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Decision No. 74550

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of the County of Santa Clara State of California, for an order authorizing the construction of a grade separated crossing on Bailey Avenue at Central Expressway over the tracks of the Southern Pacific Company in connection with the Improvement of Central Expressway in Santa Clara County. <u>O R D E R</u>

County of Santa Clara is hereby authorized to construct a crossing at separated grades of Bailey Avenue over the tracks of Southern Pacific Company in Mountain View, County of Santa Clara, at the location and substantially as shown by plans (Exhibits B, C and D) attached to the application, to be identified as Crossing No. E-35.6-A. Construction and maintenance expense shall be borne in accordance with an agreement to be 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 conform to the provisions of General Order No. 26-D.

The grade separation project of Bailey Avenue has been established as priority No. 10 by Decision No. 73511 in Case No. 8664 pursuant to Statutes 1957, Chapter 2091, Amended Statutes 1959, Chapter 1763.

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Upon the opening to traffic of the overpass structure, the existing grade crossing of Bailey Avenue (Crossing No. E-35.6) shall be abandoned and closed to public use and travel.

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 <u>San Francisco</u>, California, this <u>13 th</u> day of <u>AllGUST</u>, 1968.

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

Commissioner Fred P. Morrissey, being necessarily absort. did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.