

Decision No. <u>91002</u> NOV 6 1979

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of WITS AIR FREIGHT) under the Shortened Procedure) Docket for Authority to increase) their rates and charges.) Shortened Procedure Tariff Docket Application No. 58975 (Filed June 28, 1979)

OPINION AND ORDER

By this application Wits Air Freight (Wits), a freight Forwarder by air, seeks authority to make the following tariff adjustments:

- 1. To decrease Signature Service charges in Section I, from \$25.00 to \$10.00.
- 2. To increase at some points and decrease at others the charge for Expedited Small Package Service. Also to cancel the multiple charges.
- 3. Increase rates and charges in Section 3 of this tariff by 11 percent.
- 4. Increase Pickup and Delivery rates and charges and Special Pickup and Delivery rates and charges by 11 percent.

Applicant avers that the revisions are cost justified and and do not reflect future inflationary expectations and will not increase its California intrastate gross revenue by as much as one percent. The amount of increase is within the President's wage-price quidelines.

The application was listed on the Commission's Daily Calendar of July 6, 1979. No objection to the granting of the application has been received.

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

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IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Wits Air Freight is authorized to publish amendments to its California Air Freight Forwarder Tariff No. 2 as specifically proposed in the application.

2. Tariff publications authorized to be made as 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.

This order shall become effective thirty days after the ' date hereof.

Dated NOV 6 1979 ____, at San Francisco, California.

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