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Decision No. 73925

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of FLOUR, INC., a California corporation, for suspension of a portion of certificated rights as a highway common carrier as to certain commodities between certain points.

Application No. 50053 (Filed February 23, 1968)

OPINION

Flour, Inc., presently rendering service as a highway common carrier, requests a year's suspension of its authority to transport vegetable oil shortening, salad oil, cooking oil, margarine, lard substitutes, lard compounds, monoglycerides, canned meats, canned goods and grain feed, between Vernon, California, on the one hand, and all points and places in the Counties of Los Angeles, Orange, San Diego, Riverside and San Bernardino, on the other hand.

Applicant alleges that Swift & Company is the only customer for which it provides such service and because there are occasions when volume shipments are destined to points within and beyond its certificated area the more favorable split delivery rates may not be applied.

After consideration, the Commission finds that granting of the application would not be adverse to the public interest.

A public hearing is not necessary.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that:

- 1. For a period of one year commencing with the effective date hereof Flour, Inc., may suspend service as a highway common carrier for the transportation of vegetable oil shortening, salad oil, cooking oil, margarine, lard substitutes, lard compounds, monoglycerides, canned meats, canned goods and grain feed, between Vernon, on the one hand, and all points and places in the Counties of Los Angeles, Orange, San Diego, Riverside and San Bernardino, on the other hand.
- 2. Western Motor Tariff Bureau, Inc., Agent, is hereby authorized and directed to amend its tariffs on file with the Commission in which Flour, Inc., is shown as a participating carrier to indicate that the portion of the operative right of said carrier, described in paragraph 1 hereof, is under suspension pursuant to order of the Commission.
- 3. Tariff publications authorized and directed to be made as a result of the order herein shall be made effective not earlier than five days and not later than sixty days after the effective date of this order on not less than five days' notice to the Commission and to the public.

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

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