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<u>Date/Time</u>	<u>Commissioner</u>	<u>Location</u>
9/11/97, 9 am - 12 pm	Josiah L. Neeper	State Office Building 107 S. Broadway, Room 5109 Los Angeles
9/22/97, 1-4 pm	Richard A. Bilas	Chico Chamber of Commerce 300 Salem Street Chico
10/6/97, 1-4 pm	Richard A. Bilas	100 H Street, Suite 210A Eureka
10/8/97, 9 am - 12 pm	Josiah L. Neeper	State Office Building

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

PUBLIC MEETINGS & WORKSHOPS

Public Meeting

August 27, 1997

9:30 am - 4:00 pm

With a working lunch

(A brief break will be called prior to lunch)

Pacific Gas and Electric Company, Energy Center

851 Howard Street

(1 block west of the Moscone Center)

San Francisco

In Decision (D.) 97-02-014 and (D.) 97-04-044, the Commission established a new structure for the future administration of energy efficiency and low-income assistance programs. This structure requires an independent board to oversee energy efficiency programs, a Governing Board to oversee low-income programs, and administrative entities selected through a competitive bid process.

The Low Income Governing Board will meet to discuss the following agenda items: review meeting minutes, discuss legal issues, contracting, schedule/plan for September 19 filing, threshold questions, components of the critical path, advisory committee update, reply to comments on July 18, 1997 filing, issues related to the RFQ for Technical Consultants, review and adjust critical path schedule, set future meeting dates, and develop agenda for next Board meeting. These meetings are open to the public. Amy Hopper is the contact person at (510) 251-2888, extension 2015.

Public Meeting

August 29, 1997

9 am - 5 pm

California Public Utilities Commission

505 Van Ness Avenue,

Room 2204

San Francisco

The Administrative Committee of the Electric Education Trust (EET) meets to consider hiring legal counsel to help form the trust, to obtain non-profit status, and to assist with other legal matters. The Contact person is William R. Schulte at (415) 703-2349.

Public Meeting

<i>September 2, 1997</i> <i>10 am - 4 pm</i>	<i>Deaf & Disabled Telecommunications Program Office</i> <i>1939 Harrison Street</i> <i>Room 555</i> <i>Oakland</i>
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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 3, 1997</i> <i>9:30 am - 4 pm</i>	<i>Pacific Gas and Electric Company, Energy Center</i> <i>851 Howard Street</i> <i>San Francisco</i>
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The California Board for Energy Efficiency will meet to discuss the joint Board/utility planning process for 1998 program plans, the utilities October 1 filings and the Board's July filings and September 16 report. The contact people are Nancy Licht of Wm. Nesbit & Associates (707) 523-1663 and Patrick Hogle of the Energy Division at (415) 703-2043.

Public Meeting

<i>September 4, 1997</i> <i>9:30 am - 4 pm</i>	<i>Pacific Gas and Electric Company, Energy Center</i> <i>851 Howard Street</i> <i>San Francisco</i>
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The Technical Advisory Committee for the California Board for Energy Efficiency will meet to discuss the technical consultants' scoping studies related to independent administration of energy efficiency programs and DSM policy rules, and the Board/utilities joint planning process. The contact people are Nancy Licht of Wm. Nesbit & Associates (707) 523-1663 and Patrick Hogle of the Energy Division at (415) 703-2043.

Public Meeting

<i>September 5, 1997</i> <i>9:30 am - 4 pm</i>	<i>Pacific Gas and Electric Company, Energy Center</i> <i>851 Howard Street</i> <i>San Francisco</i>
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The California Board for Energy Efficiency will meet to discuss the consultants' scoping studies, joint Board/utility planning process, July filings and September 16 filing, and any reports from, coordination with or direction to the Technical Advisory Committee and consultants. The contact people are Nancy Licht of Wm. Nesbit & Associates (707) 523-1663 and Patrick Hogle of the Energy Division at (415) 703-2043.

Public Meeting

<i>September 9, 1997</i> <i>10 am - 4 pm</i>	<i>Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center</i> <i>851 Howard Street</i>
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	(1 block west of the Moscone Center) San Francisco
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The Low Income Governing Board will meet to discuss the following agenda items: review meeting minutes, discuss legal issues, budget planning, schedule/plan for September 19 filing, components of the critical path, advisory committee update, the RFQ for Technical Consultants, adjust critical path schedule, set future meeting dates, and develop agenda for next Board meeting. These meetings are open to the public. Amy Hopper is the contact person at (510) 251-2888, extension 2015.

