

Decision No. 55743

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application)
of City of Long Beach, a municipal)
corporation, for the demolition of)
an existing wooden structure over)
the Pacific Electric Railway Com-)
pany's tracks and for the con-)
struction of a reinforced concrete)
structure over said tracks at the)
same location, said structure to)
be principally within the City of)
Long Beach, County of Los Angeles,)
State of California.)

Application No. 39315

O R D E R

The City of Long Beach is authorized to replace the existing wooden highway bridge with a reinforced concrete grade separation structure at California Avenue over the Newport Line of Pacific Electric Railway Company, identified as Crossing No. 6E-18.12-A. Said new structure shall be constructed in the manner described in the application as amended October 3, 1957, and at the location as shown in Exhibits "A", "B", and "C" attached thereto. Construction and maintenance expenses shall be borne in accordance with agreement attached to the application as Exhibit "E" between applicant, the City of Signal Hill, and Pacific Electric Railway Company.

During demolition of the present bridge and construction of the new grade separation, applicant is temporarily authorized to deviate from the clearances prescribed by General Order No. 26-D to the extent of a side impairment of 7' 9" from the center line of track, and Pacific Electric Railway Company is authorized to

operate past the impaired clearance provided it issues appropriate bulletins to affected employees, advising them of said impaired conditions and forbidding them from riding on the tops or sides of cars while operating under the structure.

Within thirty days after completion pursuant to this order, applicant shall so advise the Commission in writing. This authorization shall expire if not exercised within two years, 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 City of Long Beach has informed the Commission of its plans to proceed immediately with this work and has requested a waiver of the 20-day clause. The effective date of this order is therefore the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 28th day of October, 1957.

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President
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Commissioners