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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of PACIFIC ELECTRIC RAILWAY COMPANY, a corporation, and J. L. HAUGH for authority to sell and lease certain passenger operative certificates and certain passenger facilities used in connection therewith.

Application No. 34249

In the Matter of the Application of METROPOLITAN COACH LINES, a corporation, for authority to issue stock, notes and debentures to pay for the passenger stage properties of Pacific Electric Railway, and for additional equipment.

Application No. 34402

ORDER DISMISSING PETITION FOR REHEARING

Under date of August 13, 1953 the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen and a number of other labor organizations filed their petition for rehearing respecting Decision No. 48923 issued by the Commission August 4, 1953 in the above-entitled application proceedings. Since the filing of said petition for rehearing the parties to said proceedings have filed therein the following stipulation, the pertinent provisions of which are as follows:

"The parties hereto, being the applicants, and those protestants petitioning for a rehearing from Decision No. 48923, dated August 4, 1953, by and through their respective attorneys, agree as follows:

"1. That agreements have been reached between applicants and labor organizations (said protestants herein), represented by the undersigned, providing for the protection of employees affected by the sale, lease and transfer authorized by Decision No. 48923, and as such Decision may be subsequently modified or amended, copies of which agreements are filed herewith.

"2. That the Public Utilities Commission is requested to make and enter its order ex parts finding that said protective agreements make reasonable provision and provide reasonable protection for such employees affected by such sale, lease and transfer.

"3. That, upon the making and entering of such order by this Commission, these protestants withdraw their Petition for Rehearing previously filed herein on August 13, 1953." Upon consideration of this stipulation and the record in these proceedings, we are of the opinion that the agreements referred to in said stipulation make reasonable protection for the employees of the applicants affected by the sale, lease and transfer of public utility properties authorized by said Decision No. 48923.

Therefore, it is ordered that said petition for rehearing be and the same is hereby dismissed.

This decision is effective the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, September 15th, 1953.

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