

Decision No. 16471

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of  
the SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY for  
authority to abandon non-agency station  
at Mars, County of Fresno, State of  
California.

Application No. 12687

BY THE COMMISSION -

OPINION and ORDER

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Southern Pacific Company, a corporation, has petitioned the Railroad Commission for an order authorizing the abandonment of its non-agency station of Mars on its San Joaquin Division in Fresno County.

Applicant alleges that the non-agency station of Mars is located on its Fresno Branch and within the switching yard limits of its station of Fresno; that neither freight nor passenger business have been transacted at said station during the yearly period ending January 1, 1926; that no fares are published applicable to passenger business at said station; and that the abandonment of the station will not involve the discontinuance of any facilities.

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 abandon its non-agency station of Mars as heretofore maintained on its San Joaquin Division in Fresno County, and to eliminate said station name from its station records.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 12<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1926.

*H. B. Brundage*  
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COMMISSIONERS.