Public Meeting

September 10, 1997 10 am - 4 pm With a working lunch (A brief break will be called prior to lunch)	Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center 851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone Center) San Francisco
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The Low Income Governing Board will meet to discuss the following agenda items: review meeting minutes, discuss legal issues, budget planning, schedule/plan for September 19 filing, components of the critical path, advisory committee update, the RFQ for Technical Consultants, adjust critical path schedule, set future meeting dates, and develop agenda for next Board meeting. These meetings are open to the public. Amy Hopper is the contact person at (510) 251-2888, extension 2015.

Public Meeting

September 17, 1997 1:30 am - 4 pm	California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue Room 3204 San Francisco
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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

September 17 and 18, 1997 9 am - 5 Public Meeting	5550 Kearny Mesa Road San Diego
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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

September 19, 1997 10 am - 4 pm	Deaf & Disabled Telecommunications Program Office 1939 Harrison Street Room 555 Oakland
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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

September 30 and October 1, 1997 9 am - 5 pm	California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue Room 5305 San Francisco
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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

October 17, 1997 1:30 pm - 4:00 pm	California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue Room 3204 San Francisco
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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

November 17, 1997 1:30 pm - 4:00 pm	California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue Room 3204 San Francisco
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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

<p>December 17, 1997 1:30 pm - 4:00 pm</p>	<p>California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue Room 3204 San Francisco</p>
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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.

NEW FILINGS

8/5/97	A97-08-008	Washington Water Power Company, for an order authorizing (a) the issuance, sale, delivery, and/or guarantee of Debt Securities, in one or more series, with an aggregate stated value of up to and including \$250,000,000; (b) the issuance, sale, delivery, and/or guarantee of Conservation Bonds through the use of a special purpose entity, in one or more series, with an aggregate stated value of up to and including \$60,000,000; (c) the refunding of tax-exempt debt securities currently outstanding, in one or more series, with an aggregate stated value of up to and including \$85,000,000; and (d) the issuance and sale of up to and including \$45,000,000 of outstanding short-term debt in excess of the amount provided in PU Code Section 823
8/20/97	A97-08-051	San Diego Gas and Electric Company, for the authority to extend its short-term borrowing authorization of an aggregate amount not to exceed \$200,000,000 through December 31, 2002, in addition to that amount otherwise authorized
8/21/97	C97-08-054	Carl Brandstetter vs. Holiday Retreats, Inc., Paul Derebery, Surinder S. Dang, and Gurinder Singh, for serving water without authority
8/22/97	A97-08-052	City of Coachella, for an order authorizing construction of a crossing at separated grades between 1st Street and the tracks of the Union Pacific Railroad Company, sometimes referred to as the "50th Avenue/1st Street Overhead" and the closing of existing 50th Avenue and 5th Street
8/25/97	A97-08-053	Evergreen Telecom, Inc., for registration as an interexchange carrier telephone corporation

PETITIONS FOR MODIFICATION AND APPLICATIONS FOR REHEARING

8/25/97 C93-07-024 Donna Matthews vs. Meadows Management Company, James M. Krueger and Rondell B. Hanson all Doing Business As Plantation On The Lake Mobilehome Park, to determine whether rates and charges are just and reasonable pursuant to PU code Section 2705.6;
Application for rehearing of D. 97-08-052 by Donna Matthews

DRAFT DECISIONS * PROPOSED DECISIONS * ALTERNATES * ARBITRATOR'S REPORTS

NONE

ADVICE LETTER FILINGS MISCELLANEOUS TRANSPORTATION ITEMS

August 27, 1997

NONE

MISCELLANEOUS TRANSPORTATION ITEMS

August 27, 1997

NONE

ADJOURNMENTS * RESETTINGS * SUBMISSIONS

R94-02-003 Bushey-Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking, non-dominant telecommunications firms, **hearing set for October 3, reset for 9 am, October 10, San Francisco**

A91-11-010	Weiss-Citizens Utilities Company of California, GRC, and related matters, Evidentiary Hearing held and continued to 9:30 am, August 29, San Francisco
A90-09-043	Mattson-GTE Corporation, Contel merger, and related matters, Evidentiary Hearing held and continued to 10 am, September 3, San Francisco
I97-04-046	Henderson-Commission Order Instituting Investigation, Future Telephone Communications, Prehearing Conference held and completed

REMOVALS FROM CALENDAR

NONE

NEW SETTINGS

9/9/97 ALJ Weissman	10:30 am A96-09—028	(PHC)-Pacific Gas and Electric Company, to address the treatment of Canadian transmission capacity and charges as they relate to core transport rates, beginning 1/1/98, and the treatment of any transition costs occurring after that date as a consequence of the unbundling of the interstate demand charges from core transport rates, and the treatment of Canadian demand charges, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
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LAW AND MOTION

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.

