Decision No. 14513

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BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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In the Matter of Application of) SOUTHERN PACIFIC COLPANY for an order suthorizing discontinuance of :Application No. 10742 ticket agency at North Vallojo Station, County of Solano, State of California.)

BY THE COLMISSION:

ORDER

Southern Pacific Company, a corporation, has petitioned the Railroad Commission for an order authorizing the closing of its ticket agency heretofore maintained at its station of North Vallejo on its Western Division in the County of Solano.

Applicant alleges that the maintenance of the ticket agency is not justified by the volume of business transacted; that there has been no freight business transacted at said station during the year ending October 31, 1924; that a ticket agency is maintained at North Vallejo Wharf and a freight and passenger agency at its station of South Vallejo, both within the municipality of the City of Vallejo; that such agencies can satisfactorily care for the requirements of the traveling public until such time as traffic shall have increased to an extent which will warrant the reestablishment of a ticket agency at North Vallejo Station.

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Applicant has filed herein an exhibit showing the

revenue derived from tickot sales at the North Vallejo Sation (based on alternate months) for the year ending October 31, 1924. From this exhibit it appears that the revenue from tickot sales aggregated \$3164, for such period. The expense of maintaining a ticket agency and covering agent's salary, station supplies and other incidental expenses amounted to \$1423.55 for the period. This expense is 44.99 per cont of the ticket revenue and is excessive and not warranted by the volume of business handled, especially in view of the fact that two other agencies are maintained in the City of Vallejo and that cash fares can be handled by train conductors.

In view of the foregoing, we are of the opinion that this is a matter in which a public hearing is not necessary and that the application should be granted.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that applicant, Southern Racific Company, a corporation, be and the same hereby is authorized to close its ticket agency at the station of North Vallejo on its Western Division in Solano County and to hereafter operate such station as a non-agency as regards passenger traffic until the further order or direction of this Commission.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this <u>30</u> day of January, 1925.

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