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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 carriers, highway) carriers and city carriers relating) to the transportation of property) in Los Angeles and Orange Counties) (transportation for which rates are) provided in Minimum Rate Tariff) No. 5).

Case No. 5435 (Petition for Modification No. 55) (Filed February 13, 1964)

First Amendment (Filed February 21, 1964)

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<u>O P I N I O N</u>

By this petition, as amended, California Trucking Association (CTA) seeks upward adjustments in the minimum rates named in Minimum Rate Tariff No. 5 for transportation by highway and city permit carriers within the Los Angeles Drayage Area. It also asks that common carriers be authorized and directed to establish in their tariffs corresponding increases in their rates, including rates on commodities exempt from the minimum rates. The

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increases in rates which petitioner seeks range from about 6½ to 8 percent, and average about 6.85 percent.

The petition was heard before Commissioner Mitchell and Examiner Lane at Los Angeles on March 25 and 26 and on May 15, 1964. On the latter date it was taken under submission.

Evidence was presented by petitioner's director of transportation economics, by a senior transportation engineer on the Commission staff and by three shipper witnesses. A number of other parties assisted in the development of the record.

CTA's Director of Transportation Economics testified that carriers serving the Los Angeles Drayage Area had experienced substantial increases in operating costs since the latest adjustment in the minimum rates for this service. He said that under a recently negotiated labor contract further substantial increases in labor costs would become effective on July 1, 1964. The witness said that measurable increases in various important aspects of operating costs had been or would be experienced by carriers.

Wages have been or will be subjected to increases in three separate increments as follows: A cost of living increase in February 1964 of 3 cents per hour, a "catch-up" increase effective July 1, 1964 ranging from $8\frac{1}{2}$ cents to $11\frac{1}{2}$ cents per hour and an increase effective July 1, 1964 of 10 cents per hour resulting from a recently signed nationwide agreement with the teamsters. These

1/ The so-called "catch-up" increase is designed to bring the teamster wages in Los Angeles more in line with higher wages poid in the San Francisco Bay Area. To partially bridge the gap, two increases - one effective July 1, 1964 and the other effective July 1, 1965 - have been negotiated under a contract now in force between the employers and the local unions.

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adjustments amount to overall increases in wages ranging from 212 to 242 cents per hour.

According to the witness, payments to health and welfare and to pension funds will be increased by \$1.00 per member per week. Taxes on gasoline have been increased one cent a gallon and weight fees on motor equipment have been increased varying amounts averaging about 19 percent. The costs of collecting freight bills through Transport Clearings have increased about 2 cents each. In addition, the witness said that based on current studies he had made the rates for Workmen's Compensation Insurance had increased about

The witness for petitioner submitted an exhibit which was developed to show the extent carriers' operating costs would be increased by the measurable increases referred to above. He adjusted the costs of record on which the current minimum rates are bottomed to reflect the increases in the foregoing factors. He computed the percentage difference between the current cost figures and the previous cost figures as the measure of the increase in costs resulting from the increased wages and other items.

The witness stated that in his opinion his calculations understated the actual costs to a considerable extent. Various important factors such as current performance levels and fixed vehicle expenses, which would further advance costs, had not been

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studied in detail, he said, and were not reflected in the calculations. The director alleged that trends for the future indicated only further advances in operating costs notwithstanding technological improvements.

The CTA witness asserted that the costs he had developed were fully representative of current circumstances. He admitted that the current study "flows through" from cost studies introduced in evidence before the Commission on May 21, 1951. He said that because of revisions of the cost figures from time to time, principally to reflect advances in wage costs, labor costs now represent over 90 percent of the total costs of operations reflected in his current calculations. In actual operations, he said, the percentage of labor is less than 75 percent of the total operating costs.

Petitioner's Director of Transport Economics calculated increases in rates designed to return to the carriers the increases in operating costs he had developed. In explaining the adjustments he had made in the rates, the director stated that the minimum rate tariff contained a special commodity rate on cement clinker and empty cement sacks returning under which, to his knowledge, no . traffic had moved for a number of years. In addition to the general adjustments in rates he advocated, he recommended that the $\frac{3}{}$

^{2/} The 1951 cost studies rely in part on cost developments introduced in evidence in 1941. (Decision No. 46088, dated August 14, 1951, in Cases Nos. 4121 and 4808.)

