

ORIGINALDecision No. 69418

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

WILLIE ROLAND, JR.,

Complainant,

vs.

Case No. 8224

THE PACIFIC TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH
COMPANY, A CORPORATION,

Defendant.

ORDER GRANTING INTERIM RELIEF

WILLIE ROLAND, JR., of 1519 Oak Street, San Francisco, California, having filed a verified complaint alleging in substance that complainant was a subscriber and user of telephone service furnished by defendant under number 861-6981; that on or about April 1, 1965, the telephone facilities of complainant were removed and disconnected by the defendant pursuant to instructions from the San Francisco Police Department; 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 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 irreparable injury to his reputation and will suffer great hardship if deprived of said telephone facilities; that complainant is a maintenance man and also does outside work other than his regular job; that it is necessary that complainant's customers be able to reach him by telephone to make appointments; that complainant's livelihood depends upon the retention of said telephone service; that it is imperative that complainant have continuous telephone service; 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 21st day of July, 1965.

 President
John E. P. Stokell

William L. Bernard

George H. Hoover

Commissioners

Commissioner Fredorick B. Holoboff, being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.

Commissioner A. W. Gatov, being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.