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Decision No. 77298

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of the State of California }  
 Department of Public Works for an order }  
 authorizing the alteration of existing }  
 grade crossing, CFA-404.4, located on }  
 State Route 395 and Southern Pacific }  
 Transportation Company's track between }  
 Termo and Ravendale, in Lassen County. }

Application No. 51728  
 (Filed February 24, 1970)

O R D E R

The State of California Department of Public Works is hereby authorized to relocate the crossing of State Route 395 at grade with a track of Southern Pacific Transportation Company, the relocated crossing to be identified as Crossing No. CFA-404.5, near Termo, Lassen County, as described and substantially as shown in the application. Width of crossing shall be not less than 56 feet and grades of approach not greater than one percent. Construction shall be equal or superior to Standard No. 2 of General Order No. 72. Protection shall be by two Standard No. 8 flashing light signals (General Order No. 75-B) supplemented with additional lights on cantilever arms and augmented with automatic gate arms.

Construction expense of the crossing shall be borne in accordance with an agreement entered into between the parties or, if they fail to agree, by further order of the Commission. Maintenance cost of the crossing outside of lines two feet outside of rails shall be borne by applicant. Southern Pacific Transportation Company shall bear maintenance cost of the crossing between such lines.

Installation cost of the automatic crossing protection may be by agreement between the parties or, if they fail to agree, by further order of the Commission.

Maintenance cost of the automatic protection shall be apportioned equally between the applicant and the railroad and the liability of the public agency to pay its share shall be limited to funds set aside for allocation to the Commission pursuant to Section 1231.1 of the Public Utilities Code.

Upon completion, the existing Crossing No. CFA-404.4 located about 200 feet southerly shall be abandoned and closed.

The relocated crossing shall not be opened to public use until the protection ordered herein is installed and operative.

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 two years 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 effective date of this order shall be twenty days after the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 3rd  
day of JUNE, 1970.

William Lyons, Jr.  
President

Vernon L. Stinson  
Commissioners

Commissioner J. P. Vukasin, Jr., being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.