

ORIGINAL

Decision No. 68851

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of
SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY for an order
authorizing the construction at grade
of an industrial spur track across
Fifth Avenue in the City of Gustine,
County of Merced, State of California.)

Application No. 47427

O R D E R

The Southern Pacific Company is hereby authorized to relocate an existing spur track at grade across Fifth Avenue in the City of Gustine, in Merced County, at the location described in the application, to be identified as a portion of Crossing No. BA-123.8. Construction of said crossing shall be equal or superior to Standard No. 2 of General Order No. 72, without superelevation and of a width to conform to the portion of the avenue now graded, with tops of rails flush with the roadway and with grades of approach not exceeding five percent. Protection shall be by two existing Standard No. 8 flashing light signals (General Order No. 75-B). Applicant shall bear entire construction and maintenance expense.

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 one year 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 industry to be served has stated it is in need of immediate rail service.

The effective date of this order shall be the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 6th day of April, 1965.

Frederic B. Holcomb
President
John E. ...
George T. ...
William ...
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Commissioners