Decision No. 87688

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of Western Motor
Tariff Bureau, Inc. under the
Shortened Procedure Tariff Docket)
for and on behalf of Allyn
Transportation Co. to publish
provisions resulting in increases)
by publication of a new tariff
item applicable on marine
deliveries.

Shortened Procedure Tariff Docket Application No. 57065 (Filed February 9, 1977)

OPINION AND ORDER

By this application, Western Motor Tariff Bureau, Inc., Agent (WMTB), seeks authority, on behalf of Allyn Transportation Co. (Allyn), to publish hourly rates for marine deliveries of petroleum products.

Applicant states marine vessels, which are refueled at the various port facilities within the state, require petroleum products in several truck and trailer loads. Sometimes great periods of time are required to transfer the product from carrier's equipment to the vessel. Applicant avers that various U. S. Department of Transportation and State Fire Marshall regulations require carrier to stand by, awaiting safety equipment and/or port clearance to begin transfer operations and additional labor expense is incurred by the carrier. Applicant alleges that the present tariff provisions do not fully compensate Allyn for the service in question.

¹ The proposed rates will be published as Item 475 of WMTB Local, Joint and Proportional Freight and Express Tariff No. 18, Cal. P.U.C. No. 26.

Applicant asserts that increases resulting from the proposal herein would not increase Allyn's California intrastate gross revenue by as much as one percent. Applicant anticipates that the yearly revenue increase under its proposal would approximate \$3,000.

The application was listed on the Commission's Daily Calendar of February 11, 1977. No objection to the granting of the application has been received.

In the circumstances, the Commission finds that increases resulting from applicant's proposal are justified. A public hearing is not necessary. The Commission concludes that the application should be granted.

IT IS ORDERED that:

- 1. Western Motor Tariff Bureau, Inc., Agent, is hereby authorized, on behalf of Allyn Transportation Co., to publish an amendment in its Local, Joint and Proportional Freight and Express Tariff No. 18, as specifically proposed in Application 57065.
- 2. Tariff publications authorized to be made as a result of the order herein shall be filed not earlier than the effective date of this order and may be made effective not earlier than five days after the effective date of this order on not less than five days' notice to the Commission and to the public.
- 3. The authority herein granted shall expire unless exercised within ninety days after the effective date of this order.

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Commissioner Vernon L. Sturgeon, being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.

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Commissioner Richard D. Gravelle, being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.