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## PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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File Number: XREQ2017100011TE Lemon Street & Santa Ana City of Anaheim, County of Orange

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## SENT VIA EMAIL

Re: Time Extension Request for General Order 88-B for Authorization to Alter the Lemon Street & Santa Ana Street At-Grade Highway-Rail Crossing, CPUC Number 001BK-510.10 and DOT Number 761149N in the City of Anaheim, County of Orange.

Mr. Tom:

This refers to your letter (letter), received by us on January 29, 2021, requesting an extension of time to comply with the provisions of the California Public Utilities Commission (Commission) General Order (GO) 88-B approval letter XREQ2017100011 issued on October 26, 2017. XREQ201710011 authorized the alteration of the existing Lemon Street & Santa Ana at-grade highway-rail crossing (crossing) of the Union Pacific Railroad's (UPRR) Los Nieto Subdivision Patata Industrial Lead tracks, in the City of Anaheim (City), County of Orange.

The original authorization was granted on October 26, 2017. The project encountered delays from UPRR due to unforeseen circumstances and staff changes, therefore delaying the anticipated construction date. UPRR is requesting a time extension to complete the construction.

The Commission's Rail Crossing and Engineering Branch (RCEB) investigated the time extension request and finds that there has been no substantial change in circumstances since the granting of the original authority. Since the City and UPRR are in agreement and have no objection to the requested time extension, you may proceed with the alterations with a three-year time extension. This authorization shall expire on October 26, 2023.

UPRR must ensure that Emergency Notification Systems signs are installed to comply with CFR 234.309.

Within 30 days after completion of this project, the City shall notify RCEB that the authorized work is completed by submitting a completed Commission Standard Form G titled, Report of Changes at Highway Grade Crossings and Separation. Form G requirements and forms can be obtained at the CPUC website at <a href="https://www.cpuc.ca.gov/crossings">https://www.cpuc.ca.gov/crossings</a>. This report may be submitted electronically to <a href="mailto:reeb@cpuc.ca.gov">reeb@cpuc.ca.gov</a>. In all other respects, the approval letter issued on October 26, 2017, shall remain in full force and effect.

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Should the work not be completed by October 26, 2023, RCEB will require a new GO 88-B request for the crossing modifications. If you have any questions, please contact Howard Huie at (415) 308-0533 or <a href="https://hkh@cpuc.ca.gov">hkh@cpuc.ca.gov</a>.

Sincerely,

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