

Decision No. 30221

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of ASSOCIATED TELEPHONE COMPANY, LTD., a corporation, for an order of the Railroad Commission of the State of California, granting it a certificate declaring 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 Azusa.

ORIGINAL

Application No. 21417.

Ernest Irwin, for Applicant.

WAKEFIELD, COMMISSIONER:

O P I N I O N

Associated Telephone Company, Ltd., in this proceeding, requests the Railroad 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 Azusa by Ordinance No. 322 on the 2nd day of March, 1936.

A hearing in the application was held in Los Angeles on September 24, 1937 and the matter was submitted for decision.

Applicant for several years has been engaged in operating a telephone system in the City of Azusa and in other cities and towns in Los Angeles County and in other counties of the State of California. The granting of this certificate will not result in any change in service or rates in the City of Azusa.

Mr. Ernest Irwin for Applicant stipulated at the hearing that Associated Telephone Company, Ltd., would never claim or urge any value for said franchise issued under said Ordinance greater than the actual cost thereof.

No objection was made to the granting of the application.

O R D E R

Associated Telephone Company, Ltd., having requested this Commission to grant a certificate that public convenience and necessity require it to exercise the rights and privileges conferred upon it by Ordinance No. 322 issued by the City Council of the City of Azusa on March 2, 1936, a public hearing having been held, the matter having been duly 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 Ordinance No. 322, and

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that a certificate of public convenience and necessity be and the same is hereby granted to Associated Telephone Company, Ltd., authorizing the exercise by it of the rights and privileges granted it by the City Council of the City of Azusa by Ordinance No. 322.

The authority herein granted is subject to the condition that:

Associated Telephone Company, Ltd., shall never claim or urge any value for the franchise granted under Ordinance No. 322 greater than the cost thereof.

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 11th day
of Oct., 1937.

Walter H. Miller
Leon S. Wheeler
Frank R. Hill
Raymond S. ...
Ray S. Alley
Commissioners.