

ORIGINAL

Decision No. 85841

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 Motor)
 Transportation Performed, and to)
 be Performed for General Tire and)
 Rubber Co., and, for Related)
 Extension of Order of the Com-)
 mission, Dated May 13, 1975, in)
 Decision No. 84439, Application)
 No. 54325.)

Application No. 56318
 (Filed March 8, 1976)

OPINION AND ORDER

By this application, Santa Monica Delivery Service, Inc. (S.M.D.S.), a corporation, requests authority to renew¹ its authority to deviate from the provisions of Minimum Rate Tariff 15 (MRT 15) in connection with the transportation of tires, batteries and accessories for General Tire and Rubber Company within 250 air miles of the City of Industry. Applicant proposes to charge and collect base yearly vehicle unit rates not less than 84.3 percent of the otherwise applicable rates in MRT 15 for the transportation involved.

The application is based on special circumstances and conditions detailed therein.

Revenue and expense data submitted by applicant indicate that the transportation involved may reasonably be expected to be profitable under the proposed rates.

The application was listed on the Commission's Daily Calendar of March 10, 1976. California Trucking Association opposed the granting of the sought authority on an indefinite basis.

¹ Authority was granted initially per Decision 82147, dated November 20, 1973.

In the circumstances, the Commission finds that applicant's proposal, as hereinafter modified, is reasonable. A public hearing is not necessary. The Commission concludes that the application should be granted as set forth in the ensuing order and the effective date of the order should be May 20, 1976, to avoid a lapse between the expiration date of the current authority and the effective date of the sought authority.


IT IS ORDERED that:

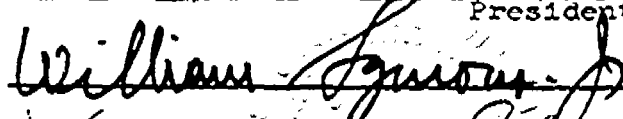
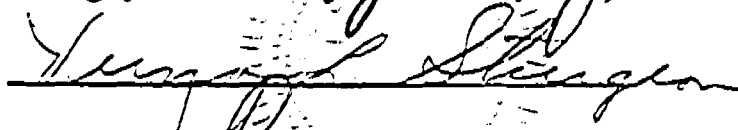
1. Santa Monica Delivery Service, Inc., a corporation, is authorized to perform the transportation shown in Appendix A attached hereto and by this reference made a part hereof at not less than the rates set forth therein.


2. The authority granted herein shall expire May 20, 1978, unless sooner cancelled, modified or extended by further order of the Commission.

The effective date of this order shall be May 20, 1976.

Dated at San Francisco, California, 18th day of
May, 1976.



President





Commissioners

APPENDIX A

Santa Monica Delivery Service, Inc., a corporation, is authorized to transport tires, batteries and accessories for General Tire and Rubber Company within a radius of 250 air miles of the City of Industry, presently the shipper's place of business, subject to the following conditions:

Conditions:

1. When the above-described service is provided, the base yearly vehicle unit rates of not less than 84.3 percent of the otherwise applicable rates named in Minimum Rate Tariff 15 shall apply.
2. Applicant has not indicated that subhaulers will be engaged nor have any costs of subhaulers been submitted. Therefore, if subhaulers are employed, they shall be paid no less than the rates authorized herein.
3. In all other respect, the rates and rules in Minimum Rate Tariff 15 shall apply.

(END OF APPENDIX A)