

Decision No. 37542

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application)
of UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY, .) Application No. 26395
a corporation, for authority to)
abandon Agency Service at a Station)
known as Workman Station at Workman,)
Los Angeles County, California.)

BY THE COMMISSION:

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ORDER

Union Pacific Railroad Company, a corporation, on October 13, 1944, applied for authority to abandon its agency at Workman Station, on its San Pedro Branch in Los Angeles County.

Applicant alleges that no passenger business is transacted at this station and that although a considerable volume of freight has been received at and forwarded from this station during the past calendar year, the need for its continuance has ceased as a result of the abandonment of the former program of airplane production of Consolidated-Vultee Aircraft Corporation during April, 1944; that the nearest agency station to the west is at Eynes, a distance of 3.1 miles, and to the east, at Los Angeles, a distance of 8.8 miles; that interested shippers and receivers of freight have been interviewed by applicant and have expressed their approval of the proposed agency abandonment, and that in applicant's opinion the continued maintenance of the agency is not necessary for the business of applicant or for the public.

It appearing that a public hearing is not necessary herein, and that the application should be granted,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Union Pacific Railroad Company is hereby authorized to abandon its agency service at its station of Workman, located on the San Pedro Branch in Los Angeles County,

and to change its station records and tariffs accordingly, subject to the following conditions:

- (1) Applicant shall give not less than 10 days' notice to the public of said agency abandonment by posting notice at said station.
- (2) Applicant shall, within 30 days thereafter, notify this Commission in writing of the abandonment of facilities authorized herein, and of its compliance with the conditions hereof.
- (3) The authorization herein granted shall lapse and become void if not exercised within one year from the date hereof, unless further time is granted by subsequent order.

The authority herein granted shall become effective on the date hereof.

Dated, San Francisco, California, this 12th day of
December, 1944.

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