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MAY 18 1982

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of CITY OF GRAND TERRACE)
to place the CITY OF GRAND TERRACE }
within the toll-free telephone }
exchange area of the City of San }
Bernardino and to include the CITY }
OF GRAND TERRACE within the tele- }
phone influence area of the City }
of San Bernardino, rather than the }
City of Riverside. }

Application 61084
(Filed November 27, 1981)

ORDER OF DISMISSAL

The City of Grand Terrace (City) seeks an order directing The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company (Pacific) to transfer all of the Riverside exchange telephones located within the city limits of Grand Terrace to an appropriate Colton (San Bernardino) exchange without using a "foreign exchange" rate.

The application alleges that such an order is justifiable because City is geographically, economically, and culturally attached to the cities of Colton and San Bernardino rather than Riverside. Consequently, those City residents served out of the Riverside exchange are disadvantaged relative to those City residents served out of San Bernardino because of the necessity of paying a "foreign exchange" rate to obtain the same benefits enjoyed by those residents served out of the San Bernardino exchange. In essence, the application questions the reasonableness of the rates applied to City residences

served out of the Riverside exchange. Therefore, a formal complaint rather than an application is the appropriate vehicle for the pursuit of this matter.

This fact was called to City's attention and on March 16, 1982, City filed Case 82-03-07 on this matter. Consequently, Application 61084 should be dismissed.

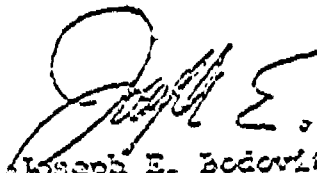
IT IS ORDERED that Application 61084 is dismissed without prejudice.

This order becomes effective 30 days from today.

Dated MAY 18 1982, at San Francisco, California.

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

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


Joseph E. Bodovitz, Executive Director