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## **Daily Calendar Tuesday, August 5, 1997**

- Regular Commission Meetings
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## **REGULAR COMMISSION MEETINGS**

*Subscription information for the Agenda and draft agenda items is located at the end of the Daily Calendar.*

September 3, 1997	10:00 a.m.	San Francisco
September 17, 1997	10:00 a.m.	San Francisco
October 1, 1997	10:00 a.m.	San Francisco

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## **NOTICES**

### **Delivery of Formal Pleadings for Filing**

Unless otherwise directed, all *courier-delivered documents* submitted for filing as part of the formal record in a proceeding should be *hand-carried directly* to the Commission's Docket Office, Room 2001, 505 Van Ness Avenue in San Francisco; Room 5109, 107 South Broadway in Los Angeles; or Room 4006, 1350 Front Street in San Diego. All *documents sent through the mail* for formal filing should be addressed *ONLY* to the Commission's Docket Office, Room 2001, 595 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94102.

### **Charge for Commission Documents**

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## **COMMISSIONER OFFICE HOURS**

*(For further information or to make an appointment, please contact, Michelle Diamonon at (707) 445-7875 for Eureka and Chico locations, and Sandra Graham at (213) 897-3544 for other locations).*

<u>Date/Time</u>	<u>Commissioner</u>	<u>Location</u>
9/11/97, 9 am - 12 pm	Josiah L. Neepser	State Office Building 107 S. Broadway, Room 5109 <b>Los Angeles</b>
9/22/97, 1-4 pm	Richard A. Bilas	Chino Chamber of Commerce 300 Salem Street <b>Chico</b>
10/6/97, 1-4 pm	Richard A. Bilas	100 H Street, Suite 210A <b>Eureka</b>

10/8/97, 9 am - 12 pm	Josiah L. Neeper	State Office Building 1350 Front Street, Room 4006 <b>San Diego</b>
10/23/97, 1-4 pm	Henry M. Duque	State Office Building 2550 Mariposa Mall, Room 1038 <b>Fresno</b>
11/20/97, 9 am - 12 pm	Josiah L. Neeper	State Office Building 107 S. Broadway, Room 5109 <b>Los Angeles</b>
12/10/97, 9 am - 12 pm	Josiah L. Neeper	State Office Building 1350 Front Street, Room 4006 <b>San Diego</b>

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## **PUBLIC MEETINGS & WORKSHOPS**

### **Public Meeting**

*August 4, 1997  
9:30 am - 4:00 pm*

*Pacific Gas and Electric Company, Energy Center  
851 Howard Street  
(1 block west of the Moscone Center)  
**San Francisco***

The Technical Advisory Committee for the California Board for Energy Efficiency will meet to discuss the transition of utility energy efficiency programs to independent administrators, the work of the Board's technical consultants, and other matters related to the Board's September 16 report regarding the independent administration of energy efficiency programs, affiliate rules and revisions to DSM rules and policies. Contact people are Nancy Licht of Wm. Nesbit & Associates at (707) 523-1663 and Patrick Hoglund of the Energy Division at (415) 703-2043.

### **Public Meeting**

*August 5, 1997  
9:30 am - 4:00 pm  
With a working lunch*

*Pacific Gas and Electric Company, Energy Center  
851 Howard Street  
(1 block west of the Moscone Center)  
**San Francisco***

The Low Income Governing Board will meet to discuss threshold questions, the critical path for program development, contracting issues, advisory committee goals and objectives, and the election of officers. Patrick Hoglund of the Energy Division is the contact person at (415) 703-2043.

### **Public Meeting**

*August 5, 1997  
10 am - 4 pm*

*Deaf & Disabled Telecommunications Program Office  
1939 Harrison Street  
Room 555  
**Oakland***

The Administrative Committee of the Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will hold its regular monthly meeting. For more information about the meeting, or if you plan to attend the meeting and need sign language interpretation or real-time captioning, contact Shelly Bergum at (510) 874-1410 Voice or (510) 874-1411 TDD. Please refrain from wearing perfumes or scents to DDTP meetings.

### *Workshop Notice*

<i>August 7, 1997 10 am - 4 pm (continuing to August 8th if necessary)</i>	<i>California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue Auditorium <b>San Francisco</b></i>
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Pursuant to the ruling of Administrative Law Judge John Wong, dated July 9, 1997, the Energy Division has scheduled a workshop to address issues concerning the pro forma direct access implementation tariffs and service agreements filed July 15th by PacifiCorp, Pacific Gas and Electric Company, San Diego Gas and Electric Company, and Southern California Edison Company. Questions regarding the workshop should be directed to Steve Roscow of the CPUC's Energy Division at (415) 703-2818.

