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Decision No. 88044 OCT 25 1977

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of Sunrise Transpor- )  
tation, Inc. for Authority Under )  
the Provisions of Section 3666 of )  
the Public Utilities Code, to )  
Deviate from the Minimum Rates in )  
Minimum Rate Tariff No. 2 Appli- )  
cable to the Transportation of )  
Granulated Sugar for Amstar )  
Corporation, Spreckels Sugar )  
Division )

Application No. 57544  
(Filed August 31, 1977)

OPINION AND ORDER

By this application, Sunrise Transportation, Inc., a corporation, requests authority to deviate from the provisions of Minimum Rate Tariff 2 in connection with the transportation of granulated sugar in bulk for Amstar Corporation from its plant located 5 miles southeast of Mendota to its distribution depot located in Los Angeles.

The application is based on special circumstances and conditions detailed therein.

The application was listed on the Commission's Daily Calendar of September 1, 1977. California Trucking Association (CTA) objected to the ex parte handling of this matter without stating any specific grounds for protest.

Revenue and expense data submitted by applicant indicate that the transportation involved may reasonably be expected to be profitable under the proposed rate.

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.

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IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Sunrise Transportation, 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 21<sup>st</sup> day of OCTOBER, 1977.

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President  
*William Symons Jr.*  
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*Vernon L. Sturgeon*  
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*Richard P. Hoyle*  
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*Paul J. Deitch*  
Commissioners

Commissioner Robert Batinevich, being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.

## APPENDIX A

Carrier: Sunrise Transportation, Inc.

Shipper: Amstar Corporation, Spreckels Sugar Division

Commodity: Granulated sugar in bulk.

Origin: Amstar Corporation, Spreckels Sugar Division,  
Mendota Plant No. 4, located on Highway 180  
approximately 5 miles southeast of Mendota.

Destination: Amstar Corporation, Spreckels Sugar Division  
distribution depot located at Washington and  
Long Beach Boulevards, Los Angeles.

Rate in Cents Per 100 Pounds: 69

Minimum Weight: 52,000 pounds per unit of carrier's equip-  
ment consisting of a tractor and two  
hopper-type trailers.

## Conditions:

1. Applies only in connection with straight shipments of the aforementioned commodity in bulk, in hopper-type equipment, gravity and conveyor loaded by shipper and gravity unloaded by consignee.
2. 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 not less than the rates authorized herein without any deduction for use of applicant's trailing equipment.
3. In all other respects the rates and rules in Minimum Rate Tariff 2 shall apply, except that surcharge provisions shall not apply.

(END OF APPENDIX A)