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Decision No. 87457 June 7, 1977

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the matter of the Application)
of THOMPSON TRANSPORT SYSTEMS,)
INC., a corporation, for author-)
ity to depart from the rates,)
rules and regulations of Minimum)
Rate Tariff No. 2 in connection)
with certain transportation of)
ice to be performed for Central)
California Ice Company, Inc.)
under the provisions of Section)
3606 of the Public Utilities)
Code.)

Application No. 57325
(Filed May 20, 1977)

OPINION AND ORDER

By this application, Thompson Transport Systems, Inc., requests authority to continue to deviate from the provisions of Minimum Rate Tariff 2 in connection with the transportation of ice for Central California Ice Company, Inc., within a 200-mile radius of Bakersfield.

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 May 23, 1977. No objection to the granting of the application has been received.

In the circumstances, the Commission finds that applicant's proposal 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 this order should be the date hereof because there is an immediate need to continue this rate relief.

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Thompson Transport Systems, Inc., 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 one year after the effective date of this order unless sooner cancelled, modified or extended by further order of the Commission.

The effective date of this order is the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 7th day of JUNE, 1977.

Robert Bolman
President

William Synow Jr.

Vernon L. Sturgeon

Richard D. Standa

Commissioners

APPENDIX A

Thompson Transport Systems, Inc., is authorized to transport ice, loose or in packages or in absorbent material as described in Item 101600 of National Motor Freight Classification NMF 100-D, for Central California Ice Company, Inc., within a 200-mile radius of Bakersfield, subject to the following conditions:

1. A rating of Class 35.4 shall be applicable on a 45,000-pound minimum weight per truckload or unit of equipment.
2. Shipments are to be loaded by shipper and unloaded by consignee without assistance of, or expense to, the carrier.
3. The rates to be assessed shall not be subject to the provisions of Items 85, 100 and 170 of Minimum Rate Tariff 2.
4. 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.
5. In all other respects, the rates and rules set forth in Minimum Rate Tariff 2 shall apply.

(END OF APPENDIX A)