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BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of Southern Pacific Company, first, for permission to discontinue the operation of passenger trains Nos. 7 and 8 between Dunsmuir and California-Oregon State Line near Hilt, California, ) Application No. 24690 and second, to discontinue all regular passenger service between Black Butte, California, and the California-Oregon State Line near Hilt, California.

BY THE COMMISSION:

## <u>order</u>

In this application, which was filed on January 7, 1942, Southern Pacific Company requested permission to abandon certain passenger trains between Dunsmuir and California-Oregon State Line near Hilt, these trains being the only passenger trains operated over that portion of the line between Black Butte and the state line. Because of the war emergency authority for the abandonment sought was granted through other means and is now in effect for the duration of the war. Under these circumstances it appears desirable to dismiss the present application without prejudice thereby permitting applicant to renew its request at such time as the emergency authority expires, therefore,

Good Cause Appearing, IT IS ORDERED that Application No. 24690 is dismissed without prejudice.

64 day (Mansie), California, this \_ Dated at > or <u>March</u>, 1945. U.L. • 0 OMMISSI ONERS

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