

Decision No. 49961

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of the State of California,  
Department of Public Works, for an order  
authorizing the partial closing of an  
existing crossing at grade to vehicular  
traffic, and the construction of two  
crossings at separated grades between  
the tracks of The Western Pacific Rail-  
road Company and the tracks of the Southern  
Pacific Company and State Route IV-Ala-  
228-A, in Alameda County, sometimes  
referred to as "Clark Avenue Overhead" and  
"Kent Avenue Overhead", respectively.

Application No. 35252

O R D E R

The State of California, Department of Public Works is authorized to construct two crossings at separated grades over the tracks of the Southern Pacific Company and the tracks of The Western Pacific Railroad Company by State Route IV-Ala-228-A at mile posts 17.7 and 18.3, respectively, near San Lorenzo, Alameda County, at the locations shown on Exhibits "A", "B" and "C" attached to the application, to be identified as Crossings Nos. D-17.7-A and 4-18.3-A, respectively. Crossing No. 4-18.3 (Kent Avenue) shall be closed to vehicular traffic but shall be kept open for pedestrian traffic as shown on the aforesaid Exhibits "A", "B" and "C" attached to the application, to be identified as Crossing No. 4-18.3-D. Construction and maintenance expense shall be borne in accordance with an agreement entered into between the parties relative thereto, and copy of said agreement, together with plans of said crossing approved by Southern Pacific Company and The Western Pacific Railroad Company, shall be filed with the Commission within six months from the date hereof. Should the parties fail to agree, the Commission will apportion the cost of construction and maintenance by further order. Clearances

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shall conform to the provisions of G.O. 26-D.

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 two years, unless time be extended or if conditions are not complied with. The effective date of this order shall be twenty days after the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 20th day of April, 1954.

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Commissioners