^{3/} Petitioner's witness expressed concern with respect to the proper method of disposing of fractions in developing rates. Changing conditions and the exercise of judgment dictate different treatment in different circumstances; thus, no hard and fast rule may be prescribed. However, the scale set forth in Appendix B has been used in a number of cases in developing minimum rates for permit carriers.

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The director also introduced into the record a summary of operating results of 12 carriers operating in the Los Angeles Drayage Area, among other places. The list included only corriers who had reported that 50 percent or more of their revenues were from cartage service. This witness was unable to state the amount of the revenue of these carriers that was derived from transportation under Minimum Rate Tariff No. 5. The combined operating results of these twelve carriers are recapitulated in the following table:

> Table Recapitulating Operating Results Of Twelve Los Angeles Drayage Area Carriers for Year 1963

Operating Revenues	\$6,375,878
Operating Expenses	6,914,336
Operating Income Before Taxes	
Operating Ratio Before Taxes	100.6%

A Senior Transportation Engineer of the Commission staff submitted an exhibit in which he had undertaken to develop the effect on corriers' revenue requirements of the reductions in federal income taxes resulting from the Revenue Act of 1964. For the purposes of this development, the staff engineer assumed an operating ratio of 93 under the minimum rates. On the basis of this assumption, and the revenues and expenses of two hypothetical carriers, he calculated percentage changes in revenues and expenses, subtracted one from the other and offered the result as the measure of the effect of the reduction in income taxes on carrier revenue needs.

In the study, the witness developed that the adjustments in income taxes reduced revenue needs of carriers as shown on this record by 1.65 percentage points. He asserted that the Commission had recognized federal income taxes as an operating expense in establishing minimum transportation rates. He was unable to cite a

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Commission decision wherein such a finding is expressed. The staff witness stated that as operating ratios approach 100, the effect of the income tax reduction diminishes to zero.

The witness for CTA rebutted the allegation that income taxes had ever been allowed by the Commission as a factor in developing carrier operating costs to serve as a basis for fixing minimum transportation rates. He stated that the minimum rates do not reflect a particular operating ratio. Moreover, he said that the operating results of carriers show that they paid very little in income taxes in 1963 and that the 1964 and 1965 adjustments in federal income tax rates will have no effect on carrier operating results.

Representatives of three shipper interests testified with respect to the sought rate increases. In substance, they testified that rate increases of the nature here sought had given rise to proprietary operations in the past and future increases would broaden the use of proprietary equipment. Two of these witnesses, representing wholesalers and distributors of general merchandise, introduced studies of the costs to their principals of operating shipper-owned equipment. They alleged that the operating costs of their equipment was considerably below the charges they would have to pay to have the same service performed by for-hire carriers. The third witness, who is the manager of a wholesale company distributing juvenile furniture, stated that the industry he represents had been able to resist increases or reduce their selling prices since 1954. In contrast, he pointed to a steady advance in the transportation rates of highway carriers. He contended that the costs in the trucking industry have not risen as much as the carriers claim.

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The evidence of record is persuasive that carriers engaged in transportation subject to minimum rates in Minimum Rate Tariff No. 5 have experienced sizeable increases in labor and other costs and will experience further substantial increases in labor costs on July 1, 1964. It is clear that increases are required in the minimum rates to restore them to just and reasonable levels. The question to be determined is the amount of increases in rates which is shown by this record to be justified.

Petitioner alleges that carrier costs have increased about 6.85 percent. These determinations reflect a relationship of labor costs to full costs of about 91 percent. Petitioner admits that this is a distortion but says it is a distortion brought about by the fact that increases in certain cost factors other than labor costs generally have not been recognized in the several up-datings of the costs of record. On the other hand, the relationship of labor costs to full costs has normally been less than 75 percent in drayage operations. Thus, while the application of the cost factors to the cost study of record may result in an upward restatement of the cost of 6.85 percent, the actual impact on carrier operations is considerably less than that figure.

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The shipper evidence shows that increases in the rates in question undeniably will result in diversion of traffic from the carriers represented by petitioner. While this is a development which usually follows increases in rates, it is manifest that such diversions should be kept as low as practicable.

