

Decision No. 87946 OCT 4 1977

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the matter of the application)
of TRANS-VALLEY TRANSPORT, INC.,)
a corporation for authority to)
depart from the rates, rules and)
regulations of Minimum Rate Tariff)
No. 2 under the provisions of the)
Highway Carrier's Act, on trans-)
portation for Spreckels Sugar)
Division, Amstar Corporation.)

Application No. 57415
(Filed June 29, 1977)

OPINION AND ORDER

By this application, Trans-Valley Transport, Inc., requests authority to deviate from the provisions of Minimum Rate Tariff 2 in connection with transportation of sugar for Amstar Corporation from Salinas to Spreckels.

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 July 5, 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 for this rate relief.

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Trans-Valley Transport, 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 4th day of OCTOBER, 1977.

Robert Bateman
President

Yerger L. Sturgeon
Richard D. Swartz

Commissioners
Commissioner William Symons, Jr., being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.

Commissioner Claire T. Dedrick, being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.

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APPENDIX A

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Carrier: Trans-Valley Transport, Inc.
Commodity: Sugar in packages
From: Salinas
To: Spreckels
Minimum Weight: 36,000 pounds
Rates: 22 cents per 100 pounds

Note 1 - When palletized shipments are transported under the rates herein, the provisions of Item 44 shall apply.

Conditions:

1. 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.
2. In all other respects, the rates and rules in Minimum Rate Tariff 2 shall apply.

(END OF APPENDIX A)