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Decision No. <u>78746</u>

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Investigation on the Commission's own motion into warehouse operative rights of Victor Hoag, doing business as Victor Hoag Warehouse.

Case No. 6692

ORDER REVOKING WAREHOUSE OPERATIVE RIGHT

Victor Hoag, doing business as Victor Hoag Warehouse, possesses a prescriptive operative right as a public utility warehouseman for the operation of storage or warehouse space at Gridley.

Mrs. Edith Hoag, widow of Victor Hoag, has informed the Commission by letter that the involved warehouse and other property in Gridley were donated to Northern California Conference Association of the Seventh-Day Adventists in 1965. She states that rice has been grown and stored on the property but that no public storage has been conducted at the warehouse for several years. W. L. Hesseltine, Secretary-Treasurer of the Northern California Conference Association of the Seventh-Day Adventists, has, by letter to the Commission, confirmed Mrs. Hoag's contentions.

In the circumstances, it appears, and the Commission finds, that revocation of the prescriptive operative right, as requested, would not be adverse to the public interest. A public hearing is not necessary. The Commission concludes that the operative right should be revoked and that the tariff applicable to the services thereunder should be canceled.

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. The prescriptive operative right as a public utility warehouseman possessed by Victor Hoag, doing business as Victor Hoag

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Warehouse, as determined by the Commission's order dated August 1, 1960, in Case No. 6692 is hereby revoked.

2. Jack L. Dawson, Agent, is hereby authorized and directed to cancel the participation of Victor Hoag from California Warehouse Tariff Bureau Warehouse Tariff No. 38, Cal.P.U.C. No. 203, on file with the Commission, such cancellation to be made within ninety days after the effective date of this order on not less than ten days' notice to the Commission and to the public.

The Secretary is directed to cause service of a certified copy of this order to be made upon Victor Hoag or to mail a certified copy thereof to him at his last known address as shown in the Commission's records and to mail a copy of this order to Jack L. Dawson, Agent.

This order shall become effective twenty days after the date hereof.

Dated at San Diego, California, this <u>Zand</u> day of June, 1971.

Commissioners

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