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SERVICE DATE - MAY 5, 1997

SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD

DECISION

STB No. 41731¹

THE BON-TON STORES, INC.--PETITION FOR DECLARATORY ORDER--CERTAIN
RATES AND PRACTICES OF ST. JOHNSBURY TRUCKING COMPANY, INC.

STB No. 41737

BLODGETT OVEN CO., INC. n/k/a G.S. BLODGETT CORP.
--PETITION FOR DECLARATORY ORDER--CERTAIN RATES AND
PRACTICES OF ST. JOHNSBURY TRUCKING COMPANY, INC.

STB No. 41739

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

Decided: April 30, 1997

By decisions served May 28 and 29, 1996, the Board established procedural schedules in these proceedings. Due dates were extended by subsequent decisions. Petitioners' opening statements were due on April 28, 1997.

By letter filed April 28, 1997, petitioners request a further extension of time to May 12, 1997, to file their opening statements. Petitioners state that respondent does not oppose the extension requests.

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

It is ordered:

1. Petitioners' extension request is granted.
2. Petitioners' opening statements are due on May 12, 1997.
3. Respondent's reply is due on June 11, 1997.
4. Petitioners' rebuttal statements are due on July 12, 1997.
5. This decision is effective on the service date.

By the Board, Vernon A. Williams, Secretary.

Vernon A. Williams
Secretary

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