

Decision No. 92466 DEC 2 - 1980

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of Klausner Transportation Co., Inc. for the purpose of considering and determining an exception rating on clothing, on hangers, loose, pursuant to Section 728 of the Public Utilities Code.

Application No. 59554  
(Filed March 28, 1980)

ORDER OF DISMISSAL

Applicant Klausner Transportation Co., Inc. requests an exception rating be published to the governing classification in Minimum Rate Tariff 2 on clothing, on hangers, loose.

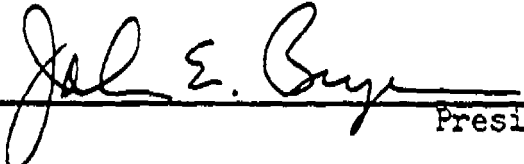
MRT 2 was canceled pursuant to the Commission's reregulation plan adopted in Decision No. 90663 dated August 14, 1979 in Case No. 5432 (Petition 884) et al. In Decision No. 90663, the Commission abolished minimum rate regulation of general commodity transportation and substituted a more competitive regulatory system of carrier-filed rates. Commission-set general commodity minimum rate tariffs, including MRT 2, were canceled April 30, 1980. Under the new regulatory program, the primary responsibility for rate-setting has been shifted from the Commission to the trucking industry. Although the Commission will no longer mandate uniform industry-wide rates or rate changes, individual carriers may increase, decrease, or simplify their rates on their own initiative, subject to Commission review under new revised regulatory procedures.

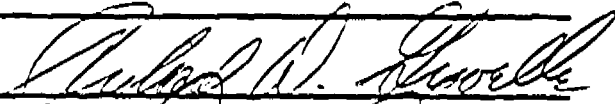
Since MRT 2 has been canceled, this application should be dismissed without prejudice to decrease rates on ~~its~~ <sup>applicant's</sup> own initiative under the new procedures. ✓  
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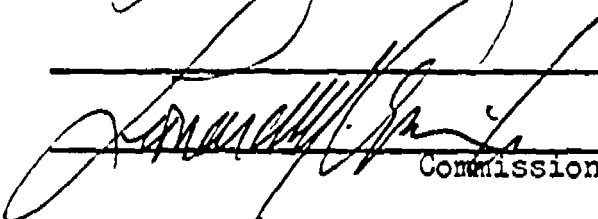
IT IS ORDERED that Application No. 59554 is dismissed without prejudice to the applicant to revise, increase, or decrease rates on its own initiative under the new reregulation procedures.

The effective date of this order shall be thirty days after the date hereof.

Dated DEC 2 - 1980, at San Francisco, California.

  
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President

  
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Commissioners

Commissioner Vernon L. Sturgeon, being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.

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