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Decision No. _____

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 county
road grade crossings over the tracks of
Southern Pacific Company, in connection
with the improvement of State Highway
V-Mon-2-C, Gnz, in Monterey County.

} Application No. 43364

ORDER

State of California, Department of Public Works, is authorized to construct two public crossings, at grade, of proposed county roads over tracks of Southern Pacific Company in connection with the proposed improvement of State Route 2 (U.S. 101) near the City of Gonzales in the County of Monterey subject to provisions herein, the crossings being located as described in Exhibits "A" and "B" of the above numbered application with one grade crossing to be located northerly of the City of Gonzales at railroad Milepost 133.44 and one southerly at railroad Milepost 136.58. These grade crossings shall be identified as Crossing No. E-133.4 and Crossing No. E-136.6, respectively.

Protection at each crossing shall be by two Standard No. 8 flashing light signals (G.O. No. 75-B). Grades of approach shall be not more than 5.3 percent and width of each crossing shall be not less than 24 feet. Construction of the grade crossings shall be equal or superior to Standard No. 2 (General Order No. 72.)

Upon completion of Crossing No. E-133.4, located northerly of Gonzales, the private grade crossing at approximately railroad

Milepost 132.8, shall be abolished by physical closing by Southern Pacific Company. Upon completion of Crossing No. E-136.6, the private grade crossings to the south of Gonzales at approximately railroad Mileposts 137.2 and 138.1, respectively, shall be abolished by physical closing by Southern Pacific Company.

Expense of construction, maintenance and abolishment shall be borne in accordance with an agreement now being negotiated between the parties involved and copy of said agreement shall be filed with the Commission within 180 days from the date hereof. Should the parties fail to agree, the Commission will apportion such costs by subsequent order.

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 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, 18th day of July 1961.

Charles H. Page
 President

John E. H. ...

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George L. ...

Fredrick B. ...
 Commissioners