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Decision No. <u>23334</u>

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of Application of Southern Pacific Company for authority (a) to cancel all freight rate tariffs to and from the non-agency station of Rack, in the County of Monterey, State of California, and to discontinue the handling of freight thereat and (b) to abandon and remove a switch located in a spur track near said station.

Application No. 17139.

BY THE COMMISSION:

## ORDER

Southern Pacific Company, a corporation, on January 17, 1931, applied for authority to abandon its non-agency station of Rack, located on the main line of its Coast Division in Monterey County, and to abandon and remove a switch at said station, as shown in yellow on a blue print map (Drawing 12069) attached to the application.

Applicant alleges that no less than carload and Three Hundred and Sixty-two (362) Dollars carload freight business was transacted at said non-agency station during the twelve months ending August, 1930, and that, in applicant's opinion, the continued maintenance of the non-agency station and switch is not necessary for the business of applicant or for the public. IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Southern Pacific Company

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is hereby authorized to abandon its non-agency station of Rack, located on the main line of its Coast Division, in Monterey County, State of California, to eliminate said nonagency 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 station and to abandon and remove a switch located in a spur track near said station and as shown by Drawing 12069 attached to the application.

Applicant shall, within thirty (30) days thereafter, notify this Commission, in writing, of the abandonment of the facilities authorized herein and of its compliance with the conditions hereof.

The authorization herein granted shall lapse and become void if not exercised within one (1) year from the date hereof, unless further time is granted by subsequent order.

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

Dated at San Francisco, California, this <u>2/7/</u>day of January, 1931.

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