

Decision No. 548.

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

In the matter of the application of SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY for an order authorizing the construction of a spur track at grade across a public highway near its station Roche, Tulare County, California.  
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Application 473.

ORDER

By the Commission.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY, a corporation, having on March 31, 1913, filed with the Commission an application for permission to construct a spur track at grade across a public highway near the town of Roche, Tulare County, California, as hereinafter indicated, and it appearing to the Commission that this is not a case in which a public hearing is necessary, that it is not reasonable nor practicable to avoid a grade crossing with said public highway, and that the application should be granted subject to the conditions hereinafter specified.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that permission be hereby granted Southern Pacific Company to construct a spur track at grade across a public highway near the town of Roche, Tulare County, California, on Section 17, T. 18 S., R. 26 E., M.B.M., said track to serve the rock quarry of the Visalia Quarry Company near said town of Roche; said spur track to have two (2) crossings with said public highway, viz: the first crossing upon the right of way of said Company, about one hundred and eighty (180) feet from the point of switch of said spur, and the second crossing at about station 7 plus 25, of said spur, all as shown by the map attached to the application and subject to the following conditions, viz.:

(1) The entire expense of constructing the crossings together with the cost of their maintenance hereafter in good and first-class condition for the safe and convenient use of the public shall be borne by applicant.

(2) Said crossings shall be constructed of a width (parallel with the track) of not less than twenty-four (24) feet, with grades of approach not exceeding six (6) per cent,

