Decision No. 17730

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the matter of the application of Southern Pacific Company for an order authorizing the abandonment and removal of an industrial spur track at Asphalto, County of Kern, State of California.

Application No. 13266.

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BY THE COMMISSION:

OPINION

Southern Pacific Company, a corporation, has petitioned the Railroad Commission for an order authorizing the abandonment and removal of an industrial spur track located at Asphalto, County of Kern, State of California, on applicant's San Joaquín Division, said spur track being more definitely shown in yellow on a blue-print map marked "San Joaquín Division No. A-3057", as attached to and forming a part of the application herein.

Applicant alleges that said spur track is 900 feet in length and is located in part on private property adjoining its right-of-way; that said track was constructed in 1900 for the purpose of serving an industry at that point; that said industry has since gone out of business; that no use has been made of said spur track for sixteen years last past; that said spur track is not now required nor expected to be required in the future. 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.

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that applicant, Southern Pacific Company, a corporation, be and the same hereby is authorized to abandon and remove that certain spur track now located at its station of Asphalto, County of Kern, State of California, on its San Joaquin Division, and shown in yellow on blue-print map marked "San Joaquin Division No. A-3057", attached to and forming a part of this application.

The authority herein granted chall become effective on the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 10 day of December, 1926.

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Commissioners.