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Decision No. 60212

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of the State of California, Department of Public Works, for an order authorizing construction of two crossings at separated grades whereby State Highway Route X-Mer-4-A,Mer,C will cross over the El Paso mainline track of the Southern Pacific Company in Merced County, sometimes referred to as "East Merced Overhead" and "West Merced Overhead".

Application No. 41844

<u>order</u>

The State of California, Department of Public Works, is authorized to construct State Highway Route X-Mer-4-A,Mer,C (U.S. 99) at separated grades over the track of the Southern Pacific Company in the City of Merced and vicinity, Merced County, at the two locations as shown by map (Exhibit B) attached to the application, to be identified as East Merced Overhead, Crossing No. B-151.4-A, and West Merced Overhead, Crossing No. B-149.0-A. Construction and maintenance expense shall be borne in accordance with an agreement to be entered into between the parties relative thereto, and copy of said agreement, together with plans of said crossing approved by the Southern Pacific Company, shall be filed with the Commission within 180 days from the date hereof. Should the parties fail to agree, the Commission will apportion the cost of construction and maintenance by further order. Clearances shall conform to the provisions of General Order 26-D.

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 three years unless time

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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 1/2000 $\left(\right)$ day of___ , 1960. 0 -[] Commissioners