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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of AMERICAN TRANSFER CO., a Corporation, under Section 3666 of the Public Utilities Code of the State of California, for Authority to Charge Rates Less than Those Prescribed in Minimum Rate Tariff No. 2 for the Transportation of Lumber from Tollhouse to Fresno, California, for the Account of YANCEY LUMBER CO. and from Dinkey Creek to Fresno, California, for the Account of GENERAL BOX DISTRIBUTORS.

Application No. 49180

## ORDER EXTENDING TIME

By Decision No. 72282, dated April 11, 1967, American Transfer Co. was granted interim ex parte authority, pending public hearing and final determination of the application, to transport fresh-cut rough lumber from Tollhouse and Dinkey Creek to Fresno at rates less than the established minimum rates set forth in Minimum Rate Tariff No. 2.

The order in said decision states, in part, that "The interim authority granted herein shall expire six months after the effective date of this order, unless sooner canceled, modified or extended by order of the Commission." The six-months period will expire on October 11, 1967.

Applicant is now prepared to present further evidence in this matter and requests that the interim authority granted by Decision No. 72282 be extended until public hearing and final determination of its application.

A public hearing will be held in Application No. 49180 in the near future. In the circumstances, the Commission finds that the requested extension of time should be granted.

IT IS ORDERED that the expiration time for the authority granted in Decision No. 72282 is extended to and including December 31, 1967.

The effective date of this order shall be the date hereof.

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

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