Decision No. 73143

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

LELAND L. SCARBOROUGH,

Complainant,

Defendant.

PACIFIC TELEPHONE, a corporation,

vs.

Case No. 8692

ORDER GRANTING INTERIM RELIEF

LELAND L. SCARBOROUGH, of 3417 Larga, Apt. 3, Los Angeles, California, having filed a verified complaint alleging in substance that prior to August 31, 1967, complainant was a subscriber and user of telephone service furnished by defendant under number 665-0574; that on or about August 31, 1967, said telephone facilities were disconnected and removed by law enforcement officers; 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 the said telephone facilities restored, but defendant has refused and does now still refuse to do so; that complainant has suffered from emphysema for several years and has had to give up employment because of this condition; that he frequently has to summon his doctor but that he is now unable to do so; that it is, therefore, imperative that complainant have continuous telephone service; that complainant seeks restoration of said telephone facilities forthwith; and good cause appearing,

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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:

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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.

3. To cause appropriate notice of hearing to be mailed to the parties at least ten (10) days prior to the hearing herein.

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Dated at <u>Ser Provide</u>, California, this $\frac{2/2^{n}}{2}$ day of

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