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Decision No. 85557

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of Application of)
The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph)
Company, a corporation, for)
telephone service rate increases)
to offset increased wage, salary)
and associated expenses.)

Application No. 55214
(Filed September 30, 1974;
amended December 13, 1974)

Investigation on the Commission's)
own motion into the rates, tolls,)
rules, charges, operations, costs,)
separations, inter-company settle-)
ments, contracts service and)
facilities of THE PACIFIC TELEPHONE)
AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY, A California)
corporation; and of all the tele-)
phone corporations listed in)
Appendix A, attached hereto.)

Case No. 9832
(Filed November 26, 1974)

ORDER GRANTING LIMITED
REHEARING OF DECISION NO. 85287

On December 30, 1975, the Commission issued Decision No. 85287, granting to The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company a rate increase of \$65.2 million.

On January 9, 1976 a petition for rehearing was filed by the City of San Diego.

The Commission, having considered each and every allegation of the petition, is of the opinion that limited rehearing should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that rehearing of Decision No. 85287 is hereby granted. Said rehearing is to be limited to the question of whether the estimated revenues and expenses attributed to timing of local messages and increased classified advertising rates should be treated in the same manner as they were in Decision No. 83162, which authorized such revenue increases. Said rehearing shall be heard before Examiner Meaney at 10:00 a.m. on April 12, 1976 in the Commission's courtroom, State Building, San Francisco, California.

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The effective date of this order is the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 9th
day of MARCH, 1976.

President
William J. ...
Vernon L. ...
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John ...

Commissioners

Commissioner D. W. Holmes, being
necessarily absent, did not participate
in the disposition of this proceeding.