

Decision No. 79169

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of
GOLDEN WEST AIRLINES, INC. to in-
crease certain of its intrastate
passenger fares.

Application No. 52297
(Filed November 13, 1970;
Amended December 17, 1970)

THIRD INTERIM OPINION

Golden West Airlines, Inc. (GWA) operates as a passenger air carrier offering commuter service between Los Angeles and several Southern California points, including Santa Catalina Island, and between San Francisco and Santa Rosa, San Jose and Monterey.

Decision No. 78131, dated December 30, 1970, in this proceeding authorized GWA to increase its air fares on an interim basis, pending hearing. Decision No. 78620, dated April 27, 1971, extended the interim fares which are now scheduled to expire October 15, 1971.

Public hearing on GWA's application is scheduled for September 24, 1971. An extension of the interim fares should be authorized until such time as the Commission may issue its decision after said hearing.

The Commission finds that an extension of the interim increased fares to December 31, 1971, will be reasonable and is justified.

THIRD INTERIM ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Golden West Airlines, Inc. is authorized to establish the increased fares proposed in Application No. 52297 to expire December 31, 1971, unless sooner modified, cancelled or extended by order of the Commission. Tariff publications authorized to be made as a result of the order herein shall be filed not earlier than the

effective date of this order and may be made effective not earlier than three days after the effective date hereof on not less than three days' notice to the Commission and the public.

2. The authority granted herein shall expire unless exercised within thirty days after the effective date of this order.

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

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 21st
day of SEPTEMBER, 1971.

William L. Sturgeon
Chairman

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Commissioners

Commissioner Thomas Moran, being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.

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