

Decision No. 68336**ORIGINAL**

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

GERTRUDE ARMSTRONG,

Complainant,

vs.

CASE NO. 8070

PACIFIC TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH
COMPANY, a corporation,

Defendant.

ORDER GRANTING INTERIM RELIEF

GERTRUDE ARMSTRONG, of 1739 O'Farrell Street, San Francisco, California, having filed a verified complaint alleging in substance that prior to November 30, 1964, complainant was a subscriber and user of telephone service furnished by defendant under numbers FI 6-9899, a public telephone with two extensions; and WA 2-1706, a private telephone, both located at 1739 O'Farrell Street, San Francisco; that on or about November 30, 1964, the telephone facilities of complainant were removed and disconnected by defendant pursuant to instructions from the San Francisco Police Department; that complainant has not used and does not now intend to use said telephone facilities as instrumentalities to violate the law nor to aid or abet such violation; that complainant has made demand upon defendant to have the said telephone facilities restored but defendant has refused and still refuses to do so; that complainant has suffered and will continue to suffer irreparable injury to her reputation and to her hotel business conducted at said address under the name of Uptown Hotel from which said telephone facilities were removed; that said facilities are used by complainant for emergencies in case of sickness or fire at the Uptown Hotel; that

complainant seeks restoration of 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 15th day of DECEMBER, 1964.

Fredrick B. Holaluff
President

Robert E. [unclear]

George J. [unclear]

William L. [unclear]
Commissioners