

Decision No. 92733

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of Cal-West Tariff Bureau, Inc., Agent to publish for and on behalf of Blue Line Transportation Co., Inc., a carrier to its Rules Tariff No. 3, tariff provisions resulting in increases because of an addition of a Special Trip Rule.

Shortened Procedure Tariff Docket Application No. 60053 (Filed November 3, 1980)

OPINION AND ORDER

By this application, Cal-West Tariff Bureau, Inc., Agent, for and on behalf of Blue Line Transportation Co., Inc. (Blue Line) requests authority to publish a "Special Trip" rule which results in both increases and decreases in rates.

Blue Line states that it has been requested by various shippers to publish a "Special Trip" rule. The proposed "Special Trip" rule results in both an increase and a reduction in the presently filed Expedited Service Rule. The increase will apply to shipments over 2,500 pounds and moving over 25 miles. This "Special Trip" rule would be an additional charge that would apply only when shipper or consignee requests it; therefore, the shipping public will only be charged for this service when it wants or needs a "Special Trip".

Blue Line avers that in no event would the proposed publication increase its California intrastate gross revenue by as much as one percent. The increases are within the President's wage-price guidelines.

In the circumstances, the Commission finds that:

1. The proposed changes are justified.
2. The order which follows complies with the highway carrier energy-efficiency guidelines in Decision 92541.
3. A public hearing is not necessary.

The Commission concludes that the application should be granted as set forth in the ensuing order.

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Cal-West Tariff Bureau, Inc., Agent is hereby authorized to publish on behalf of Blue Line Transportation Co., Inc., the amendments specifically proposed in the application.
2. Tariff publications authorized to be made as a 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 granted herein shall expire unless exercised within ninety days after the effective date of this order.

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

Dated FEB 18 1981, at San Francisco, California.

John E. Guyon
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Commissioners