

ORIGINAL

Decision No. 57752

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of certain railroads )  
and connecting highway common )  
carriers for authority to increase ) Application No. 38557  
local and joint freight rates and )  
charges. )

Charles W. Burkett, Jr., for applicants.  
Frederick G. Pfrommer and Robert A. Thompson,  
for railroad applicants.  
Walter G. Treavor, for Western Pacific Railroad  
and Sacramento Northern Railway, applicants.  
Gordon, Knapp, Gill & Hibbert, by H. C. Alphson,  
and H. C. Feraud, for Southern California Rock  
Products Association, protestant.  
Ralph B. Harlan, for California Manufacturers  
Association; William G. Higgins, for Pacific  
Cement and Aggregates, Inc.; James R. McNicoll,  
for E. J. Lavino & Company; Scott D. Flegal,  
for Safeway Stores, Inc.; B. R. Garcia, for  
B. R. Garcia Traffic Service; Royston E. Campbell,  
for Freight Traffic Service; Walter I. Phillips,  
in propria persona; J. C. Kaspar, A. D. Poe and  
J. X. Quintrall, for California Trucking Associa-  
tions, Inc., interested parties.  
Cyril M. Saroyan, C. Ray Bryant and John L. Pearson,  
for the Commission's staff.

ORDER DENYING MOTION FOR INTERIM RELIEF

It appearing that applicants herein have filed with the  
Commission a motion requesting that interim rate increases be  
authorized pending final determination of the issues;

And it further appearing that adjourned hearings in Applica-  
tion No. 38557 are scheduled for various dates in January, 1959, at  
which hearings cross-examination of applicants' witnesses will be  
had and evidence of other parties will be received;

And the Commission having carefully considered said motion,  
together with the replies made thereto, and it being of the opinion

that no good cause for the granting thereof is therein made to appear,

IT IS ORDERED that said motion be and it is hereby denied.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 16th day of December, 1958.

S. J. Fox  
 President

Robert A. Armer

Michael J. Ash

Theodore H. Jenner

Commissioners

Commissioner..... Peter E. Mitchell, being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.