Decision No. 83245

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Investiga- )
tion into the rates, rules,
regulations, charges, allowances)
and practices of all common )
carriers, highway carriers and )
city carriers relating to the )
transportation of any and all )
commodities between and within )
all points and places in the )
State of California (including, )
but not limited to, trans- )
portation for which rates are )
provided in Minimum Rate Tariff )
No. 2).

Case No. 5432
(Order Setting Hearing in Decision No. 74991, dated November 26, 1968)

### SUPPLEMENTAL OPINION AND ORDER

Decision No. 78264, as amended by Decision No. 78472, in this proceeding established charges in Minimum Rate Tariff 2 for transportation within the Los Angeles Metropolitan Area of shipments weighing less than 1,000 pounds.

It has been brought to the Commission's attention that the application of the aforementioned shipment charges is not clear with respect to the transportation of commodities which are rated over Class 100.

In the circumstances, the Commission finds that the tariff provisions in question should be clarified by the order herein. A public hearing is not necessary. The Commission concludes that Minimum Rate Tariff 2 should be amended accordingly.

The application of such charges is set forth in Note 1 of Item 530 of Minimum Rate Tariff 2.

Minor changes not involved in this proceeding will be made by the order herein.<sup>2</sup>

## IT IS ORDERED that:

- 1. Minimum Rate Tariff 2 (Appendix D to Decision No. 31606, as amended) is further amended by incorporating therein to become effective September 6, 1974, Sixty-second Revised Page 5, Fourteenth Revised Page 5-A, Fifty-seventh Revised Page 7, and Thirteenth Revised Page 44-C, attached hereto and by this reference made a part hereof.
- 2. Tariff publications required or authorized to be made by common carriers as a result of this order shall be filed not earlier than the effective date of this order and may be made effective not earlier than the tenth day after the effective date of this order on not less than ten days' notice to the Commission and to the public; such tariff publications as are required shall be made effective not later than September 6, 1974; and as to tariff publications which are authorized but not required, the authority shall expire unless exercised within sixty days after the effective date of this order.
- 3. Common carriers, in establishing and maintaining the amendment authorized hereinabove, are hereby authorized to depart from the provisions of Section 460 of the Public Utilities Code to the extent necessary to adjust long- and short-haul departures now maintained under outstanding authorizations; such outstanding authorizations are hereby modified only to the extent necessary to comply with this order; and schedules containing the amendment published under this authority shall make reference to the prior orders authorizing long- and short-haul departures and to this order.

The Index of Commodities in Minimum Rate Tariff 2 will be amended to include various commodities not currently listed therein.

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4. In all other respects Decision No. 31606, as amended, shall remain in full force and effect.

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

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 6th day of August, 1974.

Commissioners

Commissioner D. W. Holmes, being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.

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#### INDEX OF COMMODITIES (Continued)

Only those articles which are named in commodity rate items or in Exceptions to the Governing Classification and Exception Ratings Tariff are shown in the following list.

COMMODITY	ITEM	COMMODITY	ITEM
Can Ends	640	Coating, Chocolate	318-1,360
Candles (M)	377.5,723-726	*Coating, roof other than	1
Candy	318-1,360	paint or stain	761,767
Candy coating, other than	220 2,200	Cocoa	318-1,360
chocolate	360	Cocoa Butter	318-1
Canned Goods	320-320-1,620-630	Cocoanut, prepared	333-5
Cans	640.772	Coffee	360
Caps, post	760,764,765	Coffee, extract of (condensed	1
Carriers (used packages),	,00,,04,,05	or instant), dry	360
malt or cereal beverage	331	Coffee Substitutes	360
Carriers (used packages)	330.4.330.6.331	Coloring, Confectioners'	360
**	**	Columns	318.760.764.
*Castings, rough	760,764,765	Compound, cleaning(M)	377.5,723-72
Catsup	320-1	Compound, electrical	0
*Coment, Concrete or Masonry	761.767	insulating (M)	377.5.723-72
Cement, pipe fitting(M)	377.5.723-726	Compound, metal cutting,	0
*Cement, roofing, liquid or	377.37723-720	drawing or drilling (M)	377.5,723-72
other than liquid	761.767	Compound, paint thinning (M)	377.5.723-72
Cereal and Nuts combined	360	Compound, pneumatic tire	
Cereal Food Preparations (M)	360	mounting(M)	377.5.723-72
Channels	318,760,764,765	Compound, radiator	]
Cheese	335.5.335.6.335.7	cleaning (M)	377.5.723-72
Cheese Foods	335.5	Compound, rust preventing	0,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
Chili, ground	320	or removing (M)	377.5.723-72
Chips. Wood	635-636	Compound, type cleaning (M)	377.5,723-72
Chloride of Lime Bleach	730-732	Compound, waterproofing (M)	377.5,723-72
Chocolato	318-1.360	Compound, waterprocessing (w)	761,767
Chocolate Coating	318-1,360	Compounds, ammonia	730-732
Chowders	320	Compounds, antifreeze(M)	377.5.723-72
Cider (M)	335.7	Compounds, buffing or	\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \
Citrus Fruit Juice Powders	, ,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	polishing	730-732
or Crystals	360	Compounds, carbon, gum	
**	**	or sludge removing (M)	377.5,723-72
Coating, candy, other than		Compounds, Cleaning,	
chocolate	360	Scouring or Washing	730-732