With respect to the income tax question, there is no record of a finding by the Commission that the minimum rates in question are intended to provide any specified operating ratio. Nonetheless, the minimum rates are intended to return to the carriers a measure of profit after income taxes. The impact of the income tax adjustment varies as between different rates and as between different carriers and it may not be precisely measured on this record. However, it will be considered in the rate adjustments hereinafter authorized.

Upon consideration of all the facts and circumstances of record, including infirmities in the cost showing, the Commission finds that an increase in the rates in question approximating five percent will be sufficient to return the increased expenses shown on this record.

The Commission further finds that Minimum Rate Tariff No. 5 should be amended to the extent set forth in the order which

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follows, that the resulting minimum rates and charges will be just, reasonable and nondiscriminatory and that the increases resulting from the establishment of such rates are justified.

To the extent that the provisions of Minimum Rate Tariff No. 5 have been found heretofore to constitute reasonable minimum rates, rules and regulations for common carriers as defined in the Public Utilities Act, we find that sold provisions, as hereinafter adjusted, are, and will be, reasonable minimum rate provisions for said common carriers. To the extent that the existing rates and charges of said common carriers for the transportation involved are less in volume or effect than the minimum rates and charges herein designated as reasonable for said carriers, to that same extent the rates and charges of said carriers are hereby found to be, now and for the future, unreasonable, insufficient and not justified by the actual competitive rates of competing carriers or by the costs of other means of transportation.

In addition to increases in the rates and charges in Minimum Rate Tariff No. 5, petitioner's proposals include a request that certain common carriers be authorized to make corresponding increases in their rates for the transportation of exempt commodities--commodities which are not subject to the rates in Minimum Rate Tariff No. 5. Requests in this proceeding for similar authority have heretofore been found to be justified in those instances in which the exempt commodities are transported at the level of the minimum class rates and under the same transportation conditions as those which apply to transportation which is subject to the minimum class rates. Inasmuch as in these circumstances the increased costs shown herein would also apply to the transportation

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of the exempt commodities, we find that increases in the rates for the exempt commodities corresponding to the increases authorized in the minimum rates are likewise justified.

In connection with the establishment of increased rates in conformity with the order herein, petitioner asks that common carriers be relieved from the so-called long- and short-haul prohibitions of Article XII, Section 21, of the Constitution of the State of California and of Section 460 of the Public Utilities Code. Where common carriers have been heretofore authorized to depart from the long- and short-haul prohibitions, their outstanding authorities will be modified to the extent necessary to carry out the effect of the order herein.

The Commission concludes that Petition for Modification No. 55, as amended, in Case No. 5435 should be granted to the extent provided in the ensuing order. In all other respects, it should be denied.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Minimum Rate Tariff No. 5 (Appendix "A" of Decision No. 32504, as amended) is further amended by incorporating therein, to become effective August 1, 1964, the revised pages attached hereto and listed in Appendix "A" also attached hereto, which pages and appendix by this reference are made a part hereof.

2. Common carriers subject to the Public Utilities Act, to the extent that they are subject also to said Decision No. 32504, as amended, be, and they are, directed to establish in their tariffs the rate increases necessary to conform to the further increases herein in the rates and charges established by said decision.

3. Except as is otherwise stated hereinbelow, the increased class rates, surcharges, minimum charges and accessorial service charges which are established by ordering paragraph 1 hereof be, and they are, authorized to be made applicable to the transportation of the commodities listed in Item No. 40 of Minimum

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Rate Tariff No. 5, by common carriers (as defined in Section 211 of the Public Utilities Act), except common carriers by railroad with respect to their carload rates and charges, provided (a) that said transportation is performed between origins and destinations which are both located within the Los Angeles Drayage Area (as described in Minimum Rate Tariff No. 5); and (b) that said transportation is now subject to class rates in the tariffs of said common carriers;

EXCEPTIONS:

- S: The rate increase authority which is granted by this paragraph does not apply,
 - To transportation for which minimum rates apply in accordance with the provisions of other minimum rate tariffs of the Commission; and
 - (2) To transportation which is being performed by dump or tank vehicles.

4. Tariff publications required or authorized to be made by common carriers as a result of the order herein may be made effective not earlier than the tenth day after the effective date of this order, on not less than ten days' notice to the Commission and to the public; such tariff publications as are required shall be made effective not later than August 1, 1964, and as to tariff publications which are authorized but not required, the authority herein granted shall expire unless exercised within sixty days after the effective date hereof.