9/2/97	9:30 am	NONE SCHEDULED
9/3/97	2:00 pm A96-10-038	Joint Application of Pacific Enterprises, Enova Corporation, Mineral Energy Company, et al., Applicants' Motion to Sanction Enron;

TURN/UCAN Motion to Compel Responses from Applicants; and Edison's Motion to Quash Applicants' Notice of Depositions; ALJ Robert Barnett, Presiding

9/9/97	9:30 am	NONE SCHEDULED
9/10/97	10:00 AM R93-04-003 I93-04-002	Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion to govern open access to bottleneck services, etc., and related matter, Renewal of Motion by AT&T Communications of California, Inc., (U 5002 C) for Protective Order Regarding TICM Discovery, ALJ A. Kirk McKenzie, Presiding
9/16/97	9:30 am	NONE SCHEDULED

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.

<i>(PHC) = Prehearing Conference</i>	<i>(OA) = Oral Argument</i>
<i>(EH) = Evidentiary Hearing</i>	<i>(WS) = Workshop</i>
<i>(PPH) = Public Participation Hearing</i>	<i>(FPH) = Full Panel Hearing</i>
<i>(IAM) = Initial Arbitration Meeting</i>	<i>(AH) = Arbitration Hearing</i>
<i>(M) = Mediation</i>	

8/27/97	10:00 am	(EH) -Park Water Company, for authority to increase revenues by \$1,385,807, or 8.7%, in 1998, \$609,600, or 3.9%, in 1999, and \$664,211, or 4.1%, in 2000, in the Central Basin Division
ALJ Bushey	A97-03-032	Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also August 28 and 29 and September 2,3, and 5, San Francisco)
Comr Duque		

8/28/97	10:00 am	(PHC) -Southern California Edison Company vs. Southern California Gas Company, for offering firm inventory services at the excessive rate, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
ALJ Walker	C97-06-041	
Comr Bilas		

8/28/97	10:00 am	(PHC) -Pacific Bell, for approval of changes to its capital depreciation rates, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
ALJ Galvin	A97-06-048	
Comr Conlon		

8/28/97 ALJ Galvin Comr Conlon	11:00 am A97-06-050	(PHC) -GTE California Incorporated, a corporation, for approval of 1998 depreciation rates, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
8/29/97 ALJ Weiss Comr Duque	9:30 am A91-11-010	(EH) -Citizens Utilities Company of California, general rate increase for water service for additional gross revenues of \$306,960 in 1992 and \$24,008 in 1993 in its Montara District, and
	C92-01-026	(EH) -Joan E. Briody vs. Citizens Utilities of California, to meet state standards for fire hydrants and water per hydrant in the Montara/Moss Beach area, and
	C92-02-045	(EH) -Point Montara Fire Protection District vs. Citizens Utilities Company of California, for failure to provide adequate water service in Seal Cove and Moss Beach Heights,
	C92-02-031	(EH) -Gary H. Warhaftig vs. Citizens Utilities Company, for failure to provide adequate water service in Montara, and
	C92-02-033	(EH) -Beverly R. and Ronald F. Garrity vs. Citizens Utilities Company, for failure to provide adequate water service in Montara, Moss Beach, and
	C92-01-045	(EH) -Peter Dekker vs. Citizens Utilities Company of California, that defendant has failed to maintain an adequate quality of water supplied to its customers and must implement measures to raise the volume of water for emergency use to its fire hydrants and increase storage capacity for some n its Montara and Moss Beach areas, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
9/2/97 ALJ Reed Comr Bilas	10:00 am C97-07-007	(PHC) -INFONXX, Inc. vs. Pacific Bell, for failure to comply with D.97-01-042 by furnishing nondiscriminatory access to Pacific's directory assistance database under rates, terms, and conditions that are the same as, or reasonably equivalent to, those under which Pacific Bell provides such access to MCI Metro Access Transmission Services, Inc., pursuant to the approval arbitrated interconnection agreement between MCI Metro and Pacific dated February 3, 1997, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
9/2/97 ALJ Reed Comr Duque	1:30 pm R93-04-003	(PHC) -Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion to govern open access to bottleneck services and establish a framework for

