Decision No. 19052

HEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of THE PACIFIC TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY, a corporation, for permission to place in effect correct rates for toll service at Carbondale, Amador County, California.

Application No. 21892

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BY THE COMMISSION:

OPINION AND ORDER

In this application The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company requests authority to modify its rates for toll telephone service between Carbondale, Amador County, and certain other California toll rate points.

It is asserted in the application that the irregularities in the schedules are due to the incorrect showing of Carbondale on the United States Post Route Map with resulting incorrect air-line measurements used in the computation of rates for ten toll routes. The charges will be increased five cents per message over five of these routes, and decreased five cents per message over the other five routes. The revenue effect of the requested changes is negligible. Application of the correct rates is required so that equitable and nondiscriminatory rates and charges between toll points may be maintained on the basis of the toll rate plan effective throughout applicant's service territory.

The Commission has given consideration to this application and is of the opinion that the request should be granted, and that this is a matter in which a public hearing is not required, therefore

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company shall:

- (1) Correct its interexchange telephone rate schedules applicable to messages to and from Carbondale toll station as shown in Exhibit "B" attached to the application, effective on or before July 1, 1938.
- (2) Submit to the Railroad Commission for filing in accordance with General Order No. 68, the inter-exchange rates referred to in (1) above not later than ten (10) days immediately preceding their effective date.

For all other purposes the effective date of this Order shall be (20) days from and after the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 16th day of Mon 1938.

Commissioners