

ORIGINAL

Decision No. 47792

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application
of THE PACIFIC TELEPHONE AND
TELEGRAPH COMPANY, a corporation,
and CALIFORNIA WATER & TELEPHONE
COMPANY, a corporation, for author-
ity for THE PACIFIC TELEPHONE AND
TELEGRAPH COMPANY to sell certain
telephone facilities to CALIFORNIA
WATER & TELEPHONE COMPANY.)

) Application No. 33727

OPINION AND ORDER

By this application The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company seeks authority to sell for \$3,200 to the California Water & Telephone Company certain toll line terminating and trunk circuit equipment owned by Pacific Company and located in the Beaumont office, Riverside County, of California Company. The property which Pacific Company proposes to sell is described in the proposed bill of sale attached to the application as Exhibit "A."

The application shows that California Water & Telephone Company has agreed to a cash payment of \$3,200 for the property which amount represents the current cost thereof less allowance for observed depreciation. The original book cost of said facilities is stated in the amount of \$4,248.17.

It appears from the applications that the proposed sale is desirable in that it will enable Pacific Company to avoid future equipment, maintenance, and installation problems in the Beaumont office of California Water & Telephone Company and it will permit conformity with the system of ownership at other locations served by California Company.

The Commission has considered this matter and is of the opinion that a public hearing thereon is not necessary; that the transfer will not be adverse to the public interest; and that the application should be granted, as herein provided; therefore,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, after the effective date hereof, and on or before December 3, 1952, may sell the property described in the proposed bill of sale attached to the application as Exhibit "A" to California Water & Telephone Company pursuant to the terms of said proposed bill of sale, subject to the following conditions:

1. Applicants shall; within thirty (30) days thereafter, notify this Commission in writing of the date of such completion of the property transfer herein authorized.
2. The action taken herein shall not be construed to be a finding of value of the property herein authorized to be transferred.

The effective date of this order shall be twenty (20) days after the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 7th day of October, 1952.

R. J. [Signature]
President.

Justin J. [Signature]

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Commissioners.