### *Public Meeting*

<i>August 11, 1997 9:30 am - 4:00 pm</i>	<i>Pacific Gas and Electric Company, Energy Center 851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone Center) <b>San Francisco</b></i>
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The California Board for Energy Efficiency will meet to discuss the proposed Joint Planning Process with utilities, the utilities' October 1 filing and the Board's September 16 report. The contact people are Nancy Licht of Wm. Nesbit & Associates (707) 523-1663 and Patrick Hoglund of the Energy Division at (415) 703-2043.

### *Workshop Notice*

<i>August 13, and 14, 1997 10 am - 3 pm</i>	<i>California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue Room 3104 <b>San Francisco</b></i>
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The purpose of this workshop is to allow the Commission to reexamine the general rate case (GRC) process and, if warranted, to consider alternative ratemaking processes such as incentive-based regulation for water companies. Results of the workshop will be used by the Commission to open an Order Instituting Rulemaking (OIR) for the development of rules and/or procedures to implement any alternatives deemed appropriate. Questions regarding the workshop should be directed to John A. Yager at (415) 703-1194.

## Public Meeting

<i>August 13, 1997</i> <i>9 am</i>	<i>California Public Utilities Commission</i> <i>505 Van Ness Avenue</i> <i>Room 2204</i> <b><i>San Francisco</i></b>
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The Administrative Committee of the Electric Education Trust (EET) meets to consider startup documents (charter, bylaws, conflict-of-interest and reimbursement rules, etc.), the purpose and scope of EET activities, a budget, a work plan, monthly reports, forming and staffing the trust, contracts for administrative and legal services, and other related matters. The contact person is William R. Schulte at (415) 703-2349.

## Workshop Notice

<i>August 13, 1997</i> <i>9 am - 4 pm</i>  <i>and</i>  <i>August 19, 1997</i> <i>9 am - 4 pm</i>	<i>California Public Utilities Commission</i> <i>107 S. Broadway, 1st Floor Auditorium</i> <i>Room 1138</i> <b><i>Los Angeles</i></b>  <i>California Public Utilities Commission</i> <i>505 Van Ness Avenue</i> <i>1st Floor Auditorium</i> <b><i>San Francisco</i></b>
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The Commission Rail Safety and Carriers Division will conduct two workshops to receive public input and for staff to explain its proposed changes to General Orders 157-C and 158-A regarding Passenger Stage Corporations (PSC) and Charter-Party Carriers (TCP). Attendees will have an opportunity to make oral comments; however, we request that your comments also be in written format because there will be no official transcript. If you are unable to attend either workshop, you are welcome to submit written comments to the staff no later than September 2, 1997. The contact person is Erik Juul at 415-703-2723.

## Public Meeting

<i>August 14, 1997</i> <i>9:30 am - 3:30</i>	<i>Deaf &amp; Disabled Telecommunications Program Office</i> <i>1939 Harrison Street</i> <i>Room 555</i> <b><i>Oakland</i></b>
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The Equipment Program Advisory Committee of the Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will hold its regular monthly meeting. For more information about the meeting, or if you plan to attend the meeting and need sign language interpretation or real-time captioning, contact Sara Brucker at (510) 874-1410 voice or (510) 874-1411 TDD. Please refrain from wearing perfumes or scents to DDTP meetings.

### Public Meeting

<i>August 14, 1997</i> <i>1:30 - 4:00 pm</i>	<i>California Public Utilities Commission</i> <i>505 Van Ness Avenue</i> <i>Room 3204</i> <b><i>San Francisco</i></b>
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The Administrative Committee of the Universal Lifeline Telephone Service Trust will hold its regular monthly meeting. This meeting can be accessed via teleconference call; however, please provide a 10-day notification prior to the meeting. For a copy of the agenda or more information, contact Terry Wilson-Gray at (510) 452-2757.