		network architecture development of dominant carrier networks, and
	I93-04-002	Commission Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission's own motion into open access and network architecture development of dominant carrier architecture development of dominant carrier networks, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (EH) 10 am, November 10, San Francisco (also November 12-14, 17-21, 24-26, and December 1-3, San Francisco)
9/2/97 ALJ Henderson Comr Neeper	2:00 pm I97-04-013	(PHC) -Commission Order Instituting Investigation into the Commission's own motion into whether the Bedwell Water Company and its owners, Thomas and Vicky Jern8gan, misused the Safe Drinking Water Bond Act surcharge and revenues and have violated rules, orders, and decisions of the Commission Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
9/3/97 ALJ Stalder Comr Neeper	9:00 am I96-09-031	(EH) -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, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also September 4 and 5, San Francisco)
9/3/97ALJ Mattson Comr Duque	10:00 am A90-09-043 A95-12-006	(EH) -GTE Corporation, to merge into Contel Corporation and GTE becoming the parent company, and (EH) -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	(EH) -Commission Order Instituting Investigation into the rates, charges, service, and practices, and regulation of Contel of California, Inc., Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
9/3/97 ALJ Hale Comr Bilas	10:00 am C96-12-028	(PHC) -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,
**Santa Barbara Public Library, Townley Room,
Lower Level, 40 East Anapamu Street, Santa
Barbara**

9/4/97 9:00 am (OA)-Order Instituting Rulemaking to establish
ALJ Econome R97-04-011 standards of conduct governing relationships between
Comr Knight energy utilities and their affiliates, and
Comr Bilas I97-04-012 (OA)-Order Instituting Investigation to establish
standards of conduct governing relationships between
energy utilities and their affiliates,
Commission Auditorium, San Francisco

9/5/97 10:00 am (PHC)-Pacific Enterprises, Enova Corporation, Mineral
ALJ Barnett A96-10-038 Energy Company, B Mineral Energy Sub, and G Mineral
Comr Duque Sub, for approval of a plan of merger of Pacific
Comr Neeper 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,
Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

9/5/97 10:30 am (PHC)-Wild Goose Storage, Inc., for a certificate of
ALJ Weissman A96-08-058 public convenience and necessity to construct facilities
Comr Conlon for gas storage operations in Butte County,
Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

9/5/97 1:30 pm (PHC)-County of Fresno vs. Pacific Bell (Code
ALJ Pulsifer C97-07-020 Administrator and Code Relief Coordinator for
Comr Conlon California), for failure to minimize the impact to existing
customers in the existing NPA, and for failure to ensure
for an equitable impact on all existing and potential code
holders,
Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

9/8/97 10:00 am (EH)-Commission Order Instituting Investigation into
ALJ Weiss I96-10-034 the operations and practices of Airtrans Express Shuttle,
Comr Duque 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,
**Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles (also
September 9, Los Angeles)**

9/9/97 ALJ Weissman	10:30 am A96-09—028	(PHC)-Pacific Gas and Electric Company, to address the treatment of Canadian transmission capacity and charges as they relate to core transport rates, beginning 1/1/98, and the treatment of any transition costs occurring after that date as a consequence of the unbundling of the interstate demand charges from core transport rates, and the treatment of Canadian demand charges, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
9/10/97 ALJ Bushey Comr Neeper	9:00 am R97-08-001	(PHC)-Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking, on the Commission 's own motion to consider adoption of rules applicable to Interexchange Carriers for the transfer of customers including establishing penalties for unauthorized transfer, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
9/10/97 ALJ Wright Comr Conlon	10:00 am A97-05-016	(EH)-Pacific gas and Electric Company, for authority to (I) establish its authorized rate of return on common equity, (ii) establish its authorized capital structure, and (iii) establish its overall rate of return for calendar year 1998, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also September 11 and 12, San Francisco)
9/11/97 ALJ Barnett	1:00 pm C97-07-056	(ECP)-Roger Hayward vs. Southern California Edison Company, for overbilling, Municipal Museum, Second Floor Conference Room, 3580 Mission Inn Avenue, Riverside
9/11/97 ALJ Barnett	1:30 pm C97-07-57	(ECP)-Ruth Garen vs. GTE California, for unauthorized switching of local and long distance carriers, Municipal Museum, Second Floor Conference Room, 3580 Mission Inn Avenue, Riverside
9/12/97 ALJ Mattson Comr Bilas	9:30 am C97-01-013	(EH)-Bill Langworthy, et al. vs. Calavaras Telephone Company and Pacific Bell, for discriminatory telephone billing practices, Old Courthouse, Second Floor, 30 North Main Street, San Andreas
9/12/97 ALJ Barnett Comr	9:30 am C97-07-055	(ECP)-Oliver Svenson vs. Pacific Bell, for wrongful disconnection, erroneous billing, Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles

