Decision No. 60015

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

ARTHUR P. HARMON,

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Complainant,

vs.

Case No. 6453

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THE PACIFIC TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY, a corporation

Defendant.

## ORDER GRANTING TEMPORARY INTERIM RELIEF

ARTHUR P. HARMON of 3421 South Central Avenue, Los Angeles, California, having filed a verified complaint, alleging in substance that prior to February 1960, complainant was a subscriber and user of telephone service furnished by defendant under number ADams 3-9267 at said address; that sometime during February 1960 the telephone facilities of complainant were removed and disconnected by the defendant pursuant to instructions from the Los Angeles Police Department; that complainant was arrested on a charge of suspicion of violation of Section 337a of the Penal Code, but subsequently released; that complainant has not used and does not now intend to use said telephone facilities as instrumentalities to violate the law nor in aiding or abetting such violation; that complainant has made demand upon defendant to restore the said telephone facilities, but defendant has. refused to do so; that complainant has suffered and will continue to suffer irreparable injury to his reputation and will suffer great hardship if deprived of said telephone facilities; that complainant is the proprietor of a barber shop located at said address and it is imperative that complainant have continuous

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telephone service for the proper conduct of his barber shop; that complainant's wife is physically ill and that telephone facilities are needed for communications between them.

IT IS ORDERED that The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company is hereby directed to restore telephone service to complainant pending hearing on said complaint or further Commission order thereon, said service to be furnished pursuant to defendant's filed tariff rates and rules applicable thereto. The complaint will be set for hearing before such Commissioner or Examiner, and at such time and place, as may hereafter be designated.

The Secretary is directed as follows:

- 1. To cause a certified copy of this order. together with a copy of the complaint herein to be served upon The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company and said defendant is directed to serve and file its reply to said complaint within ten (10) days after said service.
- 2. To cause a copy of this order to be mailed to defendant.
- 3. To cause appropriate notice of hearing to be mailed to the parties at least ten (10) days prior to the hearing herein.

San Francisco \_\_, California, this 2/n Th Dated at day of , 1960. 12hi NIN ommissioners

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