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Decision No. 61039

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY for authority to abandon its Class "A" non-agency Station of Homestead, in the County of Modoc, State of California, to eliminate station reference of Homestead from the Timetable and other records and to cancel all tariffs to and from said Station.

Application No. 42698

<u>ORDER</u>

The verified application of Southern Pacific Company filed on September 26, 1960, discloses that no passenger or freight business has been transacted at applicant's station of Homestead, Modoc County, during the past two years and that continued maintenance thereof is not necessary.

Notice of the application has been given to various parties thought to be interested and no protests have been received. A public hearing does not appear to be necessary.

It being found that public convenience and necessity no longer require the maintenance of such service, Southern Pacific Company is authorized to abandon its non-agency station of Homestead, County of Modoc; to eliminate said name from its station records; and to cancel all tariffs and time schedules applying at said station on not less than five days' notice to the Commission and the public. Such tariff changes shall quote this decision number as the requisite authority. This order shall not be construed as authorization to increase rates or charges.

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Within thirty days after abandonment as authorized herein, applicant shall so notify the Commission in writing. This authorization shall expire if not exercised within one year, unless time be extended. The effective date of this order shall be twenty days after the date hereof.

Dated at ______ San Francisco _____, California, this ______ day NOVEMBER , 1960. of TOK ** ommissioners