exceeding 33 1/3% of total weight of shipment), Cow Peas, Grit (ground or crushed rock), Hulls, cottonseed, Hulls, rice, whole or ground, Meal, rice (mixture of Rice Bran and Rice Polish),	Screening, ground or unground, from Flaxseed, and containing not more than 5% of Flaxseed or other seed, Screenings, viz.: Alfalfa Seed, Bean, Millet, Paddy Rice, Pea,

Poultry Litter (not exceeding 20%
of total weight of shipment), viz.:
Peat Moss,
Redwood Bark, ground,
Pulp, boot, sweetened or
unsweetened, dry,
Rice Polish,

Seed, viz.:
Sorghum,
Sunflower,
Sweet Clover (Melilotus),
Vetch,
(1) Shells, crushed,
(1) Shells, clam, mussel or oyster,
whole or broken.

Oil, Fish (not exceeding 10% of total weight of shipment).

(1) In mixed shipments only.

* Change)
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