

ORIGINALDecision No. 67957

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

ALEXANDER CARR, also known as
 AL CARR, doing business in his
 own name and also under the name
 of ALCARR HOTELS AND APARTMENTS,
 and also under the name of CORTEZ
 HOTEL located at 375 Columbia
 Avenue, Los Angeles, California,

Complainant,

vs.

THE PACIFIC TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH
 COMPANY, a Corporation,

Defendant.

Case No. 8015

ORDER GRANTING INTERIM RELIEF

ALEXANDER CARR, also known as AL CARR, doing business in his own name and also under the name ALCARR HOTELS AND APARTMENTS and also under the name of CORTEZ HOTEL, located at 375 Columbia Avenue, 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 numbers 483-9058 and 483-9163 located in the lobby of the Cortez Hotel, 375 Columbia Avenue, Los Angeles, California; that on or about August 25, 1964, the telephone facilities of complainant were removed and disconnected by the defendant pursuant to instructions from the Police Department of the City of Los Angeles; 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 said violations were by guests of the hotel who without the knowledge of complainant used said facilities for such purpose; 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 said facilities are necessary in the conduct of complainant's business; 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 6th day of October, 1964.

Fredrick B. Holbrook
President
John E. Mitchell
George L. Crover
William L. Bunch

Commissioners

Commissioner Everett C. McKeage, being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.