

# ORIGINAL

Decision No. 34463

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of Application of SOUTHERN PACIFIC )  
 COMPANY for an order authorizing the construction )  
 at grade of a drill track and side tracks across )  
 Seaver Ave., 23rd, 22nd, 21st, 20th and 19th ) Application  
 Streets, and alleys in Blocks 36, 38, and 37, in ) No. 24169  
 the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, )  
 State of California. )

BY THE COMMISSION:

O R D E R

Southern Pacific Company is authorized to construct a drill and side tracks at grade across Seaver Avenue, 24th, 23rd, 22nd, 21st, 20th, and 19th Streets, and alleys in Blocks 36, 37, and 38, in Richmond, Contra Costa County, at the locations described in the application. Said crossing of Seaver Avenue and 24th Street is to be identified as a portion of Crossing No. A-14.39-C and that of 21st Street as Crossing No. A-14.54-C. The other streets and alleys crossed are not improved or opened to public use and travel and this order shall not be deemed an authorization for the opening of said streets and alleys across said tracks.

Applicant shall bear entire construction and maintenance expense. Construction of Crossings Nos. A-14.39-C and A-14.54-C shall be equal or superior to Standard No. 2 of G. O. No. 72, without superelevation and of a width to conform to the portion of the streets now graded, with tops of rails flush with roadway, and with grades of approach not exceeding two per cent. Protection shall be by one Standard No. 1 crossing sign (G. O. No. 75-B) at each crossing.

Said tracks shall be so constructed that grades of approach not exceeding two per cent will be feasible in the event that the construction of an opening of 23rd, 22nd, 20th, and 19th Streets and the alleys across said tracks shall hereafter be authorized and

so that said grade crossings may be made safe for the passage there-  
over of vehicles and other road traffic.

Within thirty days after completion pursuant to this order, applicant shall so advise the Commission in writing. This authorization shall become void if not exercised within one year, unless time be extended, or if above conditions are not complied with. Authorization may be revoked or modified if public convenience, necessity or safety so require. This order shall be effective immediately.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 16<sup>th</sup> day of  
May, 1941.

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Francis R. Haverney  
Commissioners