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Daily Calendar **Monday, November 17, 1997**

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REGULAR COMMISSION MEETINGS

November 19, 1997	10:00 a.m.	San Francisco
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NOTICES

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In addition, the Commission will make draft agenda items available for viewing and photocopying (at 20 cents per page) at the Commission's Central Files Office (Room 2002), 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, and in the Los Angeles, San Diego, and the following field offices: El Centro, Eureka, Sacramento and San Bernardino. Since the agenda package will be mailed to these locations, it will be available at these locations a day

or two after the distribution date. These locations will not receive agenda items that are not ready on the distribution date.

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Intervenors who have a financial hardship determination pending or granted shall be eligible to receive draft agenda item packets at no charge.

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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>
11/20/97, 9 am - 12 pm	Josiah L. Neeper	State Office Building 107 S. Broadway, Room 5109 Los Angeles
12/5/97, 10 am - 12 pm	Henry M. Duque	Veterans Affairs Building 1227 "O" Street, Room 404 Sacramento
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

November 17, 1997 9:30 am - 4 pm	Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center 851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone Center) San Francisco
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The California Board for Energy Efficiency will meet to discuss development of the RFP for independent administrators and governing rules, the utility 1998 program plans and associated reports to the ALJ, transition milestones, utility pre-1998 commitments, Board operational matters, reports from or direction to the technical consultants and Technical Advisory Committee, and other Board filings. The contact person is Nancy Licht of Wm. Nesbit & Associates, (707) 523-1663.

Public Meeting

November 17, 1997 10 am - 4pm 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 To join via teleconference, dial (303) 248-1059; Passcode 3934904
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As provided for in Public Utilities Commission D.97-09-117, one or more LIGB members may be participating in this meeting via teleconference. Members of the public may be participating in this meeting via teleconference. Members of the public may participate in the meeting by **calling (303) 248-1059**.

The Low Income Governing Board Advisory Committee will meet to discuss the following agenda items: continuation in addressing issues related to transition, planning for upcoming meetings, and develop agenda for next Committee meeting. These meetings are open to the public. You can get the materials for this meeting from the LIGB website at www.ligb.org under "Advisory Committee". Amy Hopper is the contact person at (510) 251-2888, extension 2015. Members of the Public: If you would like to purchase a box lunch (\$10) please call Amy Hopper no later than Thursday, November 13, 1997.

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

November 17, 1997	California Public Utilities Commission
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1:30 pm - 4:00 pm

505 Van Ness Avenue
Room 3204
San Francisco

The Universal Lifeline Telephone Service (ULTS) Administrative Committee will hold its regularly scheduled monthly meeting to approve the payment of telephone claims, review and approve administrative expenses, authorize administrative transfer, approve the 1988 Administrative Budget, and other general administrative matters.

If you would like to join the meeting by phone conference or receive a copy of the agenda, please notify Vivien Wright, Executive Assistant, five (5) working days in advance of the meeting at (510) 452-2757.

Public Meeting

November 18, 1997
10 am - 4pm

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

With a Working Lunch
(A brief break will be called prior to lunch)

**To join via teleconference at your own expense:
dial (415) 904-2864; Passcode 6687053#**

As provided for in Public Utilities Commission D97-09-117, one or more LIGB members may be participating in this meeting via teleconference. Members of the public may participate in the meeting by calling **415/904-2864 on November 18, 1997.**

The Low Income Governing Board will meet to discuss the following agenda items: Chairperson's report, review meeting minutes, discuss legal issues, address budget planning/financial status, update on the advisory committee, Technical Consultants projects, update on the Executive Coordinator role, new Board member identification, address policy planning issues on critical path, and develop agenda for the next Board meeting. These meetings are open to the public. You can get the materials for this meeting from the LIGB website at www.ligb.org. Amy Hopper is the contact person at (510) 251-2888, extension 2015.

Public Meeting

November 19, 1997
(Wednesday)
9:30 am - 12:00 noon

California Public Utilities Commission
505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 3204
(Corner of Van Ness Avenue and McAllister Street)
San Francisco

The Interim Administrative Committee for the California High Cost Fund B and the California Teleconnect Fund will hold its 8th meeting to review comments filed by interested parties on its motion filed on October 29, 1997, and to discuss administrative matters. The contact person for this meeting is Angela Young at (415)703-2837.

