

Decision No. 21333.

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

**ORIGINAL**

In the matter of the Application of SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY, for an order authorizing the abandonment and removal of five (5) spur tracks located at Boulder Creek, in the County of Santa Cruz, State of California.

Application No. 15,631.

BY THE COMMISSION:

O R D E R

Southern Pacific Company, a corporation, has filed with the Commission an application for an order authorizing the abandonment and removal of five (5) spur tracks located at Boulder Creek in Santa Cruz County, and shown in yellow on a blue-print map, (Coast Division Drawing L D-6) attached to and forming a portion of the application.

Applicant alleges that the track herein proposed to be abandoned is owned by the South Pacific Coast Railway Company, lessor to applicant, and was constructed prior to 1914 for the shipment of lumber and that the lumber industry in the vicinity of Boulder Creek has diminished to such an extent that the tracks are no longer needed for this purpose nor for any present or future purpose.

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 to

abandon and remove five (5) spur tracks located at Boulder Creek in Santa Cruz County and as more definitely shown in yellow on the map attached to the application.

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

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 3rd day of July, 1929.

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