

ORIGINAL

Decision No. 86447

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Investiga-)
tion for the purpose of consid-)
ering and determining minimum)
rates for transportation of any)
and all commodities statewide)
including, but not limited to)
those rates which are provided)
in Minimum Rate Tariff 2 and the)
revisions or reissues thereof.)

Case No. 5432
Petition for Modification
No. 913
(Filed August 17, 1976)

OPINION AND ORDER

Dart Delivery Systems, Inc., a corporation, seeks exemption from the minimum rates and rules named in Minimum Rate Tariff 2 for the "courier type" transportation of certain business records.

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

The petition was listed on the Commission's Daily Calendar of August 19, 1976. No protest or request for public hearing relative to this matter has been received.

In the circumstances, the Commission finds that petitioner intends to engage in a "courier type" transportation service for which competing carriers have heretofore been exempted from the otherwise governing minimum rates, and petitioner's request for similar relief has been shown to be justified to the extent hereinafter indicated. A public hearing is not necessary. The Commission concludes that the petition should be granted as set forth in the ensuing order and the effective date of this order should be the date hereof because there is an immediate need for this rate relief.

IT IS ORDERED that:

Dart Delivery Systems, Inc., a corporation, is exempted from the otherwise governing provisions of Minimum Rate Tariff 2 when engaged in the "courier type" transportation of checks, drafts,



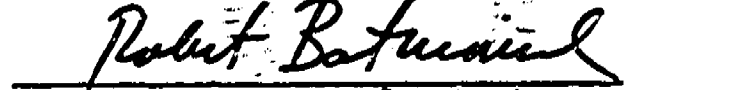
money orders, securities, transit items, sales audit items, business records, audit media, tabulation cards, data processing materials, legal documents, printed or reproduced documents or data and related items when transported in vehicles not exceeding a licensed weight of 4,500 pounds.

The effective date of this order is the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 28th day of September, 1976.

I dissent as to the
effective date being
the date hereof.
William J. Squors Jr.


President




Commissioners