Public Meeting

November 19, 1997
Lottery begins at 1:30 pm

California Public Utilities Commission
505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 4211 (NEW ROOM #)

	(Corner of Van Ness Avenue and McAllister Street) San Francisco
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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 November 11, 1997. For information on the lottery process, call (415) 703-1128. If specialized accommodations for the disabled are needed, call the Public Advisor at (415) 703-2032 five working days in advance of the event.

Informational Hearing

November 20, 1997 10:00 am - 3:00 pm	Long Beach Public Library 101 Pacific Avenue Long Beach
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The purpose of this meeting is to identify the causes of the situation that the Union Pacific Railroad is currently experiencing in California, including at the Los Angeles and Long Beach Ports and to determine the extent of that situation upon service and safety. The scope of the meeting will include the effects on UP, the shippers that use UP, and other railroads. **If you would like to speak at this meeting, please sign up in advance with the Public Advisor's office by November 18 by calling (213) 897-3544.**

Public Meeting

November 24, 1997 9:30 am - 4 pm	Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center 851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone Center) San Francisco
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The California Board for Energy Efficiency will meet to discuss development of the RFP for independent administrators and governing rules, the utility 1998 program plans and associated reports to the ALJ, transition milestones, utility pre-1998 commitments, assets and liabilities, contract pay-out dates, Board operational matters, reports from or direction to the technical consultants and Technical Advisory Committee, and other Board filings. The contact person is Nancy Licht of Wm. Nesbit & Associates, (707) 523-1663.

Public Meeting

November 24, 1997 10:00 am - 2:00 pm	Natural Resources Defense Council 71 Stevenson Street, Suite 1825 San Francisco
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The New Programs Subcommittee of the Technical Advisory Committee for the California Board for Energy Efficiency will meet to discuss the scope of issues for the subcommittee, how to address short- and long-term issues, future programs and recommendations for the transition from the interim administrators, the next steps for the subcommittee, and the subcommittee's report to the TAC during its December 2, meeting. The contact person is Sheryl Carter at (415) 777-0220.

Additional locations include:

Sera, Inc., 1511 3rd Ave., Suite 1000, Seattle, WA
10949 S. W. 4th Ave., Portland, OR
Esource, Inc., 1033 Walnut St., Boulder, CO
SESCO, Inc., 77 Yacht Club Drive, #1000, Lake Forest, NJ
The Service Institute, 1335 Ridgedale Court, Roseville, CA
Elec. & Gas Industries Assn., 1645 Alvarado St., San Leandro, CA

Public Meeting

<i>December 1, 1997 1 pm - 5 pm</i>	<i>Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program San Francisco Marriott Hotel 55 Fourth Street (ROOM TO BE ANNOUNCED) San Francisco</i>
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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 TTY. Environmental Reminder: Please refrain from wearing perfumes or scents to DDTP meetings, because people with environmental illness or multiple chemical sensitivity must reduce their exposure in order to attend.

Public Meeting

<i>December 2, 1997 9 am - 12 noon</i>	<i>Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program San Francisco Marriott Hotel 55 Fourth Street (ROOM TO BE ANNOUNCED) San Francisco</i>
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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 TTY. Environmental Reminder: Please refrain from wearing perfumes or scents to DDTP meetings, because people with environmental illness or multiple chemical sensitivity must reduce their exposure in order to attend. [Call DDTP to obtain directions to CSPP/San Diego]

Public Meeting

<i>December 2, 1997 12 noon - 1 pm</i>	<i>Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program San Francisco Marriott Hotel 55 Fourth Street (ROOM TO BE ANNOUNCED) San Francisco</i>
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The Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will hold its annual luncheon. The public may participate. For more information about the annual luncheon, contact Sara Brucker at (510) 874-1410 VOICE or (510) 874-1411 TTY. Environmental Reminder:

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Public Meeting

<p><i>December 2, 1997</i> <i>1 pm - 4 pm</i></p>	<p><i>Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program</i> <i>San Francisco Marriott Hotel</i> <i>55 Fourth Street (ROOM TO BE ANNOUNCED</i> <i>San Francisco</i></p>
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The Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will hold its annual joint meeting. For more information about the annual joint meeting, please contact Sara Brucker at (510) 874-1410 VOICE or (510) 874-1411 TTY. Environmental Reminder: Please refrain from wearing perfumes or scents to DDTP meetings, because people with environmental illness or multiple chemical sensitivity must reduce their exposure in order to attend.

