

Decision No. 56010

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of
ROBERTSON DRAYAGE CO., INC., a cor-
poration, for authority to depart
from the rates, rules and regula-
tions of City Carriers' Tariff
No. 1-A, under the provisions of
the City Carriers' Act and from the
rates, rules and regulations of
Highway Carriers' Tariff No. 2, under
the provisions of the Highway Carriers'
Act.

Application No. 29587
(Eleventh Supplemental)

TWELFTH SUPPLEMENTAL OPINION AND ORDER

Prior orders in this proceeding have authorized applicant to deviate from the established minimum rates in connection with specialized transportation services it performs for Sears, Roebuck and Company between that company's warehouses and retail stores in San Francisco and Emeryville and from its retail stores to customers within 35 miles of San Francisco. This authority is scheduled to expire January 13, 1958. Permission is sought to continue to deviate from the minimum rates for a further one-year period. Applicant proposes increases in its present minimum charges so as to make them no lower than those recently prescribed by the Commission in Minimum Rate Tariff No. 2, Item No. 150-L, for distances not exceeding 150 constructive miles.

According to the verified supplemental application, the conditions surrounding the transportation in question which justified deviation from the minimum rates still obtain, and operations under the sought rates may reasonably be expected to be profitable.

Competing carriers have been notified of the filing of the supplemental application. No objections have been received.

In the circumstances, it appears, and the Commission finds, that the proposed rates are reasonable and consistent with the public interest. This is a matter in which a public hearing is not

necessary. The supplemental application will be granted. In view of the expiration date of present authority, the order herein will be made effective January 13, 1958.

Therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Decision No. 49208 of October 13, 1953, as amended, in this proceeding, be and it is hereby further amended by substituting in Item No. 1 of Appendix "A-2" of Decision No. 53695 of August 29, 1956, the following minimum charges for those shown therein:

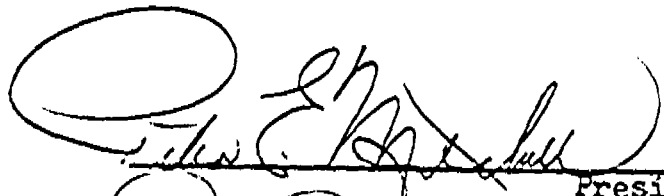
Weight of Shipment

25 pounds or less	\$1.50
Over 25 but not over 45 pounds	1.50
Over 45 but not over 59 pounds	1.75
Over 59 but not over 100 pounds	2.10


IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED that the expiration date of the authority granted by said Decision No. 49208, as further amended herein, be and it is hereby extended to January 13, 1959, unless sooner changed or further extended by order of the Commission.

This order shall become effective on January 13, 1958.


Dated at San Francisco, California, this 2^d day of January, 1958.



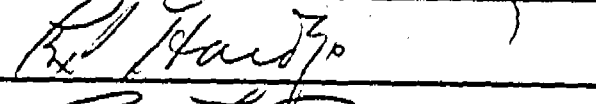
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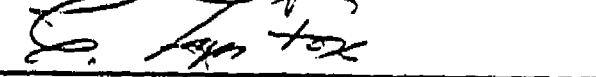
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