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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IVORY L. HUNTER,

Complainant, vs. THE PACIFIC TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY, a corporation. Defendant.

Case No. 7429

ORDER GRANTING INTERIM RELIEF

Ivory L. Hunter of 704 East Imperial Highway, Los Angeles 59, California, having filed a verified complaint alleging in substance that complainant was a subscriber and user of telephone service furnished by defendant under number 756-3097; that on or about August 16, 1962 said facilities were removed by defendant pursuant to instructions from the Los Angeles Police Department which department arrested complainant and his wife on charges of violation of Section 337A of the Penal Code; that subsequently no complaints were filed against complainant or his wife and the charges were dismissed; that neither complainant nor his wife have used nor intend to use said facilities to violate the law nor in aiding or abetting such violation; that complainant has demanded restoration of said facilities, but defendant has refused and does now refuse to do so; that complainant has suffered and will continue to suffer irreparable injury to his reputation and great hardship if deprived of said facilities

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in that complainant's employment as a guard requires that he be on twenty-four hour call in case of emergency; and complainant having requested an order directing defendant to restore telephone service pending a hearing on the matter; and good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED that the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company is hereby directed to reconnect and restore telephone service to complainant and to maintain such service pending further Commission order herein, said service to be furnished pursuant to defendant's filed tariff rates and rules applicable thereto. The complaint will be set for hearing before said 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.

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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 _______, California, this 12%

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Commissioner Peter E. Mitchell, being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.

day of SEPTEMBER

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Commissioners