9/12/97	10:00 am	(ECP)-Barry Harman vs. Pacific Bell, for failure to transfer service and overbilling, and ,
ALJ Barnett	C97-06-035	
Comr Knight	C97-04-59	(ECP)-Barry Harman vs. Pacific Bell, for violations of tariff regulation, incorrect billing, and wrongful disconnection of services
		Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles
9/16/97	10:00 am	(ECP)-Patrick J. Byington vs. Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for improper billing in the amount of \$2,575.99,
ALJ Stalder	C97-08-042	Tuolumne Utility District, 13144 Mono Way, Sonora
9/16/97	10:00 am	(PHC)-Southern California Edison Company, for authority to revise its energy cost adjustment billing factors, its electric revenue adjustment billing factor, its low-income rate assistance, and its base rate levels, effective 1/1/93, and for authority to revise its energy reliability index and avoided capacity cost pricing , and for review of the reasonableness of Edison's operations during the period from 4/1/92 through 3/31/92, and
ALJ Barnett	A92-05-047	
Comr Conlon		
Comr Knight		
Comr Neepser		
	A91-05-050	(PHC)-Southern California Edison Company, for authority to revise its electric rates under the energy cost adjustment clause, major additions adjustment billing factor, electric revenue adjustment billing factor, and low-income surcharge, for rate increase of \$214.4 million effective 1992, and
	A93-05-044	(PHC)Southern California Edison Company, for authority to revise its energy cost adjustment billing factors, its electric revenue adjustment billing factor, its low-income rate assistance, and its base rate levels, effective 1/1/94, authority to revise the energy reliability index and avoided capacity cost pricing, and for review of the reasonableness of Edison's operations during the period from 4/1/92 through 3/31/93, and
	A94-05-044	(PHC)-Southern California Edison Company, for authority to revise its energy cost adjustment billing factors, its electric revenue adjustment billing factor, its LIRA, and its base rate levels effective 1/1/95, for a total increase of \$3`12.3 million, revise the energy reliability index and avoided capacity cost pricing, and review of the reasonableness of Edison's operations during the period from 4/1/93 through 3/31/94, and
	A95-05-049	(PHC)- Southern California Edison, for authority to revise its energy cost adjustment bill factors, its electric

		revenue adjustment billing factors, its low income rate assistance, and its base rate levels effective 1/1/96, to revise the incremental energy rate, the energy reliability index, and avoidable capacity cost pricing, etc., Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
9/16/97 ALJ Weiss Comr Duque	9:30 am A96-11-013	(EH) -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, City of Yucaipa Council Chambers, Civic Center, 34272 Yucaipa Boulevard, Yucaipa (also September 17, Yucaipa); (PPH) 6:30 pm, September 16, Norton Younglove Multipurpose Senior Center, 908 Park Avenue, Calimesa
9/17/97 ALJ Econome Comr Bilas	9:30 am A97-03-002	(PHC) -Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for authority to revise its gas rates and tariffs to be effective 1/1/98, pursuant to D.89-01-040, D.90-09-089, D.91-05-029, D.93-12-058, D.94-07-024, and D.95-12-053, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
9/17/97 ALJ Wright Comr Knight	10:00 am I96-12-041	(EH) -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 Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
9/17/97 ALJ Barnett Comr Neeper Comr Duque	10:00 am A96-10-038	(EH) -Pacific Enterprises, Enova Corporation, Mineral 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, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also September 18-19, 22-26, 29-30, and October 1-3 and 6-8, San Francisco)
9./18/97 ALJ Wetzell	10:00 am A96-07-009	(EH) -Southern California Edison Company, to adopt performance-based ratemaking and incentive-based

Comr Duque		ratemaking mechanisms as specified in D.95-12-053, as modified by D.96-01-009, with related changes in D.89-01-040, D.92549, and D.88-01-063, and (EH)-Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for approval of proposed hydroelectric/geothermal performance-based ratemaking (PBR) mechanisms, effective 1/1/98, and to change electric revenue requirements subject to PBR, also effective 1/1/98 (Pacific Gas and Electric Company's hydroelectric/geothermal generation revenue requirements for 1998) , Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also September 19, 22 and 23, San Francisco)
	A96-07-018	
9/19/97	10:00 am	(EH)-Lew A. Garbutt vs. Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for failing to provide information regarding overhead electrical service,
ALJ Patrick	C96-12-005	Electric Department Conference Room, 2556 Heather Lane, Redding
Comr Duque		
9/19/97	1:00 pm	(PHC)-Renette King vs. Pacific Bell, for improper filing, crossed line, etc.,
ALJ Ryerson	C97-05-040	Council Chambers, Cerritos City Hall, 18125 Bloomfield Avenue, Cerrito
Comr Duquq		
9/22/97	9:30 am	(EH)-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,
ALJ Kenney	C97-02-027	Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also September 23-25, San Francisco)
Comr Bilas		
9/22/97	2:00 pm	(PPH)-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,
ALJ Ryerson	A97-04-051	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)
Comr Neeper		(EH) 10 am, September 23, Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles

