

Decision No. 76506

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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)	Application No. 51431
of an industrial spur track in, upon )	(Filed October 20, 1969)
and across Avenue 304 in the City of )	
Goshen, County of Tulare, State of )	
California. )	

ORDER

Southern Pacific Company is hereby authorized to construct an industrial spur track at grade across Goshen Avenue (Avenue 304) in Tulare County, at the location described in the application, to be identified as a portion of Crossing No. B-239.9. 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 two percent. Protection shall be by two Standard No. 3 flashing light signals (General Order No. 75-B) augmented with automatic gate arms, pursuant to an agreement between the parties, or if parties fail to agree, by further order of the Commission.

This spur track is to be added to the existing crossing of Goshen Avenue which is scheduled to be widened by the County of Tulare in 1970. The interim protection may be by two existing Standard No. 3 wigwag signals (General Order No. 75-B) for a period not to extend beyond December 31, 1970. Applicant shall bear entire construction and maintenance expense of this spur track and interim protection.

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 has informed the Commission that the industry to be served by this industrial spur track desires immediate service. The effective date of this order shall be the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this fourth day of DECEMBER, 1969.

William Lyons Jr.  
 President

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 Commissioners

