

Decision No. 32228

## BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of  
 the Postal Telegraph-Cable Company  
 (California) for permission to  
 discontinue the Fixed Test and Flat  
 Rate Sender's Own Composition  
 "Thank You" Greeting Message Service.

Application No. 22886

BY THE COMMISSION:

OPINION AND ORDER

The Postal Telegraph-Cable Company of California herein requests permission to discontinue its "Thank You" telegraph message service. Applicant operates a general telegraph system within the State of California.

It is stated in the application that this low price service was established primarily for the purpose of stimulating increased use of its telegraph facilities for social purposes. Since the volume of business necessary to justify the continuance of this special rate service did not materialize, it is desired that the service may be discontinued.

The Commission has given consideration to this application and is of the opinion that the request should be granted and that this is a matter in which a formal hearing is not required, therefore

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Postal Telegraph-Cable Company may discontinue its "Thank You" telegraph message service and withdraw its rates therefor on or before October 1, 1939 provided the necessary rate schedule modification is filed with the Railroad Commission of the State of California not

later than ten (10) days immediately preceding its effective date.

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 20<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1939.

Raymond J. ...  
Frank C. ...  
M. ...  
Justus J. ...  
Commissioners