5. Common carriers, in establishing and maintaining the rates and charges provided by this order, be, and they are, authorized to depart from the provisions of Article XII, Section 21, of the Constitution of the State of California and Section 460 of the Public Utilities Code, to the extent necessary to adjust longand short-haul departures now maintained under outstanding

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authorizations; such outstanding authorizations be, and they are, modified only to the extent necessary to comply with this order; and schedules containing the rates published under this authority shall make reference to the prior orders authorizing the longand short-haul departures and to this order.

6. In all other respects said Decision No. 32504, as amended, shall remain in full force and effect.

7. Except as is otherwise provided herein Petition No. 55 in Case No. 5435 is denied.

The effective date of this order shall be twenty days after the date hereof.

Dated at <u>San Francisco</u>, California, this <u>264</u>, day of <u>Turne</u>, 1964.

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Commissioner William M. Bennett, being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.

Commissioner Everett C. McKeage, being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.

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Item No.	SECTION NO. 1 - RULES AND REGULATIONS OF GENERAL APPLICATION (Continued)
	APPLICATION OF RATES
	Rates provided in this tariff are for the transportation of shipments, as defined in Items Nos. 10 and 11 from point of origin to point of destination, and include loading into and unloading from the carrier's equipment, subject to Note 1.
ç 100	NOTE 1When shipment is picked up at or delivered to a point not at street level, and no vehicular elevator service or vehicular ramp is provided and made available to the carrier, an additional charge of 0.22 cents per 100 pounds, minimum additional charge 010 cents per shipment, shall be assessed for the service of handling shipment beyond carrier's equipment; except that no addi- tional charge shall be made for the service in
	connection with shipments weighing less than 100 pounds.
	ACCESSORIAL CHARGES
مند	An additional charge at the rate of 355.70 per man per hour, minimum charge 352.35, shall be made for stacking, sorting or any other accessorial or incidental service which is not authorized to be performed under the rates named in this tariff and for which a charge is not otherwise provided.
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	shall be as follows: Weight of shipment (in pounds)
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	REFERENCES TO ITELS AND OTHER TARIFFS
. 125	Unless otherwise provided, references herein to item numbers in this or other tariffs include references to such numbers with letter suffix, and references to other tariffs or classifications include references to amendments and successive issues of such publications.
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	CHARGES FOR ESCORT SERVICE
• • • • • • • • •	In addition to all other applicable rates and charges named in in this tariff, the following charges shall be assessed on shipment requiring escort service:
	(b) A charge shall be made equal to the actual cost of any bridge or ferry tolls incurred for each escort car.
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4	NOTE 1.—Service shall commence with departure of each escort vehicle from its point of dispatch and terminate with the return of each escort car to its point of dis- patch, excluding off-duty hours.
	NOTE 2.—Charges for fractions of an hour shall be determined in accordance with the following table:
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	CHARGES FOR PERMIT SHIPMENTS
	In addition to all other applicable rates and charges named in this tariff, the following charges shall be assessed on shipments requiring transportation permits:
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	(b) A charge shall be made equal to the fee, if any, assessed by the governmental agency for issuing each permit.
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	SPLIT DELIVERY	
	The charge for a split delivery shipment, as d No. $ll(j)$, shall be the charge applicable to the tr single shipment of the same kind and quantity of pr origin to that point of destination of any componen the highest charge, plus an added charge as provide	ansportation of a operty from point of the part which produces
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	(3) In the event a lower aggregate charge rest or more component parts as a separate shipment, suc applied.	
	ALTERNATIVE APPLICATION OF COMMON CAR	RIER RATES
	Common carrier rates (other than common carrier rates) may be applied in licu of the rates provide such common carrier rates produce a lower aggregated	d in this tariff when
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	POOL CARS
	$ \beta(a) $ For the service of unloading, segregating, or unloading and segregating property tendered to the carrier in pool cars, the following charges shall be made in addition to transportation charges:
	CRates in cents per 100 pounds
	(1) Merchandise classified as 1/2 First Class 1/2 Second Class 3/4 Third Class 26 Fourth Class, or lower 25
	(1) Subject to minimum charge of 051.10 for each point of destination involved.
	(b) The term "Pool Car" as used in this item means a rail car or motor vehicle (other than carrier's equipment) containing property in- tended for delivery to two or more points of destination located within the zones described in Items Nos. 30 to and including 33.
	(c) Classification ratings shall be based upon the L.T.L. (less truck- load) ratings in the Governing Classification, Exception Ratings Tariff or this tariff.
ø165	(d) Articles taking a rating higher than first class shall be computed upon the percentage of the first class rating, as set forth in the Governing Classification, Exception Ratings Tariff or this tariff.
	(e) When rail pool cars are unloaded and segregated at and deliveries made from carrier's established depot, said depot will be considered as being located within Zone 1-A for the purpose of assessing trans- portation charges under this tariff, and transportation rates shall be applied from Zone 1-A as point of origin.
	(f) Rates named in this item alternate with rates for the same services contained in tariffs filed with the Commission, pursuant to the pro- visions of the Public Utilities Act, and in effect on the date the services are provided.
	(g) The provisions of this item do not apply on iron or steel articles, hereinafter listed, in open top rail cars when unloading is provided with crane facilities furnished by or at the expense of the rail car- rier. Provided, however, when more than one man is furnished by car- rier for the unloading, help in addition to one man shall be charged for at the rates provided in Item No. 110.
	Iron or Steel Articles, viz.:
	AnglesColumnsShoesBarsGirdersTeesBases, postPilingTin PlateBeamsPlatesTrussesBilletsRodsZeesChannelsSheets

