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Decision No. 76163

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA TRUCK LEASING, INC., for an order authorizing Applicant to charge less than minimum rates on shipments transported for Eastman Kodak Company, pursuant to Public Utilities Code, Section 3666.

Application No. 51322 (Filed August 13, 1969)

## OPINION AND ORDER

Southern California Truck Leasing, Inc., a corporation, operates as a highway permit carrier. By Decision No. 74325, dated October 15, 1968, in Application No. 50488, it was authorized to transport certain property for Eastman Kodak Company at rates and charges lower than the minimum rates and charges named in Minimum Rate Tariffs Nos. 2 and 15. The current authority is scheduled to expire with October 24, 1969. Applicant requests that the authority granted by said decision be extended for an additional period of one year.

It is alleged that applicant's operations, under the rates heretofore authorized, have been profitable and will assertedly continue to be fully compensatory for the ensuing twelve-month period. Applicant further states that while it has experienced increases in cost of operations, such increases have been offset by additional efficiencies in applicant's operations and, in part, by an increase in volume of business.

Revenue and expense data furnished by applicant indicate that the transportation involved has been profitable and reasonably may be expected to be profitable during the ensuing year.

The certificate of service shows that a copy of the verified application was mailed to California Trucking Association August 12,

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1969. The application was listed on the Commission's Daily Calendar of August 15, 1969. No objection to the granting of the application has been received.

In the circumstances, it appears, and the Commission finds, that applicant's proposal is reasonable and consistent with the public interest. A public hearing is not necessary. The Commission concludes that the application should be granted. In view of the impending expiration date of the current authority, the order which follows will be made effective October 24, 1969.

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Southern California Truck Leasing, Inc., is hereby authorized to transport property for Eastman Kodak Company at rates and charges less than the minimum rates and charges named in Minimum Rate Tariff No. 15 but not less than those set forth, and subject to the provisions shown, in Appendix A attached hereto and by this reference made a part hereof.

2. The authority herein granted shall, on and after October 24, 1969, supersede the authority granted by Decision No. 74825 and shall expire on October 24, 1970, unless sooner canceled, modified or extended by order of the Commission.

The effective date of this order shall be October 24, 1969. Dated at \_\_\_\_\_\_, California, this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_, SEPTEMBED\_\_\_, 1969.

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Commissioner Themas Meran, being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.

## APPENDIX A

## SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA TRUCK LEASING, INC.

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The authority herein granted applies only for the transportation of: (1) exposed and processed film and prints, complimentary replacement film, incidental dealer handling supplies and advertising literature moving therewith when transported in packages weighing 25 pounds or less and when moving between the processing laboratory of Eastman Kodak Company at 1017 North Las Palmas Avenue, Hollywood, and the places of business of dealers and representatives of Eastman Kodak Company within a radius of 150 airline miles of said address in Hollywood; and (2) used cameras and projectors for repair or service under warranty (or replacement with new items instead of repair), in packages weighing 35 pounds or less, when moving between the processing laboratory of Eastman Kodak Company at 1017 North Las Palmas, Hollywood, and the places of business of dealers and representatives of Eastman Kodak Company within a radius of 150 airline miles of this address in Hollywood, and between the Hollywood facility of Eastman Kodak Company and its repair facility at Whittier.

## BASE YEARLY VEHICLE UNIT RATE (See NCTE):

\$1090 per unit of carrier's equipment for each period between billing dates (see provisions of Item No. 100 of Minimum Rate Tariff No. 15). Rate does not include service performed on Saturdays, Sundays or holidays, and is limited to 3 hours service out of 9 consecutive hours per day. In addition, a charge of 7 cents per mile shall be assessed for each mile each such unit of equipment is operated under this authority. When carrier's equipment is operated in excess of 8 hours out of 9 consecutive hours, add \$7.35 per hour.

NOTE: In all other respects, transportation performed under this authority shall be subject to the rules and regulations set forth in Minimum Rate Tariff No. 15.

(End of Appendix A)