

Decision No. 40050

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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In the Matter of Application of)
SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY for an)
order authorizing the construction)
at grade of three railroad indus-)
trial drill tracks across Santa)
Clara-Alviso Road, in the County)
of Santa Clara, State of California.)

Amended Application No. 28202

O R D E R

Southern Pacific Company is authorized to construct one drill track at grade across Santa Clara-Alviso Road near Santa Clara, Santa Clara County, at the location referred to and described in the application as "Crossing No. 2 Track A", to be identified as Crossing No. L-44.7-C. Applicant shall bear entire construction and maintenance expense. Construction of said crossing 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 street now graded, with tops of rails flush with roadway, and with grades of approach not exceeding one per cent. Protection shall be by two Standard No. 8 crossing signals (G. O. No. 75-B.) Plans and description of method of operation of said signals shall be filed with the Commission prior to installation. Pending the installation of said signals but for a period not in excess of six months from the date of this order applicant may operate trains over said crossing provided all trains or cars are brought to a full stop before passing over the crossing and traffic on the highway is protected by a flagman.

If and when this Commission finds that public convenience or safety requires that the highway and railroad grades be separated at this crossing applicant shall bear the entire cost thereof.

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.

Application No. 28202 in so far as it pertains to "Crossing No. 1" and "Crossing No. 2 Track B" as referred to in said application, is dismissed without prejudice.

This order shall be effective on the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco California, March 11 1947

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COMMISSIONERS