

SERVICE DATE - JULY 14, 1997

SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD

DECISION

STB No. 41840<sup>1</sup>

THE NIPPERT COMPANY D/B/A COPPER METAL PRODUCTS  
--PETITION FOR DECLARATORY ORDER--CERTAIN RATES AND  
PRACTICES OF ST. JOHNSBURY TRUCKING COMPANY, INC.

STB No. 41846

PACCAR, INC.--PETITION FOR DECLARATORY ORDER--CERTAIN  
RATES AND PRACTICES OF ST. JOHNSBURY TRUCKING COMPANY, INC.

Decided: July 9, 1997

By decisions served July 3 and 8, 1996, the Board established procedural schedules in these proceedings. Due dates were extended by subsequent decisions. Petitioners' timely filed their opening statements. Respondent's reply was due on July 7, 1997.

By letter filed July 8, 1997, respondent requests an extension of time to September 8, 1997, to file its reply statements. Respondent states that petitioners do not oppose the extension request.

The request will be granted and the procedural schedules will be adjusted accordingly.

*It is ordered:*

1. Respondent's extension request is granted.
2. Respondent's reply is due on September 8, 1997.
3. Petitioners' rebuttal statements are due on September 29, 1997.
4. This decision is effective on the service date.

By the Board, Vernon A. Williams, Secretary.

Vernon A. Williams  
Secretary

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<sup>1</sup> These proceedings are not consolidated. A single decision is being issued for administrative convenience.