

**ORIGINAL**Decision No. 74579

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of  
 Union Terminal Warehouse, a corporation,  
 for a certificate of public convenience  
 and necessity to discontinue public  
 warehouse operations at 737 Terminal  
 Street in the City of Los Angeles.

Application No. 50339  
 (Filed June 21, 1968)

O P I N I O N

Applicant Union Terminal Warehouse, a corporation, requests authority to discontinue its public utility warehouse operations at its Warehouse No. 1, 737 Terminal Street, Los Angeles.

Applicant presently operates under the Commission's authority as a public utility warehouseman at four locations:

Warehouse No. 1	737 Terminal St., Los Angeles
Warehouse No. 2	731 Warehouse St., Los Angeles
Warehouse No. 3	1388 East Seventh St., Los Angeles
Warehouse Building	2211 East 52nd St., Vernon

The present application relates only to Warehouse No. 1.

Applicant states that approximately 75 percent of the space at Warehouse No. 1 has been vacated since four tobacco company accounts were moved to the Vernon warehouse. Moreover, additional space is expected to become available at Warehouse No. 3 because the primary customer there, the United States Rubber Company, is building its own warehouse in Commerce, California, and will not be utilizing applicant's facilities in the future. There is insufficient merchandise remaining in Warehouse No. 1 to be conducive to an efficient operation, and this merchandise is gradually being transferred to Warehouse No. 2.

A copy of this application was served upon the California Warehousemen's Association in San Francisco, the Los Angeles Warehousemen's Association, and the City of Los Angeles and its Chamber of Commerce. Notice of this application was published in the Commission's Daily Calendar on June 25, 1968. No protests have been filed.

After consideration, the Commission finds that:

1. Public convenience and necessity no longer require a continuation of applicant's service at Warehouse No. 1 in Los Angeles.
2. A public hearing is not necessary.

O R D E R

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Union Terminal Warehouse is hereby authorized to discontinue public utility warehouse operations in Warehouse No. 1 at 737 Terminal Street, Los Angeles, and the prescriptive operative right to operate as a public utility warehouseman acquired by it is hereby amended to reflect the authority herein granted, subject to the following conditions:

- (a) Applicant shall continue as a public utility warehouseman in Warehouse No. 1 at 737 Terminal Street, Los Angeles, rendering all services specified in his tariff at rates and charges therein provided, so long as any property remains in storage in the warehouse involved; except that from and after the date of filing the written acceptance specified in Condition b hereof, applicant shall not be required to receive any additional goods for storage.
- (b) Applicant shall, within thirty days after the effective date of this order, file with the Commission a written acceptance of this order, including all of the provisions and conditions thereof.
- (c) Applicant shall cause to be prepared and to be mailed or otherwise delivered to each storage patron, on or before thirty days after the effective date of this order, a true and complete copy of this order.

- (d) Applicant shall, at the direction of the owner of any property remaining in storage, transport such property to any available public warehouse at the expense of applicant and at no expense or risk to the owner of the property transported.
- (e) Applicant shall promptly, on removal of all stored property from the warehouse, file with the Commission a verified statement that Conditions a to d, inclusive, have been fully complied with, and amend its tariffs on file with the Commission governing warehouse operations in Warehouse No. 1 at 737 Terminal Street, Los Angeles, on not less than ten days' notice to the Commission and to the public, to reflect the authority herein granted.

2. Concurrently with the effective date of the tariff filings required by Condition e of paragraph 1 hereof, Appendix A of Decision No. 73006 is amended by incorporating therein First Revised Page 1, attached hereto, in revision of Original Page 1.

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

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 20<sup>th</sup> day of AUGUST, 1968.

William Lyons  
President

John E. [unclear]

William L. [unclear]

August

Commissioners

Commissioner Fred P. Morrissey, being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.

Union Terminal Warehouse is authorized to operate as a public utility warehouseman for the operation of storage or warehouse floor space as follows:

<u>Location</u>	<u>Number of Square Feet of Floor Space</u>
Los Angeles	377,295
Vernon	119,880

(The floor space shown above is exclusive of the expansion permissible under Section 1051 of the Public Utilities Code.)

End of Appendix A

Issued by California Public Utilities Commission.

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