

Decision No. \_\_\_\_\_

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BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

In the Matter of the Application  
of ALTURAS ELECTRIC POWER COMPANY  
for an order extending time for  
compliance with Chapter 499, Laws  
of 1911, as amended by Chapter  
600, Laws of 1915.

Application No. 2310.

THELEN and DEVLIN, Commissioners.

O P I N I O N.

This is a petition for an order extending the time for compliance with the provisions of Chapter 499, Laws of 1911, as amended by Chapter 600, Laws of 1915, referring to the construction, reconstruction, maintenance and use of electric poles, wires, cables and appliances.

For a statement of the law governing proceedings of this character and of the principles guiding the Railroad Commission in its decisions therein, reference is hereby made to the decision this day rendered in Application No. 2222, Los Angeles Gas and Electric Corporation, et al.

Petitioner owns a hydro-electric plant which is located about seven miles south-east of Alturas, from which plant electric energy is transmitted at 6600 volts to a substation in Alturas, where the potential is reduced to 2300 volts for distribution in Alturas.

Subsequent to the filing of the petition herein, petitioner reported that it had thoroughly inspected its property and that its construction complies completely with the provisions of the statute.

The Railroad Commission thereupon sent one of its inspectors to examine petitioner's property. The inspector reports ~~that~~ under date of September 13, 1916, that petitioner has tried in all respects to comply with the statute but that some additional

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work remains to be done, principally the painting of a number of cross-arms, the reconstruction of a number of horizontal clearances at pole centers on petitioner's private telephone line, and encasing of vertical wires on poles and the insertion of strain bobs in a few guy wires.

Mr. J. W. Gibbons, petitioner's manager, states that he will at once proceed to correct these remaining violations.

We recommend that an extension of time until December 31, 1916, be granted to petitioner, on the conditions specified in the order herein.

We submit the following form of order:

### ORDER.

ALTURAS ELECTRIC POWER COMPANY having applied for an order extending the time within which to comply with the provisions of Chapter 499, Laws of 1911, as amended by Chapter 600, Laws of 1915,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED as follows:

1. The time within which petitioner herein shall reconstruct its existing system so as to comply completely with the provisions of Chapter 499, Laws of 1911, as amended by Chapter 600, Laws of 1915, is hereby extended to and including December 31, 1916.
2. Within 15 days subsequent to December 31, 1916, petitioner shall file with the Railroad Commission, on forms to be supplied by the Railroad Commission, a report showing, in such detail as will be prescribed by the Railroad Commission, petitioner's compliance with the provisions of Chapter 499, Laws of 1911, as amended by Chapter 600, Laws of 1915.

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.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 26<sup>th</sup> day  
of September, 1916.

Max Thelen

H. B. Howard

Edwin O. Edgerton

Frank R. Worline

Commissioners.