PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Resolution No. M-4791 June 18, 1998

RESOLUTION ADOPTING LEVEL OF TRANSPORTATION RATE FUND FEE THAT SHOULD BE IMPOSED FOR FISCAL YEAR 1998-99

Public Utilities Code Section 5003.1 (amended 1996, Chapter 1042) provides that:

"Every household goods carrier owning or operating motor vehicles in the transportation of property for hire upon the public highways under the jurisdiction of the Commission shall...pay to the Commission a fee equal to one-third of one percent of the amount of such gross operating revenue, except as follows:

(a) For any particular fiscal year, the commission, with the approval of the Department of Finance, may fix the fat less than one-third of 1 percent of that amount.

(b) The commission may increase the fee pursuant to subdivision (b) of Section 5003.2\*

Section 5003.2 of the PU Code further provides that:

"(b) The commission may raise the fee imposed by Section 5003.1 upon those persons and corporations subject to that section for whom the commission establishes minimum or maximum rates, or require rates to be on file, up to a maximum of one-half of 1 percent of gross operating revenue, if the commission decides this increase is necessary to maintain adequate financing for the Transportation Rate Fund.

The Commission finds that for fiscal year 1998-99, the Transportation Rate Fund fee should be fixed as follows:

One-half of one percent (.005) of gross operating revenue for all household goods carriers owning or operating motor vehicles in the transportation of property for hire

upon the public highways under the jurisdiction of the Commission.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

For the fiscal year 1998-99, the fee provided for in Public Utilities Code Sections 5003.1 and 5003.2 is hereby fixed at the following level:

One-half of one percent (.005) of gross operating revenue for all household goods carriers owning or operating motor vehicles in the transportation of property for hire upon the public highways under the jurisdiction of the Commission.

I certify that this resolution was adopted by the Public Utilities Commission at its regular Meeting on <u>June 18, 1998</u>. The following Commissioners approved it:

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