

**ORIGINAL**

Decision No. 72131

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

CARL BOWLES,

Complainant,

vs.

PACIFIC TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO.,

Defendant.

Case No. 8248

JOHN L. SALVERSON,

Complainant,

vs.

PACIFIC TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH,

Defendant.

Case No. 8275

EARL W. KING,

Complainant,

vs.

PACIFIC TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH,

Defendant.

Case No. 8282

ORDER GRANTING REHEARING

AND STAYING OPERATIVE EFFECT OF DECISION NO. 71608

A petition for rehearing of Decision No. 71608 having been filed by The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, the Commission having considered said petition, and good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED that rehearing of Decision No. 71608 is hereby granted limited solely to the issue of whether the Marcom Call

Diverter, an automatic telephonic call diverting device, is such an adequate and efficient instrumentality and telephonic facility as is necessary to promote the safety, health, comfort and convenience of petitioner's patrons, employees and the public, said rehearing to be had before such Commissioner or Examiner and at such time and place, as may hereafter be designated.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the effective date of Decision No. 71608 is suspended pending further Commission order herein.

The Secretary is directed to cause appropriate notice of rehearing to be mailed at least ten (10) days before such rehearing.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 7<sup>th</sup> day of MARCH, 1967.

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President

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Commissioners

*I dissent.  
I would have denied  
rehearing and amended order.  
Rogator*

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