

**ORIGINAL**Decision No. 89981 FEB 14 1979

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Investigation }  
 for the purpose of considering and }  
 determining minimum vehicle unit }  
 rates for transportation of }  
 general commodities statewide as }  
 provided in Minimum Rate Tariff 15 }  
 and the revisions or reissues }  
 thereof. }

Case No. 7783  
 Petition for Modification  
 No. 160  
 (Filed September 29, 1978)

INTERIM OPINION AND ORDER

Decision No. ~~89978~~; entered today in Case No. 5432 (Petition 1034) et al. and Case No. 7783 (Petition 160), provided that Minimum Rate Tariff 15 should be made subject to certain interim cost offset increases and that amendment of the tariff by surcharge supplement should be accomplished by separate order.

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Minimum Rate Tariff 15 (Appendix D of Decision No. 65072, as amended) is further amended by incorporating therein, to become effective February 24, 1979, Supplement 25, attached hereto and by this reference made a part hereof.
2. Common carriers subject to the Public Utilities Act, to the extent that they are subject also to Decision No. 65072, as amended, are hereby directed to establish in their tariffs the amendments necessary to conform with the further adjustments ordered by this decision.
3. Common carriers maintaining rates on a level other than the minimum rates for transportation for which rates are prescribed in Minimum Rate Tariff 15 are authorized to increase such rates by the same amounts authorized by this decision for Minimum Rate Tariff 15 rates.

4. Common carriers maintaining rates on the same level as Minimum Rate Tariff 15 rates for the transportation of commodities and/or for transportation not subject to Minimum Rate Tariff 15 are authorized to increase such rates by the same amounts authorized by this decision for Minimum Rate Tariff 15 rates.

5. Common carriers maintaining rates at levels other than the minimum rates for the transportation of commodities and/or for transportation not subject to Minimum Rate Tariff 15 are authorized to increase such rates by the same amounts authorized by this decision for Minimum Rate Tariff 15 rates.

6. Any provisions currently maintained in common carrier tariffs which are more restrictive than, or which produce charges greater than, those contained in Minimum Rate Tariff 15, are authorized to be maintained in connection with the increased rates and charges directed to be established by Ordering Paragraph 2 hereof.

7. Tariff publications required to be made by common carriers as a result of this order shall be filed not earlier than the effective date of this order and made effective February 24, 1979, on not less than five days' notice to the Commission and to the public; as to tariff publications which are authorized, but not required, the authority shall expire unless exercised within sixty days after the effective date of this order.

8. Common carriers, in establishing and maintaining the rates authorized by this order, are authorized to depart from the provisions of Section 461.5 of the Public Utilities Code to the extent necessary to adjust long- and short-haul departures now maintained under outstanding authorizations; such outstanding authorizations are hereby modified only to the extent necessary to comply with this order; and schedules containing the rates published under this authority shall make reference to the prior orders authorizing long- and short-haul departures and to this order.

9. In all other respects Decision No. 65072, as amended, shall remain in full force and effect.

10. The Executive Director shall serve a copy of this decision on every common carrier, or such carriers' authorized tariff publishing agents, performing transportation services subject to Minimum Rate Tariff 15.

11. The Executive Director shall serve a copy of each of the tariff amendments on each subscriber to Minimum Rate Tariff 15.

The effective date of this order is the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California; this 14th day of FEBRUARY, 1979.

John E. Bury  
President  
Vernon L. Sturgeon

Alvin J. DeLuca

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Commissioners

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

Commissioner Leonard M. Gomez, Jr., being necessarily absent, did not participate.

SURCHARGE SUPPLEMENT

SUPPLEMENT 25

(Supplements 12, 24 and 25 Contain All Changes)

TO

MINIMUM RATE TARIFF 15

NAMING

MINIMUM YEARLY, MONTHLY, WEEKLY AND HOURLY

VEHICLE UNIT RATES AND RULES

FOR THE

TRANSPORTATION OF PROPERTY OVER THE

PUBLIC HIGHWAYS WITHIN THE

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

BY

RADIAL HIGHWAY COMMON CARRIERS

HIGHWAY CONTRACT CARRIERS

AGRICULTURAL CARRIERS

AND

CEMENT CONTRACT CARRIERS

Decision No.

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EFFECTIVE FEBRUARY 24, 1979

Issued by the  
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
State Building, Civic Center  
San Francisco, California 94102

APPLICATION OF SURCHARGE

Except as otherwise provided, compute the amount of charges in accordance with the rates and rules in this tariff and increase the amount so computed as follows:

Item 120 - Charges for Escort Service		
(a) Charge per hour	Increase by	\$ .45
Item 130 - Charges for Permit Shipments		
(a) Charge for securing permit	Increase by	\$ .45
Items 200, 210, 211 - Base Yearly Vehicle Unit Rates		
Rate Basis A	Increase by	\$58.00
Rate Basis B	Increase by	92.00
Items 300, 310, 311 - Base Monthly Vehicle Unit Rates		
Rate Basis A	Increase by	\$58.00
Rate Basis B	Increase by	92.00
Items 400, 410, 411 - Base Weekly Vehicle Unit Rates		
Rate Basis C	Increase by	\$14.00
Rate Basis D	Increase by	22.00
Items 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 460 - Hourly Vehicle Unit Rates - Metropolitan Los Angeles Area		
	Increase by	\$ .55 per hour
Items 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 490 - Hourly Vehicle Unit Rates - San Francisco Bay Area		
	Increase by	\$ .35 per hour
Item 495 - Hourly Vehicle Unit Rates - Metropolitan Los Angeles Zone		
	Increase by	\$ .55 per hour
Items 530 and 540 - Rates for Premium Pay Hours and Excessive Hours		
Rate Basis		
A (5) Premium hours		
Column (7)	Increase by	\$ .50 per hour
Columns (8) & (9)	Increase by	.05 per hour
B (6) Excessive hours		
Column (7)	Increase by	.60 per hour
Columns (10) & (11)	Increase by	.05 per hour
C (5) Premium hours		
Column (7)	Increase by	.50 per hour
Column (8)	Increase by	.05 per hour
D (6) Excessive hours		
Column (7)	Increase by	.60 per hour
Columns (9) & (10)	Increase by	.05 per hour
Item 550 - Charges for Helpers		
Service Performed		Rate Basis
		A & C
1	Increase by	\$ .35 per hour
2	Increase by	.55 per hour
3 & 4	Increase by	.05 per hour
		B & D
1	Increase by	.55 per hour
2	Increase by	.65 per hour
3 & 4	Increase by	.05 per hour

THE END

o Increase, Decision No.

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