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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of)
THE PACIFIC TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH)
COMPANY, a corporation, for authority)
to increase certain intrastate rates)
and charges applicable to telephone)
services furnished within the State)
of California due to increased)
depreciation expenses.)

) Application 82-11-07
) (Filed November 4, 1982)

) Application 83-01-22
) (Filed January 17, 1983)

) OII 83-04-02
) (Filed April 20, 1983)

) Application 83-06-65
) (Filed June 30, 1983)

And Related Matters.)

) Case 82-10-09
) (Filed October 28, 1982)

) (I&S) Case 83-11-06
) (Filed November 22, 1983)

) (I&S) Case 83-11-07
) (Filed November 22, 1983)

ORDER MODIFYING DECISION
84-09-086 AND GRANTING A
LIMITED REHEARING

A petition for rehearing of D. 84-09-086 has been filed jointly by California-Oregon Telephone Company, Kerman Telephone Company, Ponderosa Telephone Company, Sierra Telephone Company,

Inc. and Siskiyou Telephone Company We have carefully considered the allegations raised in the petition and are of the opinion that a limited rehearing should be granted and that the decision should be modified, as discussed below. Therefore.

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. A rehearing of D. 84-09 086 is granted, limited to consideration of the settlement effects of D. 84-06-011 on the petitioning independent telephone companies listed above and the question of the adjustment of such companies' rates to reflect those revenue changes. With respect to Ponderosa Telephone Company, these issues should be considered in the context of that company's pending rate case. The Administrative Law Judge presiding over that proceeding is instructed that the Commission intends the settlement effects of the Pacific Bell rate decision to be reflected in the company's rates.

2. Decision 84-09-086 is modified to delete Capay Valley Telephone Company and Foresthill Telephone Company from the list on Table A at page 9 of the decision.

Rehearing is to be held before such Commissioner or Administrative Law Judge at such time and place as shall hereafter be designated.

The Executive Director is directed to cause notice of the rehearing to be mailed out at least ten (10) days prior to such hearing.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that except as granted and provided herein, rehearing of D. 84-09-086 is denied.

This order is effective today.

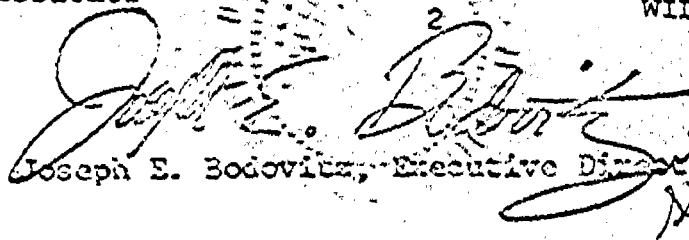
Dated DEC 5 1984 at San Francisco, California.

I abstain.

FREDERICK R. DUDAS
Commissioner

I CERTIFY THAT THIS DECISION
APPROVED BY THE ABOVE
COMMISSIONERS TODAY.

DONALD VIAL
President
VICTOR CALVO
PRISCILLA C. GREW
WILLIAM T. BAGLEY


Joseph E. Bodovitz, Executive Director