

Decision No. 77250

ORIGINAL

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

William M. Bennett, consumer spokesman,  
and Consumers Arise Now, an association,  
Complainants,

vs.

Case No. 9036

The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph  
Company, a corporation,  
Defendant.

144 SPANISH-SPEAKING TELEPHONE SUB-  
SCRIBERS FROM SAN FRANCISCO, SONOMA,  
AND IMPERIAL COUNTIES, THE SPANISH  
SPEAKING/SURNAMED POLITICAL ASSOCIA-  
TION, THE MEXICAN-AMERICAN POLITICAL  
ASSOCIATION, THE HEALDSBURG AND WINDSOR  
LOCAL ACTION COUNCILS,

Complainants and  
[Proposed] Protestants,

vs.

Case No. 9042

THE PACIFIC TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH  
COMPANY, a corporation,

Defendant and Applicant  
in Proposed Rate  
Increase # 51774

William M. Bennett, Consumer Spokesman,  
and Consumers Arise Now, an association,  
Complainants,

vs.

Case No. 9043

Western Electric Company, joining  
Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company  
and American Telephone and Telegraph  
Company as Interested Parties,

Defendants.

ORDER OF CONSOLIDATION OF CASES

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It appearing that the Commission has before it Case No. 9036, Case No. 9042 and Case No. 9043, each of which names The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company as defendant, and each of which involves issues that may also be treated in Application No. 51774 of The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, now therefore:

IT IS ORDERED that Cases Nos. 9036, 9042 and 9043 are consolidated for hearing with Application No. 51774 of The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company and Commission Investigations, Case No. 9044 and Case No. 9045.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 22nd day of MAY, 1970.

William J. Lyons, Jr.  
President

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J. P. [unclear]

Vernon L. Sturgeon  
Commissioners

Commissioner Thomas Moran, being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.