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SERVICE DATE - DECEMBER 24, 1997

SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD<sup>1</sup>

DECISION

No. 41678

SHIPPERS PAPER PRODUCTS COMPANY

v.

FRIEDMAN'S EXPRESS, INC.

Decided: December 18, 1997

This proceeding was held in abeyance in a decision served July 5, 1996. By decision served November 10, 1997, the Board directed that the parties submit a status report within 30 days, indicating whether they desired to proceed with this case. The Board stated that if no status report is filed within the time specified, the proceeding would be dismissed. The 30 days has now expired and no party has requested further action. Accordingly, the proceeding will be dismissed.

It is ordered:

1. This proceeding is dismissed.
2. This decision is effective on its service date.
3. A copy of this decision will be mailed to:

The Honorable Thomas M. Twardowski  
United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania  
Madison Building, Suite 301  
400 Washington Street  
Reading, PA 19601

Re: Case No. 93-21066-T, Adv. No. 95-2324

By the Board, Vernon A. Williams, Secretary.

Vernon A. Williams  
Secretary

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<sup>1</sup> On December 29, 1995, the President signed the ICC Termination Act of 1995, Pub. L. No. 104-88, 109 Stat. 803 (ICC Termination Act or the Act). Effective January 1, 1996, the Act abolished the Interstate Commerce Commission (ICC) and transferred various ICC functions to a newly created Surface Transportation Board (Board), including the resolution of issues in motor carrier undercharge proceedings, 49 U.S.C. 13709-13711.