### Public Meeting

<i>August 20, 1997</i> <i>1:30 pm</i>	<i>California Public Utilities Commission</i> <i>505 Van Ness Avenue, Training Room</i> <b><i>San Francisco</i></b>
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The Telecommunications Division of the California Public Utilities Commission will be conducting a lottery to determine allocations of central office codes (NXXs) in the 209, 213, 310, 408, 415/650, 510, 619, 714, 760, 805, 818/626 and 916/530 area codes pursuant to the provisions of D.96-09-087. Applications for NXXs should be submitted to the California Code Administrator prior to close of business August 12, 1997. For information on the lottery process, call (415) 703-2253. If specialized accommodations for the disabled are needed, call the Public Advisor at (415) 703-2032 five working days in advance of the event.

### Public Meeting

<i>August 20, 1997</i> <i>9:30 am - 4:00 pm</i> <i>With a working lunch</i>	<i>Embassy Suites</i> <i>Los Angeles Airport South</i> <i>1440 East Imperial Avenue</i> <b><i>El Segundo</i></b>
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The Low Income Governing Board will meet to discuss threshold questions, the critical path for program development, contracting issues, advisory committee goals and objectives, and the election of officers. Patrick Hoglund of the Energy Division is the contact person at (415) 703-2043

### Public Meeting

<i>August 22, 1997</i> <i>10 am - 4 pm</i>	<i>Deaf &amp; Disabled Telecommunications Program Office</i> <i>1939 Harrison Street, Room 555</i> <b><i>Oakland</i></b>
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The California Relay Service Advisory Committee of the Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will hold its regular monthly meeting. For more information about the meeting, or if you plan to attend the meeting and need sign language interpretation or real-time captioning, contact Sara Brucker at (510) 874-1410 VOICE or (510) 874-1411 TDD. Please refrain from wearing perfumes or scents to DDTP meetings.

### Public Meeting

<i>September 2, 1997</i> <i>10 am - 4 pm</i>	<i>Deaf &amp; Disabled Telecommunications Program Office</i> <i>1939 Harrison Street</i> <i>Room 555</i> <b><i>Oakland</i></b>
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The Administrative Committee of the Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will hold its regular monthly meeting. For more information about the meeting, or if you plan to attend the meeting and need sign language interpretation or real-time captioning, contact Shelley Bergum at (510) 874-1410 VOICE or (510) 874-1411 TDD. Please refrain from wearing perfumes or scents to DDTP meetings.

### Public Meeting

<i>September 17, 1997</i> <i>1:30 am - 4 pm</i>	<i>California Public Utilities Commission</i> <i>505 Van Ness Avenue</i> <i>Room 3204</i> <b><i>San Francisco</i></b>
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The Administrative Committee of the Universal Lifeline Telephone Service Trust will hold its regular monthly meeting. This meeting can be accessed via teleconference call; however, please provide a 10-day notification prior to the meeting. For a copy of the agenda or more information, contact Terry Wilson-Gray at (510) 452-2757.

### Public Meeting

<i>September 17 and 18, 1997</i> <i>9 am - 5 Public Meeting</i>	<i>5550 Kearny Mesa Road</i> <b><i>San Diego</i></b>
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The Administrative Committee of the Electric Education Trust (EET) meets to consider startup documents (charter, bylaws, conflict-of-interest and reimbursement rules, etc.), the purpose and scope of EET activities, a budget, a work plan, monthly reports, forming and staffing the trust, contracts for administrative and legal services, design of a community-based education and outreach effort, measurement and evaluation of the joint consumer education plan, and other related matters. The contact person is William R. Schulte at (415) 703-2349.



### Public Meeting

<i>September 30 and October 1, 1997 9 am - 5 pm</i>	<i>California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue Room 5305 <b>San Francisco</b></i>
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The Administrative Committee of the Electric Education Trust (EET) meets to consider startup documents (charter, bylaws, conflict-of-interest and reimbursement rules, etc.), the purpose and scope of EET activities, a budget, a work plan, monthly reports, forming and staffing the trust, contracts for administrative and legal services, design of a community-based education and outreach effort, measurement and evaluation of the joint consumer education plan, and other related matters. The contact person is William R. Schulte at (415) 703-2349.

### Public Meeting

<i>October 17, 1997 1:30 pm - 4:00 pm</i>	<i>California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue Room 3204 <b>San Francisco</b></i>
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The Administrative Committee of the Universal Lifeline Telephone Service Trust will hold its regular monthly meeting. This meeting can be accessed via teleconference call; however, please provide a 10-day notification prior to the meeting. For a copy of the agenda or more information, contact Terry Wilson-Gray at (510) 452-2757.