9/23/97 ALJ Bushey Comr Duque	10:00 am A96-12-029	(PHC) -California Water Service Company, for an order authorizing California Water Service Company to form a holding company structure, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
9/25/97 ALJ Ryerson Comr Duque	10:00 am C97-05-008	(PHC) -Harold L. Richardson, et al. vs. Apple Valley Ranchos Water Company and Southern California Water Company, for overcharges on water services, Community Development Building, Council Chambers, 14900 Apple Valley Inn Road, Apple Valley
10/2/97 ALJ Bushey Comr Neeper	10:00 am C96-11-029	(EH) -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 Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles (also October 3, Los Angeles)
10/2/97 ALJ Walker Comr Duque(10:00 am C96-10-023	(EH) -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, Yorkville)
10/03/97 ALJ Bushey Comr Neeper	8:00 am C97-06-004	(EH) -Fred McElhaney vs, GTE California Incorporated, for refusal to install a telephone service, Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles
10/3/97 ALJ Kotz Comr Duque	10:00 am C96-02-040	(EH) -Leon Selva and Norman Selva vs. Southern Pacific Transportation Company, for unnoticed and arbitrary removal of railroad crossing, City of Salinas Council Chambers, 200 Lincoln Avenue, Salinas
10/8/97 ALJ Walwyn Comr Knighte	10:00 am A97-03-004	(EH) -Pacific Bell, for approval of rate reductions to offset the explicit subsidy support ordered in D.96-10-066, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also October 9 and 10, 14-17, and 20-24, San Francisco
10/10/97 ALJ Bushey	9:00 am R94-02-003	(OA) -Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking to establish a simplified registration process for non-

Comr Knight	194-02-004	dominant telecommunications firms, and (OA) -Commission Order Instituting Investigation to establish a simplified registration process for non-dominant telecommunications firms, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
10/10/97 ALJ Ryerson Comr Duque	10:00 am 197-05-045	(PHC) -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, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
10/14/97 ALJ Mattson Comr Duque	9:00 am C97-03-019	(EH) -California Cable Television Association vs. Southern California Edison Company, for unlawful increase of pole attachment charges Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also October 15-17, San Francisco)
10/14/97 ALJ Weiss Comr Conlon	9:30 am C92-04-03 C92-11-032	(PHC) -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 (PHC) -Silverwood Estates Development Limited Partnership, vs. Alisal Water Corporation, dba Alco Water Service, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
10/14/97 ALJ Galvin Comr Knight	10:00 am C95-08-063	(PHC) -Bruce Kennedy vs. GTE California and Pacific Bell for a realignment of GTEC and Pacific Bell services territory boundary on Hutchinson Road in Felton, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also October 15, San Francisco)
10/16/97 ALJ Barnett	2:30 pm C97-07-059	(ECP) -Judy Lam vs. Southern California Edison Company, for overbilling of \$2,897.24, The State Office Building, 1350 Front Street, Room B-103, San Diego
10/21/97 ALJ Ryerson Comr Duque	10:00 am 196-04-023	(PHC) -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 (also
October 22, San Francisco)**

10/27/97 9:00 am (EH)-Commission Order Instituting Investigation into
ALJ Bennett 197-04-045 the operations and practices of Brittan
Comr Neeper 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,
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also
October 28-31, San Francisco)**

10/27/97 9:00 am (EH)-Commission Order Instituting Investigation into
ALJ Bushey 197-04-044 the operations and practices of L.D. Services, doing
Comr Neeper 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,
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also
October 28-31, San Francisco)**

10/31/97 10:00 am (PHC)-Gloria Jean Smith vs. Pacific Gas and Electric
ALJ Ryerson C97-06-005 Company, for non-compliance with its originally
Comr Bilas estimated costs of installation of services,
**Council Chambers, Town Hall, 549 Main Street,
Placerville**

