

ORIGINAL

Decision No. 86463

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application)
of Blue Streak Messenger and)
Delivery Service, Inc. for a)
deviation from the Minimum Rates)
and Rules in MFT 2 in connection)
with deliveries to AMFAC Drug)
Supply.)

Application No. 56659
(Filed July 29, 1976)

INTERIM OPINION AND ORDER

By this application, Blue Streak Messenger and Delivery Service, Inc., a corporation, requests authority to deviate from the provisions of Minimum Rate Tariff 2 in connection with transportation of drugs, medicines, toilet preparations and dental and hospital supplies for Amfac Drug Supply Co. from wholesale supply centers in Los Angeles Basin Territory to points in the same territory.

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

The application was listed on the Commission's Daily Calendar of August 3, 1976. Objection to the granting of the application was received from California Trucking Association. Protestant stated that the supporting data do not permit the detailed assessment of the proposal. Nevertheless applicant's showing indicates the proposal is reasonable for this transportation on an interim basis as hereafter ordered.

In the circumstances, the Commission finds that:

1. The cost data are sufficient to determine that the proposed charges are reasonable, on an interim basis, for transportation performed by applicant.

2. Applicant shall develop detailed cost data for the aforementioned transportation during the interim period of this authority for presentation at a public hearing.

3. The effective date of this order shall be the date hereof because there is an immediate need for this rate relief.

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Blue Streak Messenger and 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 charges set forth and subject to the conditions therein.

2. The authority granted herein shall expire one year after the effective date of this order unless sooner cancelled, modified or extended by further order of the Commission.


3. Blue Streak Messenger and Delivery Service, Inc., shall provide the Commission and all parties to this proceeding with the data specified in Finding 2 hereof.

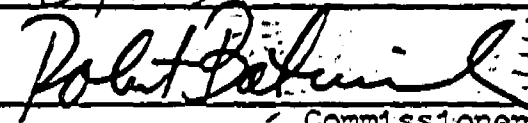
4. A public hearing shall be scheduled on this application at a date to be set.

The effective date of this order is the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 5th day of October, 1976.


President




Commissioners

*I dissent as to the
effective date being
the date hereof
William Lyons J.*

*I dissent only to
the effective date
Vernon L. Sturgeon*

APPENDIX A

BLUE STREAK MESSENGER AND DELIVERY SERVICE
(a corporation)

COMMODITIES: Drugs, medicines, toilet preparations, dental and hospital supplies.

SHIPPER: Amfac Drug Supply Co.

FROM: Wholesale supply centers in Los Angeles Basin Territory.

TO: Points in Los Angeles Basin Territory.

RATES: \$1.15 per stop with minimum charge of 150 stops per day from each point of origin.

Exception: Saturday deliveries \$1.725 per stop with minimum charge for 75 stops per day from each point of origin. Sunday and holiday deliveries (New Year's Day, Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, 4th of July, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, December 24 and Christmas Day) \$2.30 per stop with minimum charge for 75 stops from each point of origin.

Stops are defined as:

- 1 - 3 Packages delivered at one time at one point of destination = 1 Stop
- 4 - 5 Packages delivered at one time at one point of destination = 2 Stops
- 6 - 7 Packages delivered at one time at one point of destination = 3 Stops
- 8 - 9 Packages delivered at one time at one point of destination = 4 Stops

APPENDIX A

CONDITIONS:

1. A shipment hereunder is a minimum quantity of 40 stops, tendered by one shipper at one time from one point of origin.

2. Service is limited to deliveries of one to nine packages, not to exceed a total weight of 75 pounds at one time at one point of destination.

3. Service is limited to a 45 mile radius from point of origin.

4. Service will be performed in vehicles with a maximum tare weight of 4,500 pounds.

5. In all other respects than those specified herein, Minimum Rate Tariff 2 rates and rules will be applicable.

6. 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 without any deduction for use of applicant's trailing equipment.

(END OF APPENDIX A)