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Decision 91467

MAR 18 1980

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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In the Matter of the Application )  
of H. TOURIST, INC., DBA CATALINA )  
ISLAND CRUISES, a corporation, for )  
an order authorizing it to assess )  
a surcharge for the transportation )  
of passengers by vessels between )  
the Port of Los Angeles (San Pedro) )  
or the Port of Long Beach, on the )  
one hand, and, on the other )  
authorized points on Santa Catalina )  
Island. )

Application No. 59001  
(Filed July 17, 1979)  
(Amended August 3, 1979)

S U P P L E M E N T A L      O R D E R

In Decision 90906 dated October 10, 1979, H. Tourist, Inc., doing business as Catalina Island Cruises (VCC-46), received authority to assess a surcharge of \$0.15 per passenger between Santa Catalina Island on the one hand and the Port of Los Angeles and the Port of Long Beach on the other. This authority was scheduled to expire on March 31, 1980; by which time it would have been subsumed by the proceedings of Application 59394, which requests a general rate increase for this corporation.

The hearing for Application 59394 will not take place by March 31, 1980, and the carrier continues to face the increased expense of fuel noted by Decision 90906.

Therefore, the authority to levy a \$0.15 surcharge should be extended until further order of the Commission cancels or changes it.

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To prevent a hiatus in the relief from the increased fuel prices that would result if the authority for this surcharge were allowed to expire on March 31, 1980; the effective date of the extension should be the date on which the order granting it is signed.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that:

H. Tourist, Inc. be authorized to continue its surcharge of \$0.15 until further notice by the Commission.

This authority shall expire unless exercised for the period above stated.

The effective date of this order shall be the date hereof.

Dated MAR 18 1980, at San Francisco, California.

John G. Quinn  
President

Vernon L. Stearns  
Robert W. Hoyle

Samuel M. Smith  
Commissioners

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