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BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

ORIGINAL

In the Matter of the Application of  
THE PACIFIC TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH  
COMPANY,

Application No. 3157.

a corporation, for an order of the  
Railroad Commission of the State of  
California granting it a certificate  
that public convenience and necessity  
require the exercise by it of the  
rights and privileges conferred upon  
it under the franchise granted it by  
the City of Orange by Ordinance No.  
86 on May 13, 1912.

BY THE COMMISSION:

ORDER

THE PACIFIC TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY having  
applied to this Commission for a certificate declaring that  
public convenience and necessity require the exercise by it  
of the franchise privileges conferred by Ordinance No. 86  
of the City of Orange attached to the application herein and  
marked "Exhibit A," which ordinance grants to said company,  
its successors and assigns, the right to place, erect and  
maintain poles, wires and other appliances and conductors  
for the transmission of electricity for telephone and tele-  
graph purposes, in and upon the streets, alleys, avenues,  
thoroughfares and public highways, in the City of Orange,

State of California, and to exercise the privilege of operating telephone and telegraph instruments and of doing a telephone and telegraph business within said city of Orange; and the Commission being of the opinion that this is not a case in which a public hearing is necessary and that the application should be granted,--

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that said application be, and the same is hereby granted; provided, that neither said applicant, its successors nor assigns, shall ever claim before this Commission, or any other public body, a value for said franchise for rate fixing or other purposes in excess of the amount actually paid to the city of Orange as the consideration for the grant of such franchise, which amount appears from the application to be \$1,000.00

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 17th day of December, 1917.

Max Thelen  
H. S. Rowland  
Edwin O. Edgerton  
Frank P. Wilson  
Commissioners.