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#### INDEX OF COMMODITIES (Continued)

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COMMODITY	ITEM	COMMODITY	ITEM
Compounds, Flavoring	360	Deodorants	730-732
Compounds, floor hardening (M)	377.5,723-726	Dessert Preparations	360
Compounds, Food Curing, Pre-		Dessert Toppings (M)	335.7
serving or Seasoning	347,360	Diglycerides of Fat-forming	
Compounds, Lard	335.5	Fatty Acids	335.5
Compounds, Lubricating and	ļ	Disinfectants	730-732
cleaning	730-732	Dough, prepared	336
Compounds, Malt or Milk and		**	
Chocolate or Cocoa(M)	318-1,335.7	Dressing, Automobile Top(M)	377.5,723-726
Compounds, Milk, Cream or		Dressing, rubber (M)	377.5,723-726
Vegetable Oil(M)	335.7	Dressing, Salad	320-1
Compounds, Mud Treating	365	Dressing, shoe (M)	377.5,723-726
Compounds or Mud, well		Drink, fruit	320
drilling	365	Dry Milk Solids	345
*Compounds, paving joint	761,767		
Compounds, water softening or	į	Eggs	335.6
purifying	730-732	Egg Yolk	320
Concrete products and related	}	Eggs, Shelled	360
articles	334.8	Engines (M)	365
Conduits, drainage or sewer	330	Ether (M)	377.5,723-726
Confectionery	318.1,360	Exterminators, vermin(M)	377.5,723-726
Containers, sheet steel	330.3,772	Extracts	360
Containers (used packages)	330.6-331	Extracts, coffee or tea	
Containers (used packages),		(condensed or instant), dry	360
malt or cereal beverage	331		CED CEAL
Corn	320-1	Farina	652-6545
*Cotton cloth	761,767	Feed as described under the	}
Cream, NOI	335.6	heading of "Feed Group" in	
Cream, Pasteurized	345	the Governing Classifica-	1
Cream, Sterilized	335.7,345	tion, not frozen	652-6544
Cream, Substitutes	335.7,345	Feed, Animal	338,620,630
Cribbing	334.8	Feed, Animal or Poultry	652-6545
Cross Arms, wooden	685,690,691,710	Freit or Paper	761,767
Crystals, Citrus Fruit Juice	360	FFelt or Paper, asbestos	761,767
Cylinders, Well Pump	365	Frencing	760,764,765
Dairy Products and Related	· 		
Articles	335.6	11	