11/3/97 9:00 am (EH)-San Diego Gas & Electric Company, for
ALJ Gottstein A97-05-002 authority to increase its gas and electric revenue
Comr Neeper requirements to reflect its accomplishments for
demand-side management program years 1994, 1995,
and 1996, in the 1997 annual earnings assessment
proceeding, and
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 (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, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also November 4-7, and 12-14, San Francisco
11/19/97	9:30 am	
ALJ Garde	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, State Office Building, Office of Administrative Hearings, Room 6022, 1350 Front Street, San Diego
12/1/97	10:00 am	
ALJ Careaga	C96-01-019	(PHC) -The City of Vernon vs. The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway, for non-compliance with zoning, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also December 2 and 3, San Francisco)
Comr Neeper		

NOTICE OF DENIAL OF REQUEST FOR EX PARTE MEETING

On September 20, 1996, the Commission adopted Resolution ALJ 169 regarding the "Filing of Notice of Denial of Request for Ex Parte Meeting". The resolution implements an interim procedure whereby a party whose written request for an ex parte meeting with a Commissioner has been denied will be allowed to file a notice of such denial. Copies of Resolution ALJ 169 are available from the Commission's Central Files Office at 505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 2002, San Francisco; telephone (415) 703-2045. Copies of tendered notices are available in the Central Files Office for review and/or reproduction under existing procedures. They are also available from the filing party who is under the obligation to provide copies of the notice without delay.

NONE FILED

NOTICE OF EX PARTE COMMUNICATIONS

Copies of tendered notices are available in the Central Files Office for review and/or reproduction under existing procedures. They are also available from the filing party who is under the obligation to provide copies of the notice without delay.

8/25/97 A97-07-030 Pacific Gas and Electric Company, to sell and Modesto Irrigation District to acquire electric distribution and transmission facilities serving the Cities of Ripon, Escalon, Riverbank, Oakdale, and surrounding rural areas.

Summary: On August 20, 1997, Jana Corey, Regulatory Relations Director for Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) met with Michelle Cooke, advisor for Cmmr. Duque, in San Francisco. David Gamson, advisor for Cmmr. Nepper, and Chris Mayer, Assistant General Manager for Modesto Irrigation District (MID), were also present. Corey stated that the Section 851 filing seeks authority to sell to MID certain electric distribution and transmission facilities serving four cities near the area currently served by MID, for a net payment to PG&E of \$110 million. Corey stated that the net payment was based on: 1) a payment from MID to PG&E for the value of the underlying assets; 2) a payment from MID to PG&E for the Competition Transition Charge (CTC) obligation of those customers to be assumed by MID; 3) a payment from PG&E to MID for the new service area agreement and to settle outstanding litigation. Corey stated that the agreement was an important part of reaching closure on AB 1890, and ultimately prevents duplication of facilities, fulfills the CTC obligation for customers that will be served by MID, and eliminates potential stranding of transmission and distribution facilities. Corey stated that the agreement creates competitive opportunities in both service areas; immediate direct access in both areas; "wire" competition in San Joaquin and Stanislaus counties after 5 years; and immediate distribution competition in the high growth Mountain House area.

Filer: Pacific Gas and Electric Company

Contact: Heidi Holzhauser

Phone: (415) 972-5611

8/26/97 A97-04-005 Unocal California Pipeline Company and Tosco Corporation, for authority for Unocal California Pipeline Company to sell and Tosco Corporation to acquire public utility assets pursuant to Section 851 of the Public Utilities Code and to transfer control of a public utility pursuant to section 854 of the Public Utilities Code

Summary: On August 21, 1997, William T. Bagley, attorney for the Tosco Corporation (Tosco), sent a three-page facsimile document (attached to the notice) to Cmmr. Bilas in San Francisco. Bagley's three-page document, entitled "TOSCO/UNOCAL/UNOCAL MATTER," sets forth excerpts from the briefs and/or reply briefs of Tosco, UNOCAL California Pipeline Company, the County of San Luis Obispo, and the California State

Lands Commission.

Filer: Tosco Corp.

Contact: Jose E. Guzman, Jr.

Phone: (415) 398-3600

8/26/97 A97-05-022 San Diego Gas and Electric Company, for: (1) authority to reduce rates effective 1/1/98; (2) to sell or assign transition property to one or more financing entities; (3) to service rate reduction bonds on behalf of financing entities; and (4) to establish charges sufficient to recover fixed transition amounts.

Summary: On August 22, 1997, Steven C. Nelson, Senior Attorney for San Diego Gas and Electric Company (SDG&E), spoke with ALJ Careaga in San Francisco. Nelson stated that the correct citation at pages 10 and 11 of SDG&E's "Opening Brief on Draft Rate Reduction Bond Interim Opinion and Financing Order" should read Schedule "A-V1" vice Schedule "AV-I."

