

ORIGINAL

Decision No. 66731

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of)	
CALIFORNIA WATER & TELEPHONE COMPANY)	Application No. 45993
for authorization to carry out the)	Filed December 3, 1963
terms of a certain contract.)	

OPINION AND ORDER

Applicant seeks authorization to carry out the terms of paragraph 6 of an agreement attached to the application as Exhibit 1, dated October 31, 1963, for a period of three years, with Sweet Haven Dairy's, Inc. (Sweet Haven), a California corporation, providing for the rate and conditions of service for the furnishing of irrigation water pumped from Sweetwater Lake for the purpose of irrigating the crops planted upon land located within the Sweetwater reservoir area, and leased to Sweet Haven.

Paragraph 6 of the agreement provides that Sweet Haven will pay applicant \$50 per acre-foot for water pumped from Sweetwater Lake for the purpose of irrigating crops planted on the leased land; and that Sweet Haven will install the pump, piping and other equipment necessary to pump irrigation water from the lake, and will pay all costs of operation. Applicant will furnish a meter.

The Commission has considered the request of the applicant and finds (a) that it would not be adverse to the public interest to authorize applicant to carry out the terms of paragraph 6, and (b) that the rate to be charged for irrigation service is fair and reasonable. The Commission concludes that the application should be granted. A public hearing is not necessary.

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. California Water & Telephone Company is hereby authorized to carry out the terms and conditions of paragraph 6 of that certain agreement with Sweet Haven Dairy's, Inc., entered into on October 31, 1963.

2. California Water & Telephone Company shall file with the Commission within thirty days after the effective date of this order, two certified copies of the agreement as executed, together with a statement of the date on which the agreement is deemed to have become effective. ✓

3. California Water & Telephone Company shall notify the Commission of the date of termination of said agreement, within thirty days after such termination.

The effective date of this order shall be the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 14th day of FEBRUARY, 1964.

William B. Beaud
President

George T. Grover

Fredrick B. Halbach
Commissioners

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