Decision No. 21838

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

In the matter of application of SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY for authority to abandon non-agency station of Middleton, County of Napa, State of California.

Application No. 16092.

BY THE COMMISSION:

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<u>O R D E R</u>

Southern Pacific Company, a corporation, has filed with the Commission an application for an order authorizing the abandonment of its non-agency station of Middleton on its Western Division in Napa County.

Applicant alleges that no passenger business was transacted at the non-agency station of Middleton during the annual period ending May 31st, 1929; that no less than carload business was transacted at said station during said annual period; that no carload freight business was transacted at said station during the same period; that the abandonment of said non-agency station will not involve the abandonment of any facilities; and that, in the opinion of applicant, the continued maintenance of the non-agency station is not necessary for the business of the applicant or for the public.

It appears to the Commission that this is not a matter

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in which a public hearing is necessary and that the application should be granted, therefore,

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IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that permission and authority be and it is hereby granted to Southern Pacific Company, a corporation, to abandon its non-agency station of Middleton, located on the Napa Branch of its Western Division in Napa County and to eliminate said non-agency name from its station records, and to cancel in conformity with the rules of this Commission all rate tariffs and time schedules applying at said non-agency station.

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

Dated at San Francisco, California, this <u>2774</u> day of November, 1929.

Commissioners.