DELAYED DELIVERY OF SHIPMENTS

(a) Where carrier cannot effect delivery upon arrival of shipment at point of destination, a free storage period of 48 hours from the first 7:00 A.M. thereafter may be allowed. After said free storage period, storage charges shall be assessed at not less than 12 cents per 100 pounds per day for each of the first five days and at not less than 3 cents per 100 pounds per day for the sixth and each succeeding day until such time as instructions regarding disposition of the shipment are received by the carrier. In computing time, Sundays and legal holidays shall be excluded.

(b) Subsequent delivery of the property from point of storage shall constitute a new shipment.

DISPOSITION OF FRACTIONS

In computing a rate based on a percentage of another rate, the following rule shall be observed in the disposition of fractions: Fractions of less than $\frac{1}{2}$ or .50 of a cent, omit.

Fractions of $\frac{1}{2}$ or .50 of a cent or greater, increase to next whole figure.

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No.	SECTION NO. 4 - COMMODILY RATE	S.
	FREIGHT, regardless of classification, transporte the zones described in Items Nos. 30, 31, 32 Note 1. RATE	d between or within and 33, subject to
325	18 cents per package or per piece, plus 3 cer fraction thereof of its gross weight.	rts for each pound or
	Note 1Rates named in this item apply only the less than 100 pounds, and are not sub of Item No. 120.	to shipments weighing oject to the provisio
	FREIGHT transported between or within the zones of Nos. 30, 31, 32 and 33 and between points at maintained for the loading of property into unloading of property from, rail cars, inclu- unloading facilities of plants or industries loading and unloading points:	or upon, and the ling truck loading en located at such rail
¢330	Apply the railroad switching rates in e shipment as published in the tariffs of on file with the Public Utilities Commi of California, plus an added charge as	ssion of the State
	Any quantity or less-truckload ratings as shown in the Coverning Classification, Exception Batings Tariff or this tariff	9 Added charges in cents per 100 pound.
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Item No.		MMODITY RATES (Continued) Cents per 100 Pounds
٥٩٤	<pre>FREIGHT, viz.: Cement, Portland, building (See Item No. 40), Flour or Corn Meal, edible, Grain and other articles as described in Items Nos. 360 and 361 of the Exception Ratings Tariff, Iron and Steel Articles, viz.: Bands, Bars, plain, corrugated, twisted or bent, Billets, Bolts, Castings, rough, Fencing, Fittings, pipe Forging, rough, Hoops, Ingots, Nails, Nuts, Pig Iron, Pipe, Mivets, Rods, Sheets, black, galvanized, corrugated or plain, Ties, bale, Timplate, Washers, Wire Iron and Steel, structural, fabricated or unfabricated, consisting of: Angles, Bars, truss, Bases, post Beams,</pre>	<pre>Iron and Stoel, structural, fabricated or unfabricated, consisting of: (Continued) Braces, Caps, post, Channels, Columns, Prames, circular, Girders, Cuides, elevator, Hargers, joist, Ladder assemblies, tark or tower, Miling, Flates, fish, Pulleys, tank or reservoir, Railings, bridge, Rails, Shoes, riveted or cast, Tees, Trusses, Bubing, pier, Turnbuckles, Weights (not including sash weights), Zees, Junk, viz: Paper, waste, and Rags, in machine pressed bales; Sacks, old, worm-out; Tires (rubber), old, worm-out; Tubes (rubber), pneumatic, old, worm-out; Metal, scrap, having value for remelting purposes only. Paper, newsprint, Refuse, citrus fruit, not fit for human consumption.</pre>

