Decision No. 71118

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

JOHN F. WILVANG,

Complainant,

VS.

PACIFIC TELEPHONE, a corporation,

Defendant.

Case No. 8497

ORDER GRANTING INTERIM RELIEF

JOHN F. WILVANG, of 5007 West 118th Place, Hawthorne, California, having filed a verified complaint alleging in substance that since moving into said address in the early part of May, 1966, complainant was a subscriber and user of telephone service furnished by defendant under the numbers OSborn 6-7617 and SPring 2-5635; that in the latter part of July, 1966, during complainant's absence from his home, and when there was no one present at the house, law enforcement officers entered the house and disconnected said telephone facilities, alleging that said instruments were used to violate, or to aid and abet the violation of the law; 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 is a painter and decorator by trade and is entirely dependent upon the telephones for the increase in his business and his sole means of livelihood in the support and maintenance of his family; 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 personally 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.

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Commissioners

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