

Decision No. 6521S

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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

CASE NO. 7593

ORDER GRANTING INTERIM RELIEF

CLIFFORD LANGLAND, of 5810 Fulcher Avenue, North Hollywood, California, having filed a verified complaint alleging in substance that prior to March 29, 1963, complainant was a subscriber and user of telephone service furnished by defendant under the number of POplar 3-9584 at said address; that on or about March 29, 1963, said telephone facilities were removed and disconnected by defendant pursuant to instructions from the office of the Sheriff of Los Angeles County; that complainant did not use and does not now intend to use said telephone facilities as instrumentalities to violate the law, nor in aiding or abetting such violations; that complainant has no knowledge of any illegal activities being conducted at said premises or over said telephone facilities; that complainant has made demand upon defendant to have said telephone facilities restored, but defendant has refused and does now still refuse 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 has residing with him his two nieces, ages 5 and 6, his mother age 83, and his sister who has just undergone major surgery and who

must have telephone service in case of emergency; that complainant seeks restoration of said telephone service forthwith; and good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED that The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, a corporation, 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 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, a corporation, 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 16th day of APRIL, 1963.

George H. Hoover
President

Charles W. Steacy

Frederick B. Halehoff

William W. Dennis
Commissioners