Public Meeting

<p><i>December 3, 1997</i> <i>10 am - 4 pm</i></p>	<p><i>Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program</i> <i>San Francisco Marriott Hotel</i> <i>55 Fourth Street (ROOM TO BE ANNOUNCED</i> <i>San Francisco</i></p>
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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 Sara Brucker at (510) 874-1410 VOICE or (510) 874-1411 TTY. Environmental Reminder: Please refrain from wearing perfumes or scents to DDTP meetings, because people with environmental illness or multiple chemical sensitivity must reduce their exposure in order to attend.

Public Meeting

<p><i>December 3, 1997</i> <i>10 am - 4pm</i></p> <p><i>With a Break for Lunch</i> <i>(A brief break will be called prior to lunch)</i></p>	<p><i>Wyndham Hotel at Los Angeles Airport</i> <i>6225 West Century Boulevard</i> <i>Los Angeles</i></p> <p><i>To join via teleconference at your own expense:</i> <i>dial (303) 633-6220; Passcode 1376417#</i></p>
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As provided for in Public Utilities Commission D97-09-117, one or more LIGB members may be participating in this meeting via teleconference. Members of the public may participate in the meeting by **calling 303/633-6220 on December 3, 1997.**

The Low Income Governing Board will meet to discuss the following agenda items: Chairperson's report, review meeting minutes, discuss legal issues, Technical Consultants projects, address budget planning/financial status, update on the advisory committee, update on the Executive Coordinator role, new Board member identification, address policy planning issues on critical path, and develop agenda for the next Board meeting. These meetings are open to the public. You can get the materials for this meeting from the LIGB

website at www.ligb.org. Amy Hopper is the contact person at (510) 251-2888, extension 2015.

Public Meeting

<p>December 4, 1997 9 am - 5 pm</p>	<p>Double Tree Club Hotel (Orane County Airport) 7 Hutton Center Drive Santa Ana</p>
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The Administrative Committee of the Electric Education Trust (EET) will hold a public meeting to conduct business related to establishing the trust and realizing its mission. The agenda includes, among other things, presentations by representatives of the Consumer Education Plan, consideration of education and outreach activities with community-based organizations, results of a request for proposal (RFP) for trust administrators and consultants, and various administrative matters. The contact person is William R. Schulte at (415) 703-2349.

Public Meeting

<p>December 5, 1997 (Friday) 9:00 am - 12 noon</p>	<p>Offices of Graham & James LLP Third Floor Reception Area (ask for M. Mattes) 1 Maritime Plaza (Clay Street at Front Street) San Francisco</p>
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The California High Cost Fund A Trust Administrative Committee will hold its next meeting. For a copy of the agenda or more information, contact Jean Boettger at (415) 542-1949.

Public Meeting

<p>December 5, 1997 9 am - 5 pm</p>	<p>Double Tree Club Hotel (Orange County Airport) 7 Hutton Center Drive Santa Ana</p>
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The Administrative Committee of the Electric Education Trust (EET) will hold a public meeting to conduct business related to establishing the trust and realizing its mission. The agenda includes, among other things, presentations by representatives of the Consumer Education Plan, consideration of education and outreach activities with community-based organizations, results of a request for proposal (RFP) for trust administrators and consultants, and various administrative matters. The contact person is William R. Schulte at (415) 703-2349.

Public Meeting

<p>December 15, 1997 9 am - 5 pm</p>	<p>California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue San Francisco</p>
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The Administrative Committee of the Electric Education Trust (EET) will hold a public meeting to conduct business related to establishing the trust and realizing its mission. The agenda includes, among other things, presentations by representatives of the Consumer Education Plan, consideration of education and outreach activities with community-based organizations, results of a request for proposal (RFP) for trust administrators and consultants, and various administrative matters. The contact person is William R. Schulte at (415) 703-2349.

Public Meeting

<i>December 16, 1997</i> <i>9 am - 5 pm</i>	<i>California Public Utilities Commission</i> <i>505 Van Ness Avenue</i> <i>San Francisco</i>
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Public Meeting

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

Public Meeting

<i>December 19, 1997</i> <i>10 am - 4 pm</i>	<i>Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program</i> <i>1939 Harrison Street</i> <i>DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555</i> <i>Oakland</i>
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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 TTY. Environmental Reminder: Please refrain from wearing perfumes or scents to DDTP meetings, because people with environmental illness or multiple chemical sensitivity must reduce their exposure in order to attend.

