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Decision 91-08-010 August 7, 1991

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Investigation on the Commission's own )  
 motion into the operations, rates and )  
 practices of All Counties Express, )  
 Inc., a California corporation; and )  
 Cascade Steel Rolling Mills, Inc., an )  
 Oregon corporation; Gary Metals, Inc., )  
 a California corporation; and Pitcal, )  
 Inc. and Posco-West Corp., Delaware )  
 corporations doing business jointly as )  
 USS-Posco Industries. )

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I.88-08-047  
(Filed August 24, 1988)

OPINION

On April 24, 1991, the Commission issued its Order Reopening Investigation and Order to Show Cause to determine what action should be taken as a consequence of the failure of respondent All Counties Express, Inc. to pay fines of \$56,398.07 to the Commission and to collect undercharges of \$31,289.77 from respondent shipper Pitcal, Inc. dba USS-POSCO Industries, \$23,659.77 from respondent shipper Cascade Steel Rolling Mills, Inc., and \$1,448.53 from respondent shipper Gary Metals, Inc., as ordered in Decision (D.) 90-09-058.

Prior to the time set for further hearing in this matter, respondent collected the undercharges and paid the fine to the Commission.

Findings of Fact

1. Respondent All Counties Express, Inc. was ordered to collect specified undercharges and pay a fine equal to the amount of the undercharges in D.90-09-058.
2. Respondent failed to collect the undercharges and pay the fine when due.

3. This investigation was reopened on April 24, 1991 for the purpose of determining what action the Commission should take as a consequence of respondent's delinquency in collecting undercharges and paying the fine.

4. Prior to the time set for further hearing in this matter, respondent collected the undercharges and paid the fine.

Conclusion of Law

The reopened investigation should be discontinued.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that this investigation is discontinued and the matter is closed.

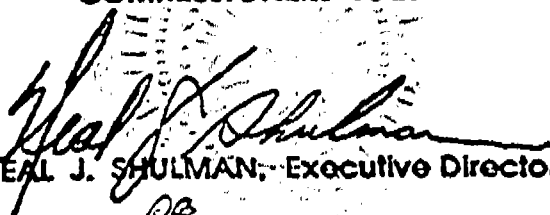
This order is effective today.

Dated August 7, 1991, at San Francisco, California.

PATRICIA M. ECKERT  
President  
G. MITCHELL WILK  
JOHN B. OHANIAN  
NORMAN D. SHUMWAY  
Commissioners

Commissioner Daniel Wm. Fessler,  
being necessarily absent, did  
not participate.

I CERTIFY THAT THIS DECISION  
WAS APPROVED BY THE ABOVE  
COMMISSIONERS TODAY

  
NEAL J. SHULMAN, Executive Director  
JB