

Decision No. 28249

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of
 PACIFIC ELECTRIC RAILWAY COMPANY, a
 corporation, for a certificate of
 public convenience and necessity to
 operate an automobile stage service
 between the intersection of West
 Boulevard and West Sixteenth Street,
 in the City of Los Angeles, and the
 intersection of Ocean and Utah Avenues,
 in the City of Santa Monica, California.)
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) Supplemental
) Application No. 9391
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BY THE COMMISSION -

FIRST SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER

WHEREAS, Pacific Electric Railway Company, a corporation,
 engaged in the business of operating an auto bus service over
 and along the following route:

Commencing at the intersection of West Boulevard and
 West 16th Street in the city of Los Angeles, thence
 along West Boulevard to Pico Street, then in a general
 westerly direction along Pico Street and Pico Boulevard
 to Ocean Avenue in the city of Santa Monica, then
 northerly along Ocean Avenue to Utah Street,

has, in a supplemental application, asked for authority to discon-
 tinue said service, declaring that the operation is unprofitable
 primarily because of the operation at a lower rate of fare by the
 city of Santa Monica of a bus service paralleling the service of
 applicant, and

WHEREAS, applicant shows by a check of traffic that there
 has been a marked decrease in the number of passengers carried,
 since the inception of said municipally operated bus line, available
 figures showing for July, 1928, an average earning of seven cents
 per car mile as against an average earning of 21 cents per car
 mile in July, 1927, with a reduction in number of passengers carried
 from 40,557 in March, 1928, to 17,129 in July, 1928, now

Therefore, good cause appearing,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that applicant Pacific Electric Railway
 Company be and it is hereby authorized to discontinue the bus

service over and along the route as herein described, and

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED that the certificate of public convenience and necessity heretofore granted to said Pacific Electric Railway Company by Decision No.13232, as modified by Decision No.13841, be and the same is hereby revoked and annulled, and

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED that Pacific Electric Railway Company shall immediately cancel rates and time schedules on file in its name with the Railroad Commission covering said service:

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 13th day of September, 1928.

Leon Whittell

Edmund C. Smith

David L. ...

COMMISSIONERS.