NEW FILINGS

11/12/97	C97-11-018	Brooks Fiber Communications of Fresno, Inc., Brooks Fiber Communications of Stockton, Inc., Brooks Fiber Communications of Bakersfield, Inc., Brooks Fiber Communications of San Jose, Inc. and Brooks Fiber Communications of Sacramento, Inc. vs. Pacific Bell, for unreasonable and unlawful anti-competitive activities
11/14/97	A97-11-019	Ronald A. Larson, dba Larson's Van Service, to expand its routes and current service area (2068 Sutton Way, Henderson, NV 89014; (702) 456-4791)
11/14/97	A97-11-020	American Nortel Communications, Inc., for registration as an interexchange carrier telephone corporation

PETITIONS FOR MODIFICATION AND APPLICATIONS FOR REHEARING

11/13/97	C96-02-014	MCI Telecommunications Corp. and AT&T Communications of California, Inc. vs. Pacific Bell and MFS Intelenet of California, Inc., for discriminatory provision of toll and joint-use Centrex services to MFS Intelenet for resale to MFS Intelenet's customers; Application for Rehearing of D97-10-025 by MFS Intelenet of California, Inc.
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**DRAFT DECISIONS * PROPOSED DECISIONS * ALTERNATES *
ARBITRATOR'S REPORTS**

11/14/97	I95-06-005	Investigation on the Commission's own motion into the operations and practices of Mr. Trucker, a California corporation, and of its president, Rodney Lawley, Respondents; Proposed decision of ALJ Stalder
11/14/97	C96-10-018	Pac-West Telecomm, Inc. (U 5266 C), Complainant, v. Evans Telephone Company (U 1008 C), and The Volcano Telephone Company (U 1019 C), Defendants; and
	I97-03-025	Investigation on the Commission's own Motion into rating area consistency and routing practices between incumbent

		Local Exchange Carriers and certified Competitive Local Carriers in instances where expanded local service has been afforded; Proposed decision of ALJ Gottstein
11/14/97	C97-07-020	County of Fresno, Complainant, vs. Pacific Bell, Code Administrator and Code Relief Coordinator for California, Defendant; Proposed decision of ALJ Pulsifer
11/14/97	A97-03-029	Southern California Water Company, for an order authorizing it to increase gross revenues by \$429,300, or 15.0%, in 1998; \$429,300, or 15.0%, in 1999; \$429,300, or 15.0%, in 2000; and \$429,300, or 15.0%, in 2001, in the Bay Point District;
	A97-03-030	Southern California Water Company, for an order authorizing it to increase gross revenues by \$556,900, or 12.8%, in 1998; \$556,900, or 12.8%, in 1999; and \$556,900, or 12.8%, in 2000; in the Arden-Cordova District; and
	A97-03-031	Southern California Water Company, for an order authorizing it to increase gross revenues by \$117,900, or 8.4%, in 1998; \$117,900, or 8.4%, in 1999; and \$117,900, or 8.4%, in 2000; and \$117,900, or 8.4%, in 2001; in the Los Osos District; Proposed decision of ALJ Garde
11/14/97	A97-04-051	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; Proposed decision of ALJ Ryerson
11/14/97	R97-01-009	Order Instituting Rulemaking on the Commission's Intervenor Compensation Program; and
	I97-01-010	Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission's Intervenor Compensation Program; Draft decision of ALJ Hale
11/14/97	A91-11-010	In the Matter of the Application of Citizens Utilities Company of California for authority to increase rates and charges for water service in its Montara District;
	C92-01-026	Joan E. Briody, Complainant, vs. Citizens Utilities of California, Defendant;
	C92-01-045	Peter Dekker, Complainant, vs. Citizens Utilities Company of California, Defendant;
	C92-02-031	Gary H. Warhaftig, Complainant, vs. Citizens Utilities, Defendant;

	C92-02-033	Beverly R. Garrity and Ronald F. Garrity, Complainants, vs. Citizens Utilities, Defendant;
	C92-02-045	Point Montara Fire Protection District, Complainant, vs. Citizens Utilities Company of California, Defendant; and
	C92-03-010	Lewis V. Mickelon, Jr., Complainant, vs. Citizens Utilities, Defendant; Proposed decision of ALJ Weiss
11/14/97	A96-07-009	In the Matter of the Application of Southern California Edison Company (U-338-E) To Adopt The Performance Based Ratemaking and Incentive Based Ratemaking Mechanisms Specified in D.95-12-063, as Modified by D.96-01-009, and Related Changes; and
	A96-07-018	Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company To Adopt Performance-Based Ratemaking (PBR) For Generation And To Change Electric Revenue Requirement Subject To PBR, Effective January 1, 1998. (Electric) (U 39 E); Proposed decision of ALJ Wetzell

ADVICE LETTER FILINGS

To inquire about a filing, call the Energy Division (703-1093), Telecommunications Division (703-1889) or Water Division (703-2028).

