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Decision

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of )  
PACIFIC TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH )  
COMPANY to modify Decision 93592 re )  
access charge tariff. )

Application 82-03-30  
(Filed March 9, 1982)

ORDER MODIFYING DECISION 93592

In Case (C.) 10948 the Commission suspended and investigated The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company's (Pacific) proposed access charge tariff filed under Advice Letter 13822. In Decision (D.) 93592 (October 6, 1981) the Commission rejected the advice letter and accompanying tariff pages and ordered a new advice letter or application to be filed by April 30, 1982, after certain studies had been completed. We also ordered Pacific to provide to the Communications Division monthly reports of the progress of Pacific's studies.

Pacific now asks that the Commission modify D.93592 by mailing the progress reports quarterly and by extending the time to file a new advice letter or application to April 30, 1983.

This request is based upon three factors:

1. Pacific's inability to obtain usage data for many variations of indirectly connected private lines as required by D.93592.
2. Developments in case law at the Federal Communications Commission defining the rights and responsibilities of federal and state authorities to impose access charges or private line service.
3. Proposed changes in the Bell System structure, which, if implemented, will require the development of a system of access charges to be applied by Pacific to all

interexchange services, including private lines, seeking access to Pacific's exchanges.

Findings of Fact

1. The proposed changes to D.93592 are reasonable and should be adopted.

2. There is no opposition to the application. A hearing is not necessary.

Conclusion of Law

The application should be granted.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. Ordering Paragraphs 3 and 4 of D.93592 are modified to read:

3. Pacific shall provide quarterly reports on the progress of this program and review its status with the Communications Division staff quarterly. The first quarterly reports shall be made July 6, 1982.

4. The new advice letter or application shall be filed on or before April 30, 1983, and shall be served on all parties to this proceeding.

2. The Executive Director shall cause a copy of this order to be placed in the formal file of C.10948.

This order becomes effective 30 days from today.

Dated APR 21 1982, at San Francisco, California.

JOHN E. BRYSON  
President  
RICHARD D. GRAVELLE  
LEONARD M. GRIMES, JR.  
VICTOR CALVO  
PRISCILLA C. GREW  
Commissioners

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

  
Joseph E. Bodovitz, Executive Director