

Decision No. S1246**ORIGINAL**

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

FRED CRUMPTON,

Complainant,

vs.

Case No. 7037

THE PACIFIC TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH  
COMPANY, a corporation,

Defendant.

ORDER GRANTING TEMPORARY INTERIM RELIEF

Fred Crumpton of 1410 West 54th Street, Los Angeles, California, having filed a verified complaint alleging in substance that complainant was a subscriber and user of telephone service furnished by defendant under number PL. 8-1715; that on or about December 1, 1960, the telephone facilities of complainant were removed and disconnected by defendant pursuant to instructions from the Los Angeles Police Department, which department caused a John Singleton and Rufus Caesar to be arrested on or about said date on charges of suspicion of violation of Section 337a of the Penal Code; that there were subsequently no complaints filed against John Singleton and Rufus Caesar and the charges were dismissed against them; that complainant did not use and does not now intend to use said telephone facilities as instrumentalities to violate the law or in aiding or abetting such violation; that complainant has made demand upon defendant to have the said telephone facilities restored but defendant has refused to do so; that complainant operates a barber shop at said address; and that complainant has suffered and will continue to suffer irreparable injury and great hardship if deprived of said telephone facilities;

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 within ten (10) days after said service.
2. To cause a copy of this order to be mailed to complainant.
3. To cause appropriate notice of hearing to be mailed to the parties at least ten (10) days prior to the hearing herein.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 28th day  
of December, 1960.

Everett S. Lingo  
President  
John E. Smith  
Matthew Fox  
E. L. Fox  
Theodore Deener  
Commissioners