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Decision No. 29457

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

In the Matter of the Application of NORTHWESTERN PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY and CALIFORNIA WESTERN RAILROAD & NAVIGATION COMPANY for an Order authorizing and approving an agreement between the said companies and Willits Lumber Company, respecting (a) the maintenance and operation by California Western Railroad & Navigation Company of a certain track upon the right of way and property of Northwestern Pacific Railroad Company, and (b) the joint and exclusive use by California Western Railroad & Navigation Company of certain station facilities, tracks, (including certain tracks located upon land of Willits Lumber Company), and employes of Northwestern Pacific Railroad Company, all at and in the vicinity of Willits, Mendocino County, California.

Application No. 20935.

BY THE COMMISSION:

ORDER

Northwestern Pacific Railroad Company and California Western Railroad & Navigation Company filed the above entitled application requesting the approval of an agreement which applicants have entered into with Willits Lumber Company covering the maintenance and use of certain tracks and facilities in the vicinity of Willits, Mendocino County.

The Commission has previously approved an agreement, dated October 2, 1915, covering a portion of the facilities included in the instant agreement, but subsequent to that date Northwestern Pacific Railroad Company made certain changes in its facilities at Willits and it is now desired to terminate

the prior agreement and enter into the one, approval of which is now requested.

It appears that this is not a matter in which a public hearing is necessary and that the application should be granted, therefore.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the agreement entered into between Northwestern Pacific Railroad Company and California Western Railroad & Navigation Company and Willits Lumber Company, executed on November 20, 1936, a copy of which is attached to the application and marked Exhibit "A," covering the maintenance and operation of certain facilities in the vicinity of Willits, Mendocino County, is hereby approved.

The effective date of this order is the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this __// __ day

of January, 1937.

Commissioners.