### Public Meeting

<i>November 17, 1997 1:30 pm - 4:00 pm</i>	<i>California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue Room 3204 <b>San Francisco</b></i>	
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The Administrative Committee of the Universal Lifeline Telephone Service Trust will hold its regular monthly meeting. This meeting can be accessed via teleconference call; however, please provide a 10-day notification prior to the meeting. For a copy of the agenda or more information, contact Terry Wilson-Gray at (510) 452-2757.

## Public Meeting

<i>December 17, 1997 1:30 pm - 4:00 pm</i>	<i>California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue Room 3204 San Francisco</i>
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The Administrative Committee of the Universal Lifeline Telephone Service Trust will hold its regular monthly meeting. This meeting can be accessed via teleconference call; however, please provide a 10-day notification prior to the meeting. For a copy of the agenda or more information, contact Terry Wilson-Gray at (510) 452-2757.

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## **NEW FILINGS**

07/21/97	A97-07-044	Dominguez Water Company, for an ex parte order authorizing the issuance of bonds and the encumbrance of its property in connection with this issuance
07/21/97	A97-07-045	Samia Shabaan dba EZ Way Out Shuttle, for authority to operate as a passenger stage corporation between points in the San Francisco, San Mateo, Alameda, Contra Costa, Stanislaus, and Santa Clara Counties and the San Jose, Oakland and San Francisco International Airports, and between Berkeley, Emeryville and Oakland and the Oakland International Airport, San Francisco International Airport (24692 Yew Ct., Hayward, CA 94545; (510) 430-9090)
07/25/97	A97-07-046	Indian Springs Mutual Utility Company to sell and Watertek Inc. to acquire the wastewater system of Indian Springs
07/31/97	A97-07-047	CSI Corp, for registration as an Interexchange Carrier Telephone Corporation
08/01/97	A97-08-005	Southern California Edison Company, for authority to lease available space on certain distribution power poles and street light poles to Metricom, Inc

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## **PETITIONS FOR MODIFICATION AND APPLICATIONS FOR REHEARING**

5/5/97	A94-03-029	Citizens Telecommunications Company, for a certification of public convenience and necessity authorizing resale of interLATA intrastate telecommunications services; <b>Petition for modification</b>
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**DRAFT DECISIONS \* PROPOSED DECISIONS \* ALTERNATES \*  
ARBITRATOR'S REPORTS**

NONE

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**ADVICE LETTER FILINGS**

NONE

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**MISCELLANEOUS TRANSPORTATION ITEMS**

**August 5, 1997**

*Filings with Safety and Enforcement*

NONE

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**ADJOURNMENTS \* RESETTINGS \* SUBMISSIONS**

NONE

**NEW SETTINGS**

8/11/97	2:00 pm	(PHC)-Commission Order Instituting Investigation into the operations and practices of Brittan Communications International, Inc., to determine whether the entity unlawfully switched subscribers' primary interexchange carrier without the subscriber's authorization, in violation of Public Utilities Code Section 2889.5,
ALJ Bennett	197-04-045	<b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
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## **REMOVALS FROM CALENDAR**

NONE

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## **LAW AND MOTION HEARINGS**

*Law and Motion Hearings are held before Administrative Law Judge Steven Kotz at 9:30 am in one of the Commission's San Francisco Office Hearing Rooms, unless otherwise noted. Law and Motion procedures are governed by Resolution ALJ 164. Copies of Resolution ALJ 164 are available from the Commission's Documents Desk (415) 703-1713 or from Central Files (415) 703-2045.*

8/1/97	1:00 pm A96-10-038	Joint Application of Pacific Enterprises, Enova Corporation, Mineral Energy Company, et al., Southern California Edison Company's (U 338-E) motion for reconsideration of administrative law judge's ruling denying motion to quash discovery ALJ Robert Barnett, presiding
8/5/97	9:30 am	NONE SCHEDULED
8/8/97	10:00 am A96-10-038	Joint Application of Pacific Enterprises, Enova Corporation, Mineral Energy Company, et al., Motion of Intervenor David W. Crain to Compel Enova Corporation to Produce Documents, ALJ Robert Barnett, presiding
8/12/97	9:30 am	NONE SCHEDULED
8/19/97	9:30 am	NONE SCHEDULED

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## HEARINGS

*Dates in parentheses following the word "also" are subject to change without notice. The assigned Commissioner's name is listed next to the proceedings as matter of record; the assigned Commissioner may not be present at the hearing.*