To protest a filing, mail the original letter/telegram to the Chief of the appropriate division (i.e., "Chief, [Energy, Telecommunications or Water] Division"), to be received no later than 20 days after the date the Advice Letter was filed.

Effective TBD" means that the date is to be determined by further Commission action. A date listed as "anticipated effective" may be subject to change. An Advice Letter Supplement is not a new filing, and there is no protest period unless indicated.

06/18/97	Telecom 1	PARCEL CONSULTANTS INC., Initial filing per D.96-11-051 to provide interLATA and IntraLATA Telecommunications services (effective TBD)
10/09/97	Energy 2633-A	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GAS COMPANY, Supplements A.L.No.2633 , Implementation of PBR Indexing Mechanism. (effective TBD)
10/10/97	Energy 1575E-A	PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Supplements A.L.No.1575E , Add two New Forms 79-858--Disputed Account Declaration and 79-859--Proof of claim. (effective TBD)
10/10/97	Energy 1948G-A	PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Supplements A.L.No.1948G , Add two New Forms 79-858--Disputed

		Account Declaration and 79-859—Proof of Claim. (effective TBD)
10/17/97	Energy 1252E	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON COMPANY, Notice of Proposed Construction of Facilities Exempt from a Permit to Construct - Garnet-Santa Rosa 115 kV Line (effective TBD)
10/21/97	Energy 45	ARCO PIPE LINE COMPANY, Addition of a new origination point for Trunk Line #63 Light Crude Service. (effective TBD)
10/24/97	Energy 2639	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GAS COMPANY, Elimination of 1996 BCAP PGA Surcharge for Core Non- Residential Customers (effective TBD)
10/27/97	Energy 2641	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GAS COMPANY, Long- term storage contract with Cytec Engineered Materials, Inc. (renewed). (effective TBD)
10/28/97	Energy 1704E	PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Notice of Relocation of a Power Line in the City of San Jose (effective TBD)
10/31/97	Energy 2043G	PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Amendment to Firm Service Transportation Agreement between PG&E and City of Pasadena for Pipeline Expansion Service (effective TBD)
11/03/97	Energy 1253E	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON COMPANY, Establishment of Rate Reduction Bond (RRB) and Schedule RRB, Rate Reduction Bonds, Bill Credit and Fixed Transition Amount Charge (FTAC) (effective TBD)
11/03/97	Energy 1254E	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON COMPANY, 1/1/98 Tariff Changes pursuant to Streamlining D.97-10- 057, Preliminary Statements, Part G, Energy Cost Adjustment clause (ECAC) and Part J, Electric Revenue Adjustment Mechanism (ERAM) (effective TBD)
11/05/97	Energy 1707E	PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Adds 17 Sites to Hazardous Substance Mechanism (effective TBD)
11/05/97	Energy 2044G	PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Adds 17 sites to Hazardous Substance Mechanism (effective TBD)

11/07/97	Telecom 2	PARCEL CONSULTANTS INC., Replaces entire tariffs on file (effective TBD)
11/13/97	Energy 2638	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GAS COMPANY, Revisions to fuel charge for Interconnect Access Service, Schedule G-ITC. (effective TBD)
11/13/97	Water 1441	CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE COMPANY, [Dixon District]Attrition increase pursuant to Decision 95-08-058 dated August 11, 1995. (anticipated effective 01/01/98)
11/13/97	Water 1442	CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE COMPANY, [South San Francisco District]Attrition increase approved in Decision No. 95-08-058 dated August 11, 1995. (anticipated effective 01/01/98)
11/13/97	Water 1443	CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE COMPANY, [Stockton District]Attrition increase approved in Decision 96-06-034 dated June 6, 1996. (anticipated effective 01/01/98)
11/13/97	Water 1444	CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE COMPANY, [Visalia District]Attrition increase pursuant to Decision 96-06-034, dated June 6, 1996. (anticipated effective 01/01/98)
11/13/97	Water 1445	CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE COMPANY, [East Los Angeles District]Attrition increase approved in Decision No. 96-06-034 dated June 6, 1996. (anticipated effective 01/01/98)
11/13/97	Water 1446	CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE COMPANY, [Hermosa-Redondo District]Attrition increase approved in Decision No. 96-06-034 dated June 6, 1996. (anticipated effective 01/01/98)
11/13/97	Water 1447	CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE COMPANY, [Marysville District]Attrition increase approved in Decision 95-08-058 dated August 11, 1995. (anticipated effective 01/01/98)
11/13/97	Water 1448	CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE COMPANY, [Willows District]Attrition increase approved in Decision 95-08-058 dated August 11, 1995. (anticipated effective 01/01/98)

