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Decision No. <u>\$5640</u>

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 over the track of the )
Southern Pacific Company, in connection )
with the improvement of State Route )
V-SLO-56-E, in San Luis Obispo County, )
referred to as "Oceano Overhead".

Application No. 44859

## ORDER

State of California, Department of Public Works, is hereby authorized to construct State Route 56 at separated grades over the tracks of Southern Pacific Company, near Oceano, San Luis Obispo County, at the location and substantially as shown in the application, to be identified as Crossing No. E-265.56-A. Construction and maintenance expense shall be borne in accordance with an agreement entered into between the parties relative thereto, and copy of said agreement, together with plans of said crossing approved by 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 be in accordance with requirements of General Order No. 26-D, except that during the period of construction of the new structure, a clearance of 21'0" above top of rail is authorized provided that Southern Pacific Company issue appropriate bulletins to train and enginemen advising them of the temporarily impaired clearance conditions and forbidding trainmen to ride on tops of cars while operating beneath the structure.

Upon commencement of construction of the grade separation authorized herein, the existing grade separation No. E-265.6-A, shall be abolished by physical closing and removal.

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 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 2 nd day of July, 1963.

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Frederick B. Holshaff

Commissioners