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COMMODITY	ITEM	COMMODITY	ITEM
Limestone, crushed or		*	
ground (feed grade)	652-6545	Milk, Sterilized	320,335.7,345
Lime, Chlorinated	730-732	Milk Substitutes	335.7,345
Lining (felt or paper),	750-754	Mince Meat	320
carpet, plain	762,767	Mineral Mixtures	652-6545
Liquid. cigar or	762,767	Mix. Pizza Pie	345
cigarette lighter (M)	377.5.723-726		343
Liquors, Malt	360	Mixes, basic food sauce, or food dip, dry	360.5
Liquora, Vinous	360		1
		Mixtures, Mineral	652-6544
Litter, Poultry (M)	652-6544	Molasses	320-1
Loins, fish, frozen	775	Molasses (M)	652-6543
Lubricant, Grease Binder	377.5,723-726	Monoglycerides of Fat-	1
Lubricant, metal cutting,		forming Fatty Acids	335.5
	377-5,723-726	Mud or Compounds, well	
Lumber	685,690,700,710	drilling	365
Lye, Concentrated	730-732	Mushrooms	320-1
	<u> </u>	Mustard	360.5
Macaroni, except canned	360.5	Mustard, prepared	320-1
Macaroni (prepared)	320	1	1
Macaroni, dry, and other	!	*Nails	760, 764, 765
ingredients	345,360	Noodles and Cheese	345
Malted Milk	360.5	Noodles, except canned	360.5
Manholes	334.8	Noodles, (prepared)	320
Material, roofing, build-	i	Noodles, dry, and other	
ing or paving	761,762,767	ingredients	345,360.5
Mayonnaiso	320-1,335.7	Nut Meats	377
Meal, feather	652-6545	*Nuts	760, 764, 765
Meat (Animal Foed)	338	Nuts, edible, shelled	350,360.5
Meat, other than fresh	360.5		1
Meat Substitutes	360	Oil, Cooking	320-1,335.5
Meats, cooked, cured or	(533	Oil, Olive	320-1
preserved	320,345	Oil (other than	}
Meats, fresh	376	medicinal) (M)	377.5.723-726
Mechanics' Tools (M)	365	Oil, petroleum	10037.20
Milk	335.6,345	medicinal (M)	377.5,723-726
Milk (condensed, evap-	333107343	Oil, Salad	320-1.335.5
orated or sterilized)	320,335.7	Oleomargarine	335.5
Milk Food, other than	320,33327	Olives	320-1
malted, liquid	320,335.7	Onion Chips	320
Milk, Malted	360.5	Onion, Powdered	320
	,		320
Milk, Pastourized	(345	Outfits, insect	1 277 K 723_724
Milk, Solids, dry	345	destroying (M)	377.5,723-726
		Outfits, Oil, Water or	365
	i .	Gas Well	365

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#### SECTION 2--CLASS RATES (Continued)

ITEM

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#### SHIPMENT CHARGES -- METROPOLITAN LOS ANGELES AREA

(Applies only to shipments having both point of origin and point of destination in the Metropolitan Los Angeles Area.)
(See Notes 1, 2, 3 and 4)

#### Charges on shipments weighing less than 1,000 pounds

Weight of Shipment

(I:	n Pounds)	Charge in Cents		
Over	But Not Over	Col. A Col. (1)	2)	
0 25 50 75	25 50 75	600 3 685 4	50 95 45	
100 150 200	100 150 200 250	920 5 1075 6	80 70 80 80	
250 300 400	300 400 500	1340 8 1600 10 1775 10	90	
500 600 700 800	600 700 800 900	2115 10 2285 10 2455 10	00	
900	But less than 1,000 pounds.	2630 10	00	

øNOTE 1--For commodities having an applicable rating of over Class 100 the shipment charge shall be the charge stated above for the weight of the shipment multiplied by the applicable rating (expressed as a percentage of Class 100).

NOTE 2--Charges in this item will not apply to shipments made under the provisions of Item 265, Parcel Deliveries.

NOTE 3--For shipments having point of origin or point of destination on a wharf, the shipment charge shall be that charge determined under other provisions of this item, plus 110 cents per shipment.

NOTE 4--(Exception to paragraphs 2, 3 and 5 of Item 90 - Mixed Shipments). When provisions of this item are applied to a shipment consisting of articles subject to different ratings, the following shall apply:

- (a) When 10 percont or less of the weight of the shipment consists of articles rated above Class 100, the shipment charge shall be computed at 125 percent of the charge in Column A or Column B.
- (b) When more than 10 percent, but less than 30 percent of the weight of the shipment consists of articles rated above Class 100, and none of the articles is rated above Class 200, the shipment charge shall be computed at 150 percent of the charge in Column A or Column B.
- (c) When more than 10 percent of the weight of the shipment consists of articles rated above Class 100 and one or more of the articles in the shipment is rated above Class 200, or when more than 30 percent of the weight of the shipment consists of articles rated above Class 100, the entire shipment shall be subject to the highest rating of any commodity in the shipment.
  - (1) Applicable only on shipments not subject to Col. B.
  - (2) Applicable only on shipments subject to Pool Shipments in Item 179-1.

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