

Decision No. 24402

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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In the Matter of the Application of
PACIFIC ELECTRIC RAILWAY COMPANY for
authority to abandon and remove two
automatic flagmen at the intersection
of Robertson Boulevard and Santa Monica
Boulevard on applicant's Hollywood line
in the County of Los Angeles, California.)

APPLICATION NO. 17844

BY THE COMMISSION.

OPINION AND ORDER

The Pacific Electric Railway Company filed the above entitled application requesting authority to abandon and remove two automatic flagmen located at the grade crossing of Robertson Boulevard and its Hollywood Line (Crossing No. 6H-10.94), in the vicinity of the City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles.

Applicant alleges that the County of Los Angeles has installed traffic signals at said location, which signals control the movement of applicant's trains as well as the vehicular traffic, and that during off-peak hours, when said signals are not in operation, applicant will operate its trains over said crossing at a speed of not in excess of ten (10) miles per hour.

It appearing that a public hearing is not necessary herein, and that the application should be granted subject to certain conditions,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Pacific Electric Railway Company is hereby authorized to abandon and remove two automatic flagmen located at the grade crossing of Robertson Boulevard and the tracks of its Hollywood Line (Crossing No. 6H-10.94), in the

vicinity of the City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, subject to the following conditions:

- (1) When the traffic signals installed at said crossing are in operation for the control of vehicular traffic, applicant's cars and trains shall obey said traffic signals.
- (2) When said traffic signals are inoperative, no train, motor, engine or car shall enter upon said crossing at a speed greater than ten (10) miles per hour. After having entered upon the crossing, it shall be cleared as quickly as is practicable.
- (3) 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.
- (4) 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 18th day of

January, 1932.

C. L. Seaver
Leon Whitell
W. A. Lee
W. B. Harris
Fred G. Stewart
Commissioners.