

**ORIGINAL**

Decision No. 49739

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of )  
SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY for authority )  
to (a) abandon its Class "A" non-agency )  
Station of Arena, in the County of )  
Merced, State of California, and (b) )  
abandon and remove the station facil- )  
ities and a spur track approximately )  
1141 feet in length located at said )  
non-agency station. )

Application No. 35002

O R D E R

The verified application of Southern Pacific Company filed on December 30, 1953, discloses that the amount of passenger and freight business transacted at applicant's station of Arena during the past two years no longer warrants its continued maintenance.

Good cause appearing, Southern Pacific Company is authorized to abandon its Class "A" non-agency station of Arena, County of Merced; to remove a spur track of approximately 1141 feet in length and station facilities at said station; to eliminate said name from its station records; and to cancel all tariffs and time schedules applying at said station on not less than five days' notice to the Commission and the public.

Within thirty days after abandonment and removal of the facilities as authorized herein, applicant shall so notify the Commission in writing. This authorization shall become void if not exercised within one year, unless time be extended. The effective date of this order shall be twenty days after the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of March, 1954.

A. J. [Signature]  
President  
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Commissioners