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Decision No. \_\_\_\_\_

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

SPURGEON TAYLOR,

Complaint,

vs.

THE PACIFIC TELEPHONE AND  
TELEGRAPH COMPANY, a corporation,

Defendant.

Case No. 7833

ORDER GRANTING INTERIM RELIEF

SPURGEON TAYLOR, of 8927 Menlo Avenue, Los Angeles 44, California, having filed a verified complaint alleging in substance that complainant was a user and subscriber of telephone service furnished by defendant under the number PL 9-1046; that on or about November 7, 1964, the telephone facilities of complainant were removed and disconnected by the defendant pursuant to instructions from the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Office Vice Squad; that the complainant has been tried and the case was dismissed on insufficient evidence; 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 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 great hardship if deprived of said telephone facilities; that complainant's job is on strike and he could have employment if he had telephone service; that complainant is doing odd jobs and needs the use of the telephone in connection with finding work; that complainant's wife is under doctor's care and lack of telephone facilities has worked great hardship on his wife also; that

complainant seeks restoration of said telephone facilities 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 11<sup>th</sup> day of FEBRUARY, 1964.

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*W. H. ...* President  
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*George A. Trover*  
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*Fredrick B. Holdhoff*  
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Commissioners

Commissioner William M. Bennett, being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.

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