Decision No. 71603.

## ORIGINAL

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of HENRY E. CARTER for a certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for the operation of vessels in the transportation of persons and baggage between points in the San Francisco Bay - San Pablo Bay area.

Application No. 47023

## ORDER GRANTING EXTENSION OF TIME

By petition filed October 7, 1966, the applicant Hydrofoil Bcats, Inc., advised the Commission that (1) it was unable to submit a proposed schedule of rates within the time limit required by paragraph 4 of the order in Decision No. 70928 issued July 1, 1966, because it encountered unexpected difficulty in acquiring vessels under its contract with FMC Corporation and has subsequently reached a settlement under its agreement with said FMC Corporation, and (2) said applicant is actually negotiating a purchase agreement with a well known manufacturer of hydrofoils of advanced design, one of whose vessels will be exhaustively tested in actual operation under occan conditions this coming winter.

Applicant has requested that the time within which it is required to file a precise schedule of proposed rates be extended to and including April 30, 1967, and that hearing in this matter be scheduled for a time and place to be fixed thereafter.

Therefore, IT IS ORDERED that the time within which applicant is ordered, pursuant to ordering paragraph 4 of Decision No. 70928, issued July 1, 1966, to file a further amendment to the

application herein setting forth the specific fares which applicant proposes to charge for its services is extended to April 30, 1967, and that hearing in this matter be held at a time and place to be set thereafter.

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

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 2911 NOVEMBER , 1966.

President

Commissioners

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