

Decision No. 51597**ORIGINAL**

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of)
 the City of Fresno, State of California,)
 for permission to construct and maintain)
 a public highway crossing at grade)
 across the SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY drill) Application No. 36847
 track at Milepost 206.875, as shown on)
 Southern Pacific drawing A-8966 dated)
 January 18, 1955, at its intersection)
 with Townsend Avenue in the City of)
 Fresno.)

ORDER

The City of Fresno is authorized to construct Townsend Avenue at grade across a track of Southern Pacific Company in the City of Fresno, Fresno County, at the location described in the application to be identified as Crossing No. BS-206:87-C. 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 twenty-six feet and grades of approach not greater than three percent. Construction shall be equal or superior to Standard No. 2 of General Order No. 72. Protection shall be by two Standard No. 1 crossing signs (General Order No. 75-B) reflectorized with reflex-reflective sheet material.

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. Applicant

alleges that industries in the area desire construction as soon as possible and asks that the authorization requested be made effective immediately.

Therefore, the effective date of this order shall be the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 21st day of June, 1955.

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President

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Commissioners