**(PHC) = Prehearing Conference**

**(EH) = Evidentiary Hearing**

**(PPH) = Public Participation Hearing**

**(IAM) = Initial Arbitration Meeting**

**(M) = Mediation**

**(OA) = Oral Argument**

**(WS) = Workshop**

**(FPH) = Full Panel Hearing**

**(AH) = Arbitration Hearing**

8/5/97 ALJ Weiss Comr. Knight	9:30 am C96-11-006	<b>(EH)</b> -First Financial Network vs. Pacific Bell,for unauthorized installation of telephone lines and failing to provide satisfactory service, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
8/5/97 ALJ Bushey Comr Neeper	10:00 am I97-01-011	<b>(PHC)</b> -Commission Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission's own motion into the operations, practices, and conduct of Donald Blakstad, an individual, Inter Continental Telephone Corporation, CTN Telephone Network, International Telecommunications Corporation, dba Total Communications Network, and all affiliate companies in which Donald Blakstad has an ownership interest, that are providing telecommunications services, to determine whether they have complied with the laws, rules, regulations, and applicable tariff provisions governing the manner in which consumers are switched from one long distance carrier to another, and other requirements for long distance carriers, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
8/6/97 ALJ Kotz Comr Conlon	7:00 pm C96-05-010	<b>(PPH)</b> -Alfred Sacker vs. Southern Pacific Lines,for repair of rail crossings in the City of Whittier, to make them safe and usable, <b>Whittier Community Center Theatre, 7630 South Washington Avenue, Whittier</b>
8/11/97 ALJ Ryerson Comr Duque	10:00 am I96-04-023	<b>(PHC)</b> -Commission Investigation into the operations and practices of David M. Espinoza, dba David Espinoza Trucking, immediately suspends agricultural carrier permit for non-compliance with California Highway Patrol and Department of Motor Vehicle regulations, and

Order to Show Cause as to whether the permit should be revoked,

**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**

8/11/97 ALJ Bennett Comr Neeper	2:00 pm I97-04-045	(PHC)-Commission Order Instituting Investigation into the operations and practices of Brittan Communications International, Inc., to determine whether the entity unlawfully switched subscribers' primary interexchange carrier without the subscriber's authorization, in violation of Public Utilities Code Section 2889.5, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
8/13/97 ALJ Weiss Comr Duque	10:00 am I96-10-034	(EH)-Commission Order Instituting Investigation into the operations and practices of Airtrans Express Shuttle, and its partners, conducting business as a common carrier to the Los Angeles International Airport, and Order to Show cause why its operating authority should not be revoked, <b>Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles (also August 14, Los Angeles)</b>
8/13/97 ALJ Weissman Comr Conlon	10:30 am A96-08-058	(PHC)-Wild Goose Storage, Inc., for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to construct facilities for gas storage operations in Butte County, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
8/13/97 ALJ Weissman Comr Duque	1:30 pm A97-05-011  A97-06-046  A97-07-005	(PHC)-PacifiCorp, for approval of transmission plan, and (PHC)-Sierra Pacific Power Company, for approval of its transition plan, and (PHC)-Kirkwood Gas and Electric Company, for compliance with the requirements of AB 1890, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
8/14/97 ALJ Garde Comr Neeper	9:30 am A97-01-029	(PHC)-San Diego Metropolitan Transit Development Board (MTDB) and City of San Diego (city), for authority to construct an at-grade crossing of two light-rail transit tracks and two freight intercity/commuter rail tracks at Vine Street in the City of San Diego, San Diego County, <b>State Office Building, Office of Administrative Hearings, Room 6022, 1350 Front Street, San Diego</b>
8/14/97 ALJ Patrick	10:00 am A97-03-015	(PHC)-Southern California Gas Company, for approval of a long-term gas transmission service contract with

