

Decision No. 73417

**ORIGINAL**

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Suspension and Investigation on the Commission's own motion of tariffs covering the furnishing of Hospital Interphone System Service by The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company. )

Case No. 8663

ORDER EXTENDING PERIOD OF SUSPENSION

On August 4, 1967, the Commission issued an Order of Suspension and Investigation in Case No. 8663, suspending to and including December 4, 1967, the effective date of certain tariff sheets filed under The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company Advice Letter No. 9576. This matter was consolidated for hearing with Case No. 8662, Fisher Berkeley Corporation vs. The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, and a hearing was held on these matters on November 3, 1967, before Examiner Coffey, and further hearings are scheduled for December 4, and 5, 1967.

The Commission finds that a decision in the matters cannot be rendered by said date of December 4, 1967, and further that the period of suspension of said tariff sheets should be extended; therefore,

IT IS ORDERED that the operation and effectiveness of the rates, classification, practices or rules in the tariffs filed by Advice Letter No. 9576 are hereby suspended to and including June 4, 1968, unless otherwise hereafter ordered.

The Secretary of the Commission is directed to cause a certified copy of this order to be served forthwith upon The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 30th day of NOVEMBER, 1967.

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President

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*William Bennett*  
*Jud P. Morrisey*  
Commissioners

Commissioner Peter E. Mitchell, being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.

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