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Decision No. 89483 OCT 3 1978

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the matter of the application) of Bulk Transportation, a corpo-) ration to perform transportation) services for the account of Kerr) Glass Manufacturing Corporation,) in the movement of limestone at) less than minimum rates.

Application No. 58291 (Filed August 10, 1978)

OPINION AND ORDER

By this application, Bulk Transportation (Bulk), a corporation, requests authority to deviate from the provisions of Minimum Rate Tariff 7-A in connection with the transportation of limestone for Kerr Glass Manufacturing Corporation from Lucerne Valley to Santa Ana.

According to applicant, the following special circumstances prevail: (1) The involved transportation is a large volume movement, (2) the facilities for loading and unloading are available 24 hours a day, seven days a week, and (3) transportation can be coordinated with other movements by Bulk which terminate near Lucerne Valley.

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 August 11, 1978. 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.

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IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Bulk Transportation 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 rate 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 <u>San Francisco</u>, California, this <u>3</u>M day of <u>"OCTOBFR</u>, 1978.

President

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APPENDIX A

Carrier: Bulk Transportation

Shipper: Kerr Glass Manufacturing Corporation

Commodity: Limestone

From: Charles Pfizer Company Plant, Lucerne Valley

To: Kerr Glass Manufacturing Corporation, Santa Ana

Rate: \$6.00 per ton, 26 tons minimum weight

Conditions:

- 1. Loading and unloading time in excess of one hour to be charged at the rate of \$4.20 for each 15 minutes or fraction thereof.
- 2. Applicant has indicated that subhaulers will not be engaged. If subhaulers are employed, they shall be paid no less than the rate 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 7-A shall apply.

(END OF APPENDIX A)