Minimum Weight in Pounds

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SECTION NO. 4 - COMMODITY RATES (Continued) Item In Cents Per 100 Pounds No. FREIGHT, viz.: (Items Nos. 341, 342 and 343) Roofing, Building, or Paving Material, as described in Item No. 840 of the Wine, domestic, having a declared value of not more than \$2.00 per gallon. 342 Exception Ratings Tariff (subject to Note). NOTE-With shipments of one or more articles listed in Item No. 840 of the Exception Ratings Tariff as being subject to Note 1 therein, there may be included: metal fasteners, metal or wooden strips, mop yarn, nails and tin roofing caps, not to exceed ten percent of the aggregate weight of the shipment. FREIGHT, as described in Items Nos. 341 and 342. Minimum Weight in Pounds 0343 20,000 10,000 Rate Basis Rate Basis C B A В C A 16 17 19 19 33 23 Item canceled. Class rates apply. کیلاکر) ø Change Decision No. 67442 ♦ Increase EFFECTIVE AUGUST 1, 1964 Issued by the Public Utilities Commission of the State of California, San Francisco, California. Correction No. 415

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Item No.	SECTION NO. 4 - COMMODITY RATES (Continued) In Cents per 100 Pounds										
	LUMBI	er and fores	T PRODU	CTS, as d	escribed	in Items h	ioz. 361 an	d 362.			
	Rate	1			<u>Minimum</u> W	eight					
0 360	Basis	Any Quantity	500	2,000	14,000	10,000	20,000	30,000			
0.00	A	47	47	33	27	19	1312-	23 ż			
	B	65	42	37	28	19	16	132			
	C	72	54	49	39	29	19	16			
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Itom No.	SECTION NO. 4 - COMMODITY RATES (Concluded) In Cents per 100 Pounds							
	PAPER AND	PAPER ARTICLE	S, viz.:					
	Boxes, paperboard or pulpboard, flat or folded flat, with or without fillers, partitions and pads sufficient to complete the boxes in the shipment;							
	Paperboard or Pulpboard, binders', bristol, card, tar or trunk board.							
\$385	Minimum Weight				Column A	Colum	n B	
	10,000 pounds				$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$			
	or wit	COLUMN A rates apply: Between or within Zones 1-A, 1-B, 1-C, or 1-D, or within but not between Zones 10, 11, 12 or 17, as described in Items Nos. 30, 31, 32 and 33.						
	COLUMN B rates apply: Between Zones 1-A, 1-B, 1-C, 1-D, 10, 11, 12 or 17 on the one hand and Zones 10, 11, 12 or 17 on the other hand, as described in Items Nos. 30, 31, 32 and 33.							
	SUGAR:							
	Rate		Minimum Weight in Pounds					
\$390	Basis	Any Quantity	500	2,000	4,000	10,000	20,000	
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Item No.	SECTION NO. 5 - UNIT RATES, RULES AND REGULATIONS (Continued)
	RULES AND REGULATIONS (Concluded) (Items Nos. 400 and 401)
ø401	
	(e) Unit rates named in Item No. 410 are not applicable when shipper requests and carrier furnishes transportation directly from point of origin to point of destination without passing through carrier's terminal.
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Item No.	SECTION NO. 5 - UNIT RATES, RULES AND REGULATIONS (Continued)
	FREIGHT, regardless of classification, transported between or within the zones described in Items Nos. 30, 31, 32 and 33, subject to Notes 1, 2 and 3:
	Minimum Units per Calendar ORates in Cents Month or Any Portion Thereof per Unit
	Any Quantity 124 250 117 750 105 2,000 27 4,000 26 6,000 26 8,000 26 8,000 70 12,500 66 25,000 66
	NOTE 1 When the charge accruing at the actual number of units exceeds the charge computed upon a rate based upon a greater number of units, the latter shall apply.
\$410	NOTE 2 The weight of each shipment shall be the gross weight thereof. No allowance shall be made for the weight of containers.
	NOTE 3 The number of units shall be computed as follows:
	Weight of Shipment in Pounds Number of Units
