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Decision <u>82 01 37</u> JAN 5 1982

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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Application of ADAMS &
COMPANIES, INC. under the
Shortened Procedure Tariff
Docket to publish in its Local
Freight Tariff No. 1 CA PUC 1
Freight Tariff No. 1 CA PUC 1 provisions resulting in increases because of proposed
increases because of proposed
new item.

Shortened Procedure Tariff Docket Application 61016 (Filed October 29, 1981)

<u>o p i n i o n</u>

By this application, Adams & Companies, Inc. (Adams) requests authority to publish a new rate scale for conduits in its Local Freight Tariff No. 1, Cal. P.U.C. No. 1.

Adams states that the current rate based on the weight of the shipment is too low. The shipment requires the carrier to use the full loading capacity of the vehicle. The shipper has expressed a willingness to pay more in order to receive the service desired. The rate proposed is based on a rate per unit of carrier's equipment computed on the number of miles transported.

Adams estimates that in the event this application is granted it would increase its annual revenue by approximately \$20,000. In no event would the proposed publication increase its California intrastate revenue by as much as 1%.

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The application was listed on the Commission's Daily Calendar of October 30, 1981. No objection to the granting of the application has been received.

Findings of Fact

1. The increases resulting from this proposal are justified.

2. The following order has no reasonably foreseeable impact on the energy efficiency of highway carriers.

3. A public hearing is not necessary. <u>Conclusion of Law</u>

The proposed rate for conduits is just and reasonable and the application should be granted as set forth in the ensuing order.

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IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Adams & Companies, Inc. is authorized to publish new rates for the transportation of conduits as specifically proposed in the application.

2. Tariff publications authorized to be made as a result of this order shall be filed not earlier than the effective date of this order and may be made effective not earlier than 5 days after the effective date of this order on not less than 5 days' notice to the Commission and to the public.

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3. The authority granted shall expire unless exercised within 90 days after the effective date of this order.

This order becomes effective 30 days from today. Dated <u>JAN 51982</u>, at San Francisco, California.

> JOHN E BRYSON President RICHARD D. CRAVELLE VICTOR CALVO PRISCILLA C. CREW Commissioners

Commissioner Leonard M. Grimes, Jr., being necessarily absent, did not participate.

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