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Decision No. 48123

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the matter of application of ) SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY and THE ) ATCHISON, TOPEKA AND SANTA FE ) RAILWAY COMPANY for an order ) authorizing the construction at ) grade of a spur track in and across) Eighth Street in the City of ) Richmond, County of Contra Costa, ) State of California. )

Application No. 33962

## ORDER

Southern Pacific Company and The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company are authorized to construct a spur track at grade across a portion of Eighth Street in the City of Richmond, Contra Costa County, at the location described in the application. Applicants shall bear entire construction and maintenance expense.

It is alleged that the portion of Eighth Street in which the trackage is to be constructed is not at present open to public use and travel, and this order is not to be deemed authority for such opening.

Within thirty days after completion pursuant to this order, applicants 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.

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The industry has requested immediate construction of spur trackage to serve its requirements; therefore, the effective date of this order shall be the date hereof.

Dated at fam Thencisco, California, this 6-Jan day of 195<u>3</u>

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