

Decision No. 56813

**ORIGINAL**

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of )  
BELYEA TRUCK CO., a corporation, for )  
authority to depart from the rates, )  
rules and regulations of Highway )  
Carriers' Tariff No. 2, City Car- )  
riers' Tariff No. 4 - Highway Car- )  
riers' Tariff No. 5, under the pro- )  
visions of the Highway Carriers' )  
Act and the City Carriers' Act. )

Application No. 38999  
(First Supplemental)

FIRST SUPPLEMENTAL OPINION AND ORDER

Applicant holds radial highway common carrier, highway contract carrier and city carrier permits. Applicant also holds a certificate as a highway common carrier and petroleum irregular route carrier to transport petroleum products in tank vehicles between various points. Decision No. 55005, dated May 21, 1957, in this proceeding, authorized it to quote rates and assess charges on the basis of units of measurement differing from those in which the minimum rates are stated, subject to certain conditions. The authority is limited to the transportation of mining and contractors' equipment, boats, airplanes, and commodities which, by reason of size or weight, require special equipment or handling, including incidental materials, equipment or supplies transported as a part of the same shipment. The authority is scheduled to expire June 11, 1958. By this supplemental application permission is sought to continue that authority for a period of not less than one year.

Applicant states that there have been no material changes in its operations during the past year and the conditions which justified the previous authority still exist. Applicant declares that the highly specialized nature of the traffic it handles and the requirements of its shippers make it impracticable to follow

the form of the outstanding minimum rates and charges from a quotation standpoint. Applicant further states that at no time will charges assessed be less than those which would result under the minimum rate tariffs here involved.



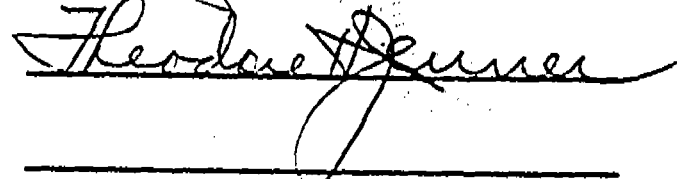
In the circumstances, it appears, and the Commission finds, that the sought extension of the proposed bases of charges is reasonable and consistent with the public interest. The supplemental application will be granted. To prevent a lapse of applicant's authority, the order will be made effective on June 11, 1958. A public hearing is not necessary.

Therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED that the expiration date of the authority granted Belyea Truck Co., a corporation, by Decision No. 55005 of May 21, 1957, in this proceeding, is hereby extended to June 11, 1959, unless sooner changed or further extended by order of this Commission.

This order shall become effective on June 11, 1958.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 9th day of June, 1958.

  
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President  
  
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