Decision No. 70934

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of The Atchison. Topeka) and Santa Fe Railway Company, a corporation, for authority to relocate, maintain and operate one spur track across Topeka Avenue in Monmouth, County of Fresno, State of California.

Application No. 48180

ORDER

The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company is hereby authorized to relocate a spur track at grade across Topeka. Avenue near Monmouth in Fresno County, at the location described in the application identified as Crossing No. 2-985.3-C. 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 2 percent. Protection shall be by two Standard No. 1 crossing signs (General Order No. 75-B) reflectorized with reflex-reflective sheet material. 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.

Applicant alleges that the industry to be served by the crossing is in urgent need of rail service.

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

Dated at San Francisco, California, this / of

day of JULY, 1966.

Commissioners

Commissioner Killiam M. Bennett, being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.