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Decision No. 10328.

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 a freight shed and station platform
at the former station of Venice Hill,
near the station of Ivanhoe, in the County
of Tulare, State of California.

Application No. 14302.

BY THE COMMISSION:

ORDER

Southern Pacific Company, a corporation, has filed with the Commission an application for an order authorizing the abandonment and removal of its freight shed and station platform at the former station of Venice Hill near the station of Ivanhoe on its San Joaquin Division in Tulare County, State of California, and shown in yellow on a blue-print map (San Joaquin Division Drawing A-2838) attached to and forming a portion of the application.

Applicant alleges that the non-agency station of Venice Hill was abandoned under authority granted in Decision No. 13982 of the Railroad Commission of the State of California dated August 29, 1924, on Application No. 10177 and the new non-agency station of Ivanhoe established and located at a point approximately 450 feet east of the former non-agency station of Venice Hill, and that the facilities at the new station of Ivanhoe are ample to take care of all business offering at that point.

Investigation by the Transportation Division of the

Engineering Department of the Commission discloses that since the abandonment of the non-agency station of Venice Hill and the establishment of the new non-agency station of Ivanhoe with adequate station facilities there is no longer any need for the old freight shed and platform located at the former non-agency station of Venice Hill and recommends that the application be granted.

The California Farm Bureau Federation has been consulted in the matter and through its manager, J. J. Deuel, advises it has no representations to make regarding the granting of this application.

It appears to the Commission that this is not a matter in which a public hearing is necessary and that the application should be granted, therefore,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that permission and authority be and it is hereby granted to Southern Pacific Company, a corporation, to abandon and remove freight shed and platform at the former non-agency station of Venice Hill near the station of Ivanhoe located on the Fresno Branch of its San Joaquin Division in Tulare County, State of California, and more definitely shown in yellow on blueprint map (San Joaquin Division Drawing A-2838) attached to and made a part of the application.

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

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 6th day of February, 1928.

Leon Whitall
Commissioner
Edward J. [unclear]
Proctor [unclear]
M. J. [unclear]
 Commissioners.