

Decision No. 71798

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Investigation on the Commission's)
own motion into the operations,)
rates, charges and practices of)
E. I. BRANDT, doing business as)
E. I. BRANDT TRUCKING SERVICE.)

Case No. 7506
(Filed December 11, 1962)

E. I. Brandt, in propria persona.
Keith E. Miller, for Miller Traffic Service.
Elinor Charles and George Kataoka, for the
Commission staff.

OPINION AND ORDER

This investigation was instituted on December 11, 1962, to determine whether respondent had violated Sections 3664 and 3737 of the Public Utilities Code by charging or collecting a lesser sum for transportation than the applicable charges prescribed in Minimum Rate Tariff No. 2.

The transactions involved occurred during the year 1961. The statute of limitations has now run. The cloud of this proceeding should be removed from respondent. We do not reach the merits of the matter.

The Commission finds that the interests of justice and the fair conduct of the administrative process require that this investigation be discontinued.

IT IS ORDERED that Case No. 7506 is discontinued.

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

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 20th
day of DECEMBER, 1966.

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

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President
George G. Hoover
Fredrick B. Holbrook
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Commissioners