

Decision No. 84347

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of Pacific Southcoast Freight Bureau for Authority to Make Effective on California Intra-state Traffic General Increases in Local and Joint Freight Rates and Charges as Published in Tariff of Increased Rates and Charges, X-303.

Application No. 54552  
(Filed January 4, 1974;  
amended January 28, 1974)

In the Matter of the Investigation 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, transportation for which rates are provided in Minimum Rate Tariff No. 2).

Case No. 5432, OSH 796  
(Filed April 2, 1974)

And Related Matters.

Case No. 5330, OSH 85  
Case No. 5433, OSH 53  
Case No. 5436, OSH 165  
Case No. 5437, OSH 271  
Case No. 5438, OSH 98  
Case No. 5439, OSH 210  
Case No. 5440, OSH 92  
Case No. 5441, OSH 297  
Case No. 5603, OSH 150  
Case No. 5604, OSH 45  
Case No. 7857, OSH 103  
Case No. 7858, OSH 176  
Case No. 8808, OSH 29  
(Filed April 2, 1974)

O P I N I O N

By Interim Order in Decision No. 82889 issued in these proceedings on May 21, 1974, Pacific Southcoast Freight Bureau was authorized, on behalf of the rail carriers listed in Application No. 54552, to increase California intrastate rates and charges to the same extent interim authority was granted for interstate traffic by order of the Interstate Commerce Commission dated February 20, 1974 in Ex Parte 303, Increased Freight Rates and Charges, 1974, Nationwide.

On December 4, 1974 the Interstate Commerce Commission issued its order making the interim authority previously granted permanent.

Under the circumstances, the authority granted by Decision No. 82889 should be made final.

Findings

1. The Interstate Commerce Commission in an order served December 4, 1974 in Ex Parte 303 made final the interim increases previously authorized on February 20, 1974.
2. The interim authorities granted by Decision No. 82889 as to intrastate traffic should be made permanent.
3. A public hearing is not necessary.

The Commission concludes that the interim order in Decision No. 82889 should now be made final except that Ordering Paragraph 11 of Decision No. 82889 should be canceled.

O R D E R

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Ordering Paragraph 11 of Decision No. 82889 is canceled.
2. In all other respects Decision No. 82889 is hereby made final.

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

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of APRIL, 1975.

Vernon L. Stinson  
President  
William J. Symons  
Donald R. [unclear]  
Robert [unclear]  
Commissioners