

Decision No. 60094

**ORIGINAL**

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of )  
WALKUP DRAYAGE AND WAREHOUSE COMPANY, )  
a corporation, for authorization to )  
transport for compensation or hire ) Application No. 42100  
over the public highways in the City )  
and County of San Francisco, certain )  
commodities listed in the application.)

In the Matter of the Application of )  
WALKUP DRAYAGE AND WAREHOUSE COMPANY, )  
a corporation, for authorization to )  
transport for compensation or hire ) Application No. 42129  
over the public highways in the City )  
and County of San Francisco, a cer- )  
tain commodity stated in the )  
application.)

OPINION AND ORDER

Applicant holds radial highway common, highway contract and city carrier permits. By Decision No. 58402, dated May 12, 1959, in Application No. 40987, it was authorized, as a city carrier, under Section 4015 of the Public Utilities Code, to assess rates lower than the established minimum rates in connection with certain transportation within San Francisco. The authority, which is scheduled to expire May 30, 1960, permits applicant to assess a rate of 17 cents per 100 pounds for the transportation of flour for Langendorf United Bakeries, Inc. It also authorizes a rate of \$1.80 per ton for the transportation of newsprint paper for Hearst Publications, Inc., and authority is hereby sought to extend this deviation also for account of the San Francisco Chronicle.

By Application No. 42100, filed March 31, 1960, authority is sought to continue to assess rates lower than the minimum rates for a further one-year period, but to increase the authorized rates to 18 cents and 11 cents per 100 pounds, respectively, in recognition of increased costs. Applicant desires to state both rates in cents per 100 pounds for convenience.

By Application No. 42129, filed April 8, 1960, applicant also seeks authority to extend its deviation authority for the transportation of newsprint for the account of the San Francisco Chronicle for a period of one year, under the same terms and conditions authorized in connection with such transportation for Hearst Publications, Inc.

According to Application No. 42100, except for increased costs, there has been no change in the circumstances requiring special rates for the transportation of the commodities involved. The application states that the volume of traffic and the traffic flow are substantially above the minimum requirements applicable to the outstanding authority. It is alleged that the authorized rates have been and are now compensatory, and that insofar as can now be foreseen the sought rates will continue to produce a reasonable profit for the ensuing year.

In support of Application No. 42129 applicant states that the transportation performed by it for the San Francisco Chronicle has been substantially the same as that performed for Hearst Publications, Inc., and that the economies realized by applicant in this particular transportation are the same for both shippers. Applicant further states that it desires to provide such transportation service on an equal basis to these two shippers since the economies realized by it are substantially equal, and that its experience in the transportation of newsprint paper for the shippers here involved confirms that the proposed rate will be compensatory.

The applications show that copies thereof were mailed to the Draymen's Association of San Francisco, and that said association has authorized applicant to state that it supports the granting of these applications.

In the circumstances, it appears, and the Commission finds, that the proposed rates are reasonable and consistent with the public interest. The applications will be granted. A public hearing is not necessary.

Therefore, good cause appearing,

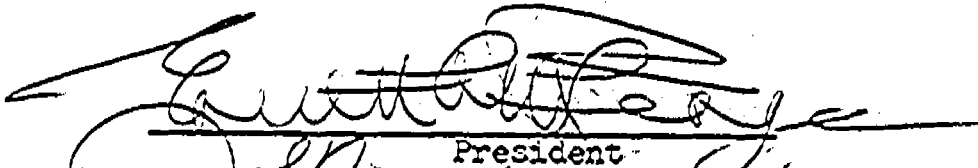
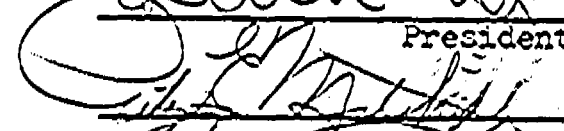
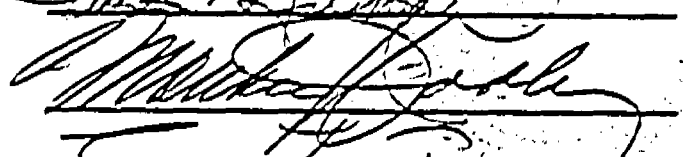
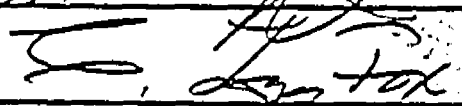
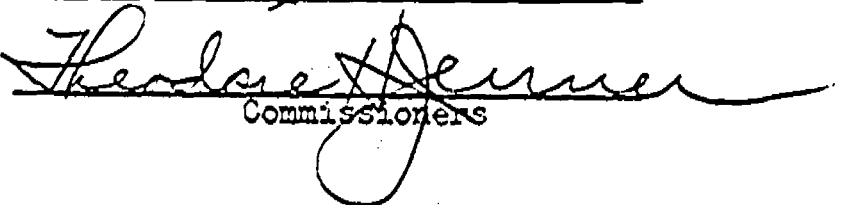
IT IS ORDERED:

(1) That Walkup Drayage and Warehouse Company is hereby authorized to transport property as described in and subject to the conditions and restrictions set forth in Appendix "A", attached hereto and by this reference made a part hereof, between points within the City and County of San Francisco, at rates less than the minimum rates established for such transportation but not less than the rates shown in said Appendix "A".

(2) That the authority herein granted shall expire May 30, 1961, unless sooner canceled, changed or extended by order of the Commission.

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

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 9th day of May, 1960.

  
President  
  
  
  
  
Commissioners

APPENDIX "A" TO DECISION NO. 60394

WALKUP DRAYAGE AND WAREHOUSE COMPANY  
(Within San Francisco)

Item 1

Flour transported for Lengendorf United Bakeries, Inc., in quantities of not less than 50,000 barrels per calendar year:

In haul (1) \$.18 per 100 pounds

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Item 2

Newsprint Paper, in rolls, transported for Hearst Publications, Inc., and the San Francisco Chronicle, in quantities of not less than 35,000 tons per calendar year:

(1) \$.11 per 100 pounds

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Except as otherwise provided herein, rates and charges named in this appendix are subject to the rules and regulations provided in City Carriers' Tariff No. 1-A (Appendix "A" of Decision No. 41363, as amended, in Case No. 4084).

- (1) Not subject to the provisions of Item No. 60 series of said City Carriers' Tariff No. 1-A with respect to tailgate loading and tailgate unloading.

End of Appendix "A"