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Decision No.



BEFORE THE RAILROAD CONTISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of PACIFIC ELECTRIC RAILWAY COMPANY, a Corporation, for an In Lieu Certificate of Public Convenience and Mecessity.

53rd Supplemental
Application No. 17984
(Abandonment of Portion of
Loop in Long Beach in connection with Consolidation
of Station Facilities)

BY THE COMMISSION:

SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER

By the above numbered supplemental application, Pacific Electric Railway Company seeks the Commission's authority to make minor changes in the routes of its Long Beach-Pasadena and its Long Beach-Riverside Motor Coach Lines, so as to operate such services to and from its passenger station at 156 West Ocean Boulevard, instead of to the present terminal at 226 East First Street in Long Beach.

Applicant's Long Beach-Huntington Park Motor Coach Line and its Long Beach-San Pedro and Long Beach-Los Angeles rail lines operate to and from the West Ocean Boulevard station and it is alleged that the proposed rerouting will give a better distribution of passengers originating in or destined to Long Beach, as well as permit transfer between the respective services without the necessity of transferring between stations.

There does not appear to be any reason for providing duplicate station facilities in the City of long Beach and we are of the opinion that the application is reasonable and should be granted; therefore,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Pacific Electric Railway Company is hereby authorized to abandon that portion of the routes of its Long

Beach-Pasadena and Long Beach-Riverside Motor Coach Lines, in the City of Long Beach, between Ocean Boulevard and First Street on private driveway between American and Locust Avenues, and to reroute these services via First Street, Pacific Avenue and Ocean Boulevard.

In so far as is necessary to conform to the rules of this Commission, applicant shall effect changes in tariffs, time-tables, rules and regulations in conformance with the authorization herein granted.

The effective date of this Order shall be the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 4th day

of August, 1942.

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Commissioners.