Comr Bilas		Distribuidora de Gas Natural de Mexicali, S. de R.L. de C.V. <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
8/15/97 ALJ Ryerson Comr Duque	10:00 am I97-05-045	<b>(PHC)</b> -Commission Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission's own motion into the operations and practices of A Better Moving and Storage Company, Inc., and its president, Bennet D. Mattingly, <b>Office of Governmental Affairs, 1227 "O" Street, 4th Floor, Sacramento</b>
8/16/97 ALJ Wright Comr Knight	10:00 am I96-12-041	<b>(EH)</b> -Commission Order Instituting Investigation into the operations and practices of Harjit Singh dba Herry Bros. Trucking, a dump-truck carrier, that allegedly operated without liability insurance during a period when his permit was in suspension <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
8/18/97 ALJ Stalder Comr Neeper	10:00 am I95-11-031	<b>(EH)</b> -Commission Order Instituting Investigation into the operations and practices of Richard Eugene Rake, dba EZI Transport (Stockton) <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also August 19-22, San Francisco)</b>
8/21/97 ALJ Bushey Comr Neeper	10:00 am C96-11-029	<b>(EH)</b> -Nancy M. Horner and Vertec International, Inc., dba Vitosha, Ltd. vs. GTE of California Incorporated for faulty installation of telephone lines, failing to properly provide or maintain reliable and acceptable telephone services, inadequate customer assistance services, for improper past-due and late-payment charges, and failing to comply with all applicable PUC regulations <b>Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles (also August 22, Los Angeles)</b>
8/22/97 ALJ Barnett Comr Neeper	11:00 am C96-12-023	<b>(EH)</b> -Dale E. Fletcher vs. Southern California Water Company, for installation of inaccurate water meters, and for excessive water service charges <b>Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles</b>
8/26/97 ALJ Mattson Comr Duque	10:00 am A90-09-043  A95-12-006	<b>(EH)</b> -GTE Corporation, to merge into Contel Corporation and GTE becoming the parent company, and <b>(EH)</b> -Contel of California, to restructure intrastate rates and charges, for a general rate increase of \$45,324,000 per year, based on an overall rate of return on rate base

		of 12.05% for test year ending 12/31/97, and to implement a new regulatory framework for telephone service, and
	I96-03-021	<b>(EH)</b> -Commission Order Instituting Investigation into the rates, charges, service, and practices, and regulation of Contel of California, Inc., <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
9/3/97 ALJ Stalder Comr Neeper	9:00 am I96-09-031	<b>(EH)</b> -Commission Order Instituting Investigation into the operations and practices of Joe Burnley, Sr., dba Royal Circle Transportation, a charter- party carrier, pending A96-05-041 is consolidated for hearing and consideration, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also September 4 and 5, San Francisco)</b>
9/3/97 ALJ Hale Comr Bilas	10:00 am C96-12-028	<b>(PHC)</b> -Gray Panthers of Santa Barbara vs.Southern California Edison Company, to restore one permanent Edison office in Santa Barbara and one in Goleta, where utility bills may be paid and where information regarding electric service is available, <b>Santa Barbara Public Library, Townley Room, Lower Level, 40 East Anapamu Street, Santa Barbara</b>
9/12/97 ALJ Barnett	10:00 am C97-06-035	<b>(ECP)</b> -Barry Harman vs. Pacific Bell, for failure to transfer service and overbilling, and C97-04-059 <b>(ECP)</b> -Barry Harman vs. Pacific Bell, for violations of tariff regulation, incorrect billing, and wrongful disconnection of services <b>Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles</b>
9/16/97 ALJ Weiss Comr Duque	9:30 am A96-11-013	<b>(EH)</b> -Plantation Water Company, L.L.C., for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to operate the Meadows Management Company water system as a public utility water system in the City of Calimesa, California, and to establish rates for service, <b>City of Yucaipa Council Chambers, Civic Center, 34272 Yucaipa Boulevard, Yucaipa (also September 17, Yucaipa);</b> <b>(PPH) 6:30 pm, September 16, Norton Younglove Multipurpose Senior Center, 908 Park Avenue, Calimesa</b>
9/17/97	10:00 am	<b>(EH)</b> -Pacific Enterprises, Enova Corporation, Mineral



