CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY

At a Session of the INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION, Division 4, held at its office in Washington, D. C., on the 24th day of January, A. D. 1939.

Finance Docket No. 12236

BOSTON & MAINE RAILROAD ABANDONMENT

Investigation of the matters and things involved in this proceeding having been made, and said division having, on the date hereof, made and filed a report containing its findings of fact and conclusions thereon, which report is hereby referred to and made a part hereof:

It is hereby certified, That the present and future public convenience and necessity permit abandonment by the Boston and Maine Railroad of the portion of a branch line of railroad in Middlesex and Essex Counties, Mass., described in the application and report aforesaid.

It is ordered, That this certificate shall take effect and be in force from and after 30 days from its date. Tariffs applicable to the line in question may be canceled upon notice to this Commission and to the general public by not less than 10 days' filing and posting in the manner prescribed in section 5 of the Interstate Commerce Act.

It is further ordered, That the Boston and Maine Railroad,

when filing schedules canceling tariffs applicable on said line of railroad, shall in such schedules refer to this certificate by title, date, and docket number.

And it is further ordered, That the Boston and Maine Railroad shall report to this Commission as required by valuation order No. 24, effective May 15, 1928.

By the Commission, division 4.

(SEAL.)

W. P. BARTEL,

Secretary.