In the Matter of the Application of )
SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY for authority to close its agency station and )
establish jointly with the Pacific )
Electric Railway Company an agency )
at the station of the Pacific Electric)
Railway Company at Compton, in the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

APPLICATION NO. 17841

BY THE COMMISSION.



## ORDER

Southern Pacific Company, a corporation, on December 2, 1931, applied for authority to discontinue its freight agency at Compton Station, on the San Pedro Branch of its Los Angeles Division, in Los Angeles County, State of California, and to establish jointly with Pacific Electric Railway Company an agency at the freight station of Pacific Electric Railway Company in the said City of Compton.

Applicant alleges that the Pacific Electric Railway Company's freight station facilities are located within a reasonable distance from applicant's freight station, in the City of Compton, and are adequate to handle the business now handled by the Pacific Electric Railway Company at that point, and in addition, the business handled by the Southern Pacific Company at its own station; that the discontinuance of said agency will not involve the abandonment of any facilities, and that, in applicant's opinion, the public will be as well served by the establishment of the joint agency as at present.

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

IT IS HEREBY OFDERED that Southern Pacific Company is hereby authorized to discontinue its freight agency at its station of Compton, located on its San Pedro Branch, Los Angeles Division, in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, and to establish jointly with the Pacific Electric Railway Company an agency at the freight station of the Pacific Electric Railway Company in said City of Compton.

Applicant shall, within thirty (30) days thereafter, notify this Commission, in writing, of the discontinuance of the facilities herein authorized, 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 2911 day

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