ALJ Barnett Comr Neeper Comr Duque	A96-10-038	Energy Company, B Mineral Energy Sub, and G Mineral Sub, for approval of a plan of merger of Pacific Enterprises and Enova Corporation with and into B Mineral Energy Sub (Newco Pacific Sub) and G Mineral Energy Sub (Newco Enova Sub), the wholly owned subsidiaries of a newly created holding company, Mineral Energy Company, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also September 18-19, 22-26, 29-30, and October 1-3 and 6-8, San Francisco)</b>
9/19/97 ALJ Patrick Comr Duque	10:00 am C96-12-005	<b>(EH)</b> -Lew A. Garbutt vs. Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for failing to provide information regarding overhead electrical service, <b>Electric Department Conference Room, 2556 Heather Lane, Redding</b>
9/22/97 ALJ Kenney Comr Bilas	9:30 am C97-02-027	<b>(EH)</b> -Pacific Bell vs. MCI Telecommunications Corporation, for failure to remit the pay station service charge (PSSC) to Pacific Bell for intraLATA non-sent-paid calls originating on Pacific Bell payphones, and for engaging in unfair competition by providing intraLATA service to its customers without imposing PSSC, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also September 23-25, San Francisco)</b>
9/22/97 ALJ Stalder Comr Duque	10:00 am A89-03-026	<b>(EH)</b> -Southern California Edison Company, for a certificate to construct and operate a 220 kV transmission line between Kramer Substation and Victor Substation in San Bernardino <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also September 23-26, San Francisco)</b>
9/22/97 ALJ Ryerson Comr Neeper	2:00 pm A97-04-051	<b>(PPH)</b> -California-American Water Company, for an order authorizing increased rates of \$1,142,700 (7.65%) in the year 1998, \$376,200 (2.51%) in the year 1999, and \$317,200 (1.93%) in the year 2000, in the Los Angeles Division, <b>Westminster Gardens, Packard Hall, 1424 Santo Domingo Avenue, Duarte (also 6:30 pm, September 22, Inglewood Public Library Lecture Hall, 101 W. Manchester Boulevard, Inglewood)</b> <b>(EH) 10 am, September 23, Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles</b>

9/23/97 ALJ Bushey Comr Duque	10:00 am A96-12-029	<b>(PHC)</b> -California Water Service Company, for an order authorizing California Water Service Company to form a holding company structure, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
10/2/97 ALJ Walker Comr Duque	10:00 am C96-10-023	<b>(EH)</b> -Sonia L. Gill, et al., vs Pacific Bell, for incorrect area code designations and improper toll call charges Yorkville Community Center, 25400 Highway 128, Yorkville (also October 3)
10/14/97 ALJ Mattson Comr Duque	9:00 am C97-03-019	<b>(EH)</b> -California Cable Television Association vs. Southern California Edison Company, for unlawful increase of pole attachment charges <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also October 15-17, San Francisco)</b>
10/14/97 ALJ Weiss Comr Conlon	9:30 am C92-04-03  C92-11-032	<b>(PHC)</b> -Castlerock Estates Inc., Bruce B. Breiholz vs. Toro Water Service, Inc., California Utilities Service, Inc., and Robert T. Adcock, for refunds of taxes and contributions for plant and facilities made in 1988, and <b>(PHC)</b> -Silverwood Estates Development Limited Partnership, vs. Alisal Water Corporation, dba Alco Water Service, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
10/14/97 ALJ Galvin Comr Knight	10:00 am C95-08-063	<b>(PHC)</b> -Bruce Kennedy vs. GTE California and Pacific Bell for a realignment of GTEC and Pacific Bell services territory boundary on Hutchinson Road in Felton, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also October 15, San Francisco)</b>
10/27/97 ALJ Bushey Comr Neeper	9:00 am I97-04-044	<b>(EH)</b> -Commission Order Instituting Investigation into the operations and practices of L.D. Services, doing business as Long Distance Services, to determine whether the entity unlawfully switched subscribers' primary interexchange carrier without the subscriber's authorization, in violation of Public Utilities Code Section 2889.5, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also October 28-31, San Francisco)</b>
10/31/97 ALJ Ryerson Comr Bilas	10:00 am C97-06-005	<b>(PHC)</b> -Gloria Jean Smith vs. Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for non-compliance with its originally estimated costs of installation of services, <b>Council Chambers, Town Hall, 549 Main Street,</b>

## Placerville

11/3/97	9:00 am	(EH)-San Diego Gas and Electric Company, for authority to increase its gas and electric revenue requirements to reflect its accomplishments for demand-side management program years 1994, 1995, and 1996, in the 1997 annual earnings assessment proceeding, and
ALJ Gottstein	A97-05-002	
Comr Neeper		
	A97-05-004	(EH)-Southern California Edison Company, for approval of demand-side management shareholder incentives for 1996 program year accomplishments and the second installment of shareholder incentives for the 1994 and 1995 program years, and
	A97-05-005	(EH)-Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for approval of demand-side management shareholder incentives for 1996 program year accomplishments and second claim for incentives for 1995 and some 1994 program year accomplishments, and
	A97-05-026	(EH)-Southern California Gas Company, for authority to increase its gas revenue requirements to reflect its accomplishment for demand-side management program years 1994, 1995, and 1996 in the 1997 annual earnings assessment proceeding, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also November 4-7, and 12-14, San Francisco)</b>
12/1/97	10:00 am	(PHC)-The City of Vernon vs. The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway, for non-compliance with zoning, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also December 2 and 3, San Francisco)</b>
ALJ Careaga	C96-01-019	
Comr Neeper		

