

Decision No. 25743 .

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

In the Matter of the Application of SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA TELEPHONE COMPANY, a corporation, for an order of the Railroad Commission of the State of California, granting it a certificate that public convenience and necessity require the exercise by it of the rights and privileges conferred upon it under the franchise granted it by the City Council of the City of Santa Ana by Ordinance No. 965 on the 12th day of September, 1932.

ORIGINAL

Application No. 18709.

James G. Marshall, for Applicant.

SEAVEY, COMMISSIONER:

O P I N I O N

Southern California Telephone Company, in this proceeding, requests the Commission for an order granting it a certificate that public convenience and necessity require the exercise by it of the rights and privileges conferred upon it under the franchise granted it by the City Council of the City of Santa Ana by Ordinance No. 965 on the 12th day of September, 1932.

A hearing in the application was held in San Francisco on March 14, 1933, and the matter was submitted for decision.

Applicant is now, and for many years in the past has been, engaged in a general telephone and telegraph business in the City of Santa Ana. Mr. Marshall, attorney for Applicant, stated that the acquisition of the certificate requested would not result in any change in Applicant's service or rates in the City of Santa Ana. The cost of said franchise to Applicant was the sum of Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.).

No objection was made to the granting of the application.

It appears that public convenience and necessity will be served by the granting of Applicant's request.

O R D E R

Southern California Telephone Company having requested this Commission for an order granting it a certificate that public convenience and necessity require the exercise by it of certain rights and privileges conferred upon it under the franchise granted it by the City Council of the City of Santa Ana by Ordinance No. 965, on the 12th day of September, 1932, that a copy of said franchise having been filed with the Railroad Commission as Exhibit "B", attached to the application, a public hearing having been held on the application, the matter having been submitted and now being ready for decision,

THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA HEREBY DECLARES that public convenience and necessity require the exercise of the rights and privileges granted under said franchise, and

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that a certificate of public convenience and necessity be and the same is hereby granted to Southern California Telephone Company authorizing the exercise by it of the rights and privileges granted it by the City Council of the City of Santa Ana by Ordinance No. 965, dated September 12, 1932.

The authority herein granted is subject to the condition that:

Southern California Telephone Company shall never claim or urge any value for said franchise No. 965 greater than Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.) which is the amount paid therefor.

The foregoing Opinion and Order are hereby approved and ordered filed as the Opinion and Order of the Railroad Commission of the State of California.

For all other purposes, the effective date of this Order shall be twenty (20) days from and after the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 20th day of March, 1933.

C. C. Seaver

Leon Whitely

W. J. Lee

M. B. Young

Walter W. ...

Commissioners.