	50 or less 1 Over 50 but not over 150 Over 150 but not over 300 Over 300 but not over 300 Over 300 but not over 500 Over 500 but not over 500 Over 500 but not over 550 Over 550 but not over 650 Over 650 but not over 800 Over 800 but not over 1,000 Over 1,000 000
	To determine the number of units on shipments weighing over 1,000 pounds, use same method of computation as provided above for first 1,000 pounds
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Item No.	SECTION NO. 5 - UNIT RATES, HULES AND REGULATIONS (Continued)
	ØFREIGHT, regardless of classification, transported between or within the Metropolitan Los Angeles Zone consisting of Los Angeles and Orange Counties, subject to Notes 1, 2 and 3:
. .	Veight in PoundsORates in CentsWeight in PoundsPer Hour(1)
	250 or less 830 Over 250 but not over 2,500 995 Over 2,500 but not over 5,000 1015 Over 5,000 but not over 8,000 1045 Over 8,000 but not over 12,000 1060 Over 12,000 but not over 20,000 1170 Over 30,000 1250 Over 30,000 1400
5 420	NOTE 1 Weight in pounds is the greatest (heaviest) gross weight of the property transported by the unit of carrier's equipment at one time during a single transaction. No allowance shall be made for weight of containers.
	NOTE 2 (a) The total of the loading, unloading and driving time computed from the arrival of carrier's equipment at point of origin, or first point of origin when more than one point of origin is involved, to the time unloading is completed at point of destination, or last point of dustination when more than one point of destination is involved, subject to paragraph (b) hereof, shall be used to compute charges. (b) In computing time under the basis outlined in paragraph (a) hereof the various time factors shall be not less than the actual time involved in minutes. After the total time has been determined under the provisions of paragraph (a) hereof, it shall be converted into hours and fractions thereof. Fractions of an hour shall be determined in accordance with the following table:
	Less than 8 minutes omit. 8 minutes or more but less than 23 minutes shall be 2 hour. 23 minutes or more but less than 38 minutes shall be 3 hour. 38 minutes or more but less than 53 minutes shall be 3/4 hour. 53 minutes or more shall be 1 hour.
	NOTE 3Between the hours of 6:00 P.M. and 7:00 A.M., and on Saturdays, Sundays and the holidays "of Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day and De- cember 24th, an additional charge at the rate of 052.05 per hour (or frac- tion thereof) shall be assessed. "On all other holidays an additional charge of 055.70 per hour (or fraction thereof) shall be assessed.
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APPENDIX "B"

Disposition of Fractions

- Α. Rates or charges stated in cents per 100 pounds.
 - 1. Rates or charges 10 cents or less:

	Decimal Ec	uivalent of Fraction	Fraction	
	<u>Over</u> .000 .125 .375 .625 .875	But Not Over .125 .375 .625 .875	drop 1/4¢ 1/2¢ 3/4¢ Next whole cent	
2.	Rates or c	harges over 10 cents but no	ot over 30 cents:	
	<u>Decimal Ec</u>	uivalent of Fraction	Fraction	
	<u>0ver</u> .00 .25 .75	But Not Over 25 .75	drop 1/2c Next whole cent	
3.	Rates or c	harges over 30 cents:		
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3. Decimal Equivalent of Fraction

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Fraction

drop. Next whole cent

- Β. Rates or charges other than those stated in cents per. 100 pounds.
 - 1. <u>Rates or charges not over \$1.00:</u>

Decimal Equivalent of Fraction

less than .50 :50 and over

Fraction

drop Next whole cent

2. Rates or charges over \$1.00:

Over	But Not Over	Dispose to Closest		
\$1.00 \$100.00	\$100.00	5 cents (24c raise to next 5c) 1 dollar (50c raise to next dollar)		