## **NOTICE OF DENIAL OF REQUEST FOR EX PARTE MEETING**

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8/4/97	A.96-12-009	Application of Pacific Gas & Electric to identify and
	A.96-12-011	separate components of electric rates effective
	A.96-12-019	January 1, 1998

**Summary:** On July 30, 1997, Les Guliasi, Regulatory Relations, Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E), met with Michelle Cooke, advisor to Cmmr. Duque, in San Francisco. Written materials, (attached to notice) consisting of selected pages from "Comments of PG&E on Proposed Decision of ALJ Malcolm," "Reply Brief of PG&E," and "PG&E's Rebuttal Testimony." Guliasi stated that the Commission should include in its final decision a mechanism for the utilities to seek cost recovery of residual Administrative and General costs after the divestiture of generation assets.

**Filer: Pacific Gas & Electric**

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**Summary:** On July 30, 1997, Les Guliasi, Regulatory Relations, Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E), met with Robert Lane, advisor to Cmmr. Knight, in San Francisco. Also present was Steve McCarty, Director, Cost of Service, PG&E. Materials (attached to notice) consisting of a document titled "Cost Separation Proceeding," and selected pages from the following: "Comments of PG&E on Proposed Decision of ALJ Malcolm;" "Reply Brief of PG&E;" and "PG&E's Rebuttal Testimony." McCarty stated that the alternate proposed decision of Conlon distorts competition by creating an arbitrage opportunity for customers with better than average load profiles and a competitive disadvantage for customers with worse than average load profiles. Guliasi stated that the Commission should include in its final decision a mechanism for the utilities to seek cost recovery of residual Administrative and General costs after the divestiture of generation assets.

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**Summary:** On July 30, 1997, Les Guliasi, Regulatory Relations for Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E), met with Cmmr. Conlon, in San Francisco. Also present were: James Hendry and John Scadding, advisors to Cmmr. Conlon; Andrew Niven, attorney, PG&E; Steve McCarty, Director, Cost of Service, PG&E; Bruce Foster, Vice President, Southern California Edison; and Akbar Jazayeri, Manager, Regulatory Policy and Affairs, Southern California Edison. Materials (attached to notice) consisting of a document titled "Cost Separation Proceeding," and selected pages from the following: "Comments of PG&E on Proposed Decision of ALJ Malcolm;" "Reply Brief of PG&E;" and "PG&E's Rebuttal Testimony." McCarty stated that the alternate proposed decision of Conlon distorts competition by creating an arbitrage opportunity for customers with better than average load profiles and a competitive disadvantage for customers with worse than average load profiles. Guliasi stated that the Commission should include in its final decision a mechanism for the utilities to seek cost recovery of residual Administrative and General costs after the divestiture of generation assets.

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8/4/97            A.94-04-002            Application of Pacific Gas & Electric for authority to increase its electric rates by \$157.4 million (2%) effective 1/1/95 and for commission order finding that electric operations during the reasonableness review period from 1/1/93 to 12/31/93 were prudent

**Summary:** On July 30, 1997, Sabrina J. Miller, Regulatory Relations, Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E), met with Robert Lane, advisor to Cmmr. Knight. Also present was Les Guliasi, Regulatory Relations, PG&E. Materials (attached to notice) consisting of a seven-page handout supporting PG&E's position were used. Miller stated that the Diablo Canyon settlement agreement (Agreement) states that PG&E has the right and obligation to purchase all Diablo Canyon output, except during hydro spill conditions on PG&E's system. Miller stated that D. 82-04-071 states that PG&E shall spill its hydro resources after it has made all feasible economy sales. Miller stated that the Agreement's provision that ratepayers shall not pay for Diablo Canyon output to the extent of hydro spill means that ratepayers are excused from paying for Diablo Canyon output only during hydro spill conditions, otherwise ratepayers are obligated to pay for Diablo Canyon power as if it were purchased by PG&E under a power purchase contract at the prices set forth in the Agreement. Miller stated that PG&E's actions during the 1993 electric operations were reasonable, and it would be wrong for the Commission to penalize PG&E for complying with the terms of the Agreement.

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