Decision No. 24766.

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of PACIFIC SOUTHWESTERN TRANSPORTATION CO. for authority to discontinue operation of an automobile service as a common carrier between Lompoc, California, and White Hills, California.

Application No. 18130.

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BY THE COMMISSION:

## OPINION

Pacific Southwestern Transportation Co., operating automobile common carrier service for the transportation of persons between Lompoc and White Hills and intermediate points, as anthorized by Decision No. 13476, on Application No. 9937, dated April 24, 1924, has made application to discontinue the service. Applicant states that "passenger hauling has decreased to the extent that service is not economically possible". The service was instituted by a subsidiary of the H.W. Johns-Manville Corporation, which maintains a plant at White Hills, mining infusorial earth used for insulation and other purposes. This industry is now at low peak of production and has but few employees. The service is maintained particularly for the use of employees who had no other means of transportation. Applicant now asks that the service be discontinued and the operating right revoked.

We believe this is a matter in which a public hearing is not necessary and that the application should be granted.

## ORDER

Pacific Southwestern Transportation Co. having made application to discontinue service for the transportation of persons between Lompoc and White Hills,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the application be and the same hereby is granted subject to the condition that applicant shall post notices in its terminals and coaches giving at least five (5) days notice of the date of discontinuance and shall file with this Commission within thirty (30) days from date hereof withdrawal and cancellation of its time schedules and tariffs.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED that the certificate heretofore granted applicant by Decision No. 13476, on Application No. 9937 dated April 24, 1924 be and the same is hereby revoked and annulled.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 16 th day