

The franchise referred to, a copy of which is attached to the application and designated Exhibit "A", was granted by the city in accordance with the Franchise Act of 1937 (Division 3, Chapter 2, California Public Utilities Code), was effective 30 days after October 17, 1956, and is of indeterminate duration. A fee will be payable annually equivalent to two per cent of the gross annual receipts arising from the use, operation or possession of said franchise, but not less than one per cent of the gross annual receipts from the sale of electricity within the limits of the city pursuant to the franchise.

The applicant's witness stated that the costs incurred in obtaining the franchise are \$10.90, exclusive of the costs incident to this application which amount to \$53.80 and include \$50.00 for filing the application with the Commission and \$3.80 for publication of notice of the hearing thereon. Prior to the incorporation of the City of Dairy Valley, he said, the applicant had served the area, which was Los Angeles County territory, since 1933 pursuant to county franchises, and public convenience and necessity require the continuation of electric service therein by the applicant which is the only electrical corporation serving the area. In addition, he said the franchise granted by Ordinance No. 30 of the City of Dairy Valley more definitely establishes and extends applicant's franchise rights in said city, and the possession, ownership and exercise of said franchise by applicant will be of value to the applicant in rendering service to the public within the city, and in connection with continuing to qualify the outstanding bonds of the applicant and effecting

qualification of future issues of bonds as legal investments in states having laws relating to the qualification of bonds of public utility companies.

As of December 31, 1956, applicant served approximately 1,450 customers in the City of Dairy Valley and had a gross revenue from all services in the city during the year 1956 of \$145,850. It will annually pay the city approximately \$1,458 under the terms of the franchise, based on its 1956 revenues.

Upon the record herein the Commission finds that public convenience and necessity require the exercise by the applicant of the rights, privileges, and franchise granted to the applicant by the City of Dairy Valley Ordinance No. 30. The certificate of public convenience and necessity herein granted is subject to the following provisions of law:

1. That the Commission shall have no power to authorize the capitalization of the franchise involved herein or this certificate of public convenience and necessity or the right to own, operate or enjoy such franchise or certificate of public convenience and necessity for any amount of money in excess of the amount (exclusive of any tax or annual charge) actually paid to the state or to a political subdivision thereof as the consideration for the grant of such franchise, certificate of public convenience and necessity or right.
2. That the franchise involved herein shall never be given any value before any court or other public authority in any proceeding of any character in excess of the cost to the grantee of the necessary publication and any other sum paid by it to the municipality therefor at the time of the acquisition thereof.

O R D E R

The above-entitled application having been filed, a public hearing having been held thereon, the matter having been submitted, and the Commission having made the foregoing finding and based upon said finding,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Southern California Edison Company, a corporation, be and it is hereby granted a certificate that public convenience and necessity require the exercise by it of the rights, privileges, and franchise granted to it by Ordinance No. 30 of the City of Dairy Valley, State of California, which ordinance was adopted on the 17th day of October, 1956, by the City Council of said city.

The effective date of this order shall be twenty days after the date hereof.

Dated at Los Angeles, California, this 30th day of April, 1957.

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Commissioners