Filer: San Diego Gas and Electric Company E-Mail: etotah@sdge.com

Contact: Elizabeth M. Totah

Phone: (415) 346-1385

8/26/97 R89-03-026 Southern California Edison Company, for a certificate to construct and operate 220KV transmission line between Kran-p-r Substation and victor Substation in San Bernardino County.

Summary: On August 22, 1997, John P. Hughes, Regulatory Affairs Manager for Southern California Edison Company (Edison), spoke with ALJ Stalder in San Francisco. Hughes stated that Edison anticipated a request by TURN for additional time to file testimony. Hughes stated that TURN did not submit any data requests until 8/1/97 and 8/4/97 even though TURN's testimony was due 8/15/97. Hughes stated that Edison would oppose TURN's request.

Filer: Southern California Edison Company

Contact: Bobie Cao

Phone: (626) 302-2310

8/26/97 A97-07-030 Pacific Gas and Electric Company, to sell and Modesto Irrigation District to acquire electric distribution and transmission facilities serving the Cities of Ripon, Escalon, Riverbank, Oakdale, and surrounding rural areas.

AUGMENTATION REQUIRED. Summary: On August 21, 1997, Jana Corey, of Modesto Irrigation District (MID), met with Michelle Cooke, advisor for Cmmr Duque, in San Francisco. David Gamson, advisor for Cmmr. Neep, and Christopher Mayer, were also present. Corey stated that the Commission is being asked to approve PG&E's Application, which would provide for the sale to MID of distribution assets in the cities of Ripon, Escalon, Riverbank and Oakdale, and adjacent unincorporated areas, for a price of

\$89 million; payment by MID to PG&E of \$54 million to cover the CTC obligation of the customers in the purchase zone, and a payment of \$43 million from PG&E to MID for the service area agreement and the settlement of litigation. Steffen stated that approval of the transaction by 12/31/97 is important to MID; such approval would coincide with the advent of direct access, allowing new customers to begin receiving the advantages of lower rates and alleviate the need for construction of facilities to serve customers who desire to receive electric service from MID after 1/1/98 but prior to approval of the transaction.

Filer: Modesto Irrigation District

Contact: Scott T. Steffen

Phone: (209) 526-7373

AUGMENTATION REQUIRED. Summary: On August 21, 1997, Jana Corey, of Modesto Irrigation District (MID), met with Cmmr. Bilas in San Francisco. Also present were: Julie Halligan, advisor for Cmmr. Bilas; Steven Kline; Les Guliasi; and Christopher J. Mayer. Corey stated that the Commission is being asked to approve PG&E's Application, which would provide for the sale to MID of distribution assets in the cities of Ripon, Escalon, Riverbank and Oakdale, and adjacent unincorporated areas, for a price of \$89 million; payment by MID to PG&E of \$54 million to cover the CTC obligation of the customers in the purchase zone, and a payment of \$43 million from PG&E to MID for the service area agreement and the settlement of litigation. Steffen stated that approval of the transaction by 12/31/97 is important to MID; such approval would coincide with the advent of direct access, allowing new customers to begin receiving the advantages of lower rates and alleviate the need for construction of facilities to serve customers who desire to receive electric service from MID after 1/1/98 but prior to approval of the transaction.

Filer: Modesto Irrigation District

Contact: Scott T. Steffen

Phone: (209) 526-7373

Summary: On August 21, 1997, Steven L. Kline, Regulatory Relations Vice President for Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E), met with Cmmr. Bilas in San Francisco. A two-page handout (attached to the notice) entitled "PG&E/Modesto Irrigation District Sale of Facilities" was used. Also present were: Julie Halligan, advisor for Cmmr. Bilas; Chris Mayer, Assistant General Manager for Modesto Irrigation District (MID); Scott Steffen, Assistant General Counsel for Modesto Irrigation District; Les Guliasi, Regulatory Relations Manager for PG&E; and Jana Corey, Regulatory Relations Director for PG&E. Kline stated that the Section 851 filing seeks authority to sell to MID certain electric distribution and transmission facilities serving four cities near the area currently served by MID. Kline stated that the agreement was an important part of reaching closure on AB 1890 and ultimately prevents duplication of facilities. Corey stated that the transaction results in a net payment from MID to PG&E of \$110 million. Corey stated that the net payment includes: 1) a payment from MID to PG&E for the value of the underlying assets; 2) a payment from MID to PG&E for the Competition Transition Charge (CTC) obligation of those customers to be assumed by MID; and 3) a payment from PG&E to MID for the new service area agreement and to settle outstanding litigation. Corey stated that the agreement fulfills the CTC obligation for customers that will be served by MID, and eliminates potential stranding of transmission and distribution facilities.

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