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Decision No. 84036

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application
of General Telephone Company of
California, a corporation, for
authority to increase its rates
and charges for telephone service.

Application No. 53935

(Filed March 28, 1973)

Investigation on the Commission's
own motion into the rates, tolls,
rules, charges, operations, costs,
separations, practices, contracts,
service, and facilities of GENERAL
TELEPHONE COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, a
California corporation; and of THE
PACIFIC TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH
COMPANY, a California corporation;
and of all the telephone corporations
listed in Appendix A, attached hereto.

Case No. 9578

(Filed July 3, 1973)

ORDER DENYING REHEARING

The City of Los Angeles and the City of Long Beach having
filed a petition for rehearing of Decision No. 83779, and the Com-
mission having considered each and every allegation therein, and
being of the opinion that good cause for rehearing of Decision No.
83779 has not been shown;

IT IS ORDERED that rehearing of Decision No. 83779 is
denied.

The effective date of this order is the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 28th
day of JANUARY, 1975.

William L. Sturgeon
President
William L. Sturgeon
[Signature]

Commissioner LEONARD ROSS

Present but not participating.

Commissioners

A. 53935, C. 9578

APPENDIX A

APPEARANCES

Albert M. Hart, H. Ralph Snyder, Jr., and John Robert Jones, Attorneys at Law, for General Telephone Company of California, applicant in A. 53935 and respondent in C. 9578

Roger P. Downes, Attorney at Law, for The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, respondent.

Burt Pines, City Attorney, by Charles W. Sullivan and C. P. Karos, Attorneys at Law, for the City of Los Angeles; Robert W. Russell, Chief Engineer and General Manager, and Manuel Kroman, by K. D. Walpert and Kenneth E. Cude, Department of Public Utilities & Transportation, for the City of Los Angeles; Louis Possner, for the City of Long Beach; William L. Knecht, Attorney at Law, for California Farm Bureau Federation; Carl B. Hilliard, Jr., Attorney at Law, for Telephone Answering Systems of California, Inc. (TASC); Lessing E. Gold, Attorney at Law, for Western Burglar and Fire Alarm Association; and Jack Krinsky, President, Advisor, Inc., for certain business telephone subscribers; interested parties.

Walter Kessenick, Attorney at Law, Kenneth Chew, and James G. Shields, for the Commission staff.