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Decision No. 24582

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMPLESION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of PACIFIC ELECTRIC RAILWAY COMPANY, a corporation, for authority to discontinue its passenger and freight agency and abandon its station at West Alhamora, California.

APPLICATION NO. 17886

BY THE COMMISSION.

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Pacific Electric Railway Company, a corporation, on December 30, 1931, applied for authority to abandon its freight and passenger agency and station at West Alhambra Station on its Alhambra-San Gabriel Line, in Los Angeles County, State of California.

Applicant alleges that ten passenger tickets were sold at said agency station during the year ending November 30, 1931; that 133 less-than-carload and 142 carload freight shipments were handled during the same period; that the nearest agency to the East is at Alhambra, a distance of 1.2 miles; that interested shippers and receivers of freight have been interviewed by applicant, and have expressed their approval of the proposed agency and station abandonment, provided that the said abandonment will not involve the abandonment of any facilities; and that, in applicant's opinion, the continued maintenance of the agency is not necessary for the business of applicant or for the public.

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

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Pacific Electric Railway Company is hereby authorized to abandon its passenger and freight agency and station of West Alhambra, located on the Alhambra-San Gabriel line in Los Angeles County, and to eliminate said 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 station provided, however, this change will not result in an increase to the shippers heretofore served in West Alhambra.

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 14/14_day of March, 1932.