Decision No. 82877

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of S.M.D.S., INC., doing business as) SANTA MONICA DELIVERY SERVICE, for Authority to Deviate from Certain Minimum Rates Pursuant to Section 3666 of the California Public Utilities Code for Transportation performed for General Tire & Rubber Co.

Application No. 54325 (Filed September 14, 1973)

## FINAL ORDER

By Decision No. 82147 dated November 20, 1973, S.M.D.S., Inc., doing business as Santa Monica Delivery Service, was granted interim authority to transport tires, batteries, and accessories for General Tire & Rubber Company at rates 8.8 percent less than the rates provided for in Minimum Rate Tariff 15 (MRT 15). The interim authority was granted for a period of six months and will expire on May 20, 1974.

No protest to the application has been received and a public hearing does not appear to be necessary. The Commission finds that the proposed rates are reasonable for the transportation to be performed and therefore concludes that the authority to deviate from MRT 15 as set forth in Decision No. 82147 should be continued for a period of one year.

Commissioners

Commissioner Vernon L. Sturgeon, being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.