

Decision No. 61973

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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 a
crossing at separated grades whereby
State Route V-SB-236-A,B will be carried
over the tracks of the Southern Pacific
Company in Santa Barbara County, some-
times referred to as the "East Goleta
Separation & Overhead".

Application No. 43104

O R D E R

State of California, Department of Public Works, is authorized to construct State Route 236 at separated grades over Southern Pacific Company's Coast Route, near the community of Goleta, Santa Barbara County, at the location described and in the manner as shown in the application to be identified as Crossing No. E-363.2-A.

Clearances shall not be less than those specified in General Order No. 26-D except that during the period of construction applicant is authorized to create impaired clearances of 20 feet above top of rail and Southern Pacific Company is authorized to operate with such temporary impaired clearance condition provided it issue appropriate bulletins to train and engine crews advising them of the impaired clearance and forbidding them to ride on the tops of cars while operating beneath the structure.

Construction and maintenance costs shall be borne in accordance with an agreement to be entered into between the parties and a copy of said executed agreement, together with plans approved

by the railroad, shall be filed with the Commission prior to commencement of construction. Should the parties fail to agree, the Commission will apportion the costs by further order.

Within thirty days after completion of the separation structure, pursuant to the 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 effective date of this order shall be twenty days after the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 9th day of MAY, 1961.

Charles W. Page
 President

George L. Trimmer
 Commissioner

Frederick B. Holbrook
 Commissioners