

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of
SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY for an order
authorizing abandonment of Samuels Station,
County of Fresno, State of California.

ORIGINAL

Application No. 15756

BY THE COMMISSION -

O R D E R

Southern Pacific Company, a corporation, has petitioned the Railroad Commission for an order authorizing the discontinuance of the station now maintained at Samuels, on its San Joaquin Division, in Fresno County, and for the elimination of such station name from its records.

Applicant alleges that there is no station building at Samuels; that the only facilities at the station consist of a spur track to serve a packing house in the handling of carload freight; that all freight business handled at the station of Samuels is transacted at the agency station of Reedley which is located .8 miles east of Samuels; that there is no passenger business handled at the station nor are there any fares published in the passenger tariff which are applicable to Samuels station; and that the proposed abandonment of the station does not involve the abandonment of any facilities heretofore furnished the shipping public and will not affect the character of service rendered in that all freight shipped from or destined to the station now is, and will continue to be, cared for by the agency station at Reedley. An exhibit attached to the application shows the total freight revenue derived from freight received at or shipped from the station during the year ending March 31, 1925, to have amounted to \$71.

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 Pacific Company, a corporation, be and the same hereby is authorized to discontinue and abandon its non-agency station at Samuels on its San Joaquin Division in Fresno County, and to eliminate said station name from its station records.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 24 day of July ~~June~~, 1925.

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