

Decision No. 50720**ORIGINAL**

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of the )  
 Board of Supervisors of the County of )  
 Kern, State of California, for an Order )  
 authorizing the construction of a cross- )  
 ing by the County of Kern over the tracks )  
 of the Southern Pacific Company, Oil City )  
 Branch, at Milepost 310.73, Bakersfield, )  
 Kern County, California. )

Application No. 35660

**ORDER**

The County of Kern is authorized to construct a county road at grade across tracks of Southern Pacific Company near Bakersfield, Kern County, at the location described in the application to be identified as Crossing No. BAH-310.7. Applicant shall bear entire construction expense, also maintenance cost outside of lines two feet outside of rails. Southern Pacific Company shall bear maintenance cost between such lines. Width of crossing shall be not less than 30 feet for each two-lane portion of roadway and grades of approach not greater than 3.2 percent. Construction shall be equal or superior to Standard No. 2 of G. O. No. 72. Protection shall be by four Standard No. 8 flashing light signals for the entire four-lane roadway or two flashing light signals for each two-lane roadway. (G. O. No. 75-B).

Upon completion, the Crossing at Milepost 310.71 about 100 feet westerly shall be abandoned and closed. 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. The effective date of this order shall be twenty days after the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 3rd day of November 1954.

Edwin E. Mitchell  
President  
James J. Colwell  
Kenneth Potter  
Gene Higgins  
Rayle Metcalf  
Commissioners