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| 11/13/97 | Water 1449 | CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE COMPANY, [Bakersfield District]Attrition increase approved in Decision 96-06-034 dated June 6, 1996. (anticipated effective 01/01/98) |
| 11/13/97 | Water 1450 | CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE COMPANY, [Livermore District]Attrition increase approved in Decision 97-04-057 dated April 23, 1997. (anticipated effective 01/01/98) |
| 11/13/97 | Water 1451 | CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE COMPANY, [Palos Verdes District]Attrition increase in compliance with Decision No. 97-04-057 dated April 23, 1997. (anticipated effective 01/01/98) |

ADVICE LETTER PROTESTS

To inquire about a protest, call the Energy Division (703-1093), Telecommunications Division (703-1889) or Water Division (703-2028). To obtain a copy of the protest, please direct your request to the protestor.

NONE

MISCELLANEOUS TRANSPORTATION ITEMS

November 17, 1997

Filings with Safety and Enforcement

NONE

ADJOURNMENTS * RESETTINGS * SUBMISSIONS

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| R93-04-003 | Reed-Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking, open access and establish framework, for network architecture, Evidentiary Hearing held and continued to 9 am, November 17, San Francisco |
| I93-04-002 | |
| C97-10-038 | Bennett-Jesus G. Gumban vs. Pacific Bell, Evidentiary Hearing held and continued to 10 am, Decembe 9, San Francisco |
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REMOVALS FROM CALENDAR

NONE

NEW SETTINGS

NONE

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.

11/18/97	9:30 am	NONE SCHEDULED
11/25/97	9:30 am	NONE SCHEDULED
12/2/97	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.

(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

11/17/97 ALJ Reed Comr Duque	9:00 am R93-04-003	(EH)-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	(EH)-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 (also November 18-21, 24-26, and December 1-5, San Francisco)
11/17/97 ALJ Bennett Comr Neeper	9:00 am I97-04-045	(EH)-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, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
11/17/97 ALJ Pulsifer Comr Conlon	10:00 am R95-04-043 I95-04-044	(PHC)-Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion into competition for local exchange service, and (PHC)-Investigation on the Commission's own motion into competition for local exchange service, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
11/18/97 ALJ Stalder Comr Conlon	10:00 am A95-08-038	(EH)-San Jose Water Company, for authority to increase rates by \$3,867,000 or 4.16% in 1995; \$4,348,000 or 4.43% in 1996; and \$1,713,000 or 1.67% in 1997, in Los Gatos, Saratoga, Monte Sereno, Campbell, portions of San Jose, Cupertino and Santa Clara, and in territory within the County of Santa Clara surrounding and adjacent in these municipalities, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also November 19, San Francisco)
11/18/97 ALJ Bushey Comr Bilas	10:00 am I97-09-001	(OA)-Commission Order Instituting Investigation into the operations, practices, and conduct of National Telephone and Communications, Inc., to determine whether it has violated the laws, rules, and regulations governing the manner in which California consumers are switched from one long distance carrier to another, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

11/19/97 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, State Office Building, Office of Administrative Hearings, Room 6022, 1350 Front Street, San Diego
11/20/97 ALJ Walker Comr Conlon	10:00 am C97-09-019	(PHC) -Pacific Bell vs. AT&T Communications of California, Inc., for revenue loss in the amount of \$.386 for each intraLATA minute of MEGACOM provided by AT&T from 9/17/94 - 12/31/94, or \$5,239,300, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
11/20/97 ALJ Garde Comr Conlon	11:00 am I96-04-022	(EH) -Commission Order Instituting Investigation into the operations and practices of Marco C. Araiza, dba Araiza Express, for allegedly operating as a contract permit carrier without liability insurance, San Bernardino Field Office of the California Public Utilities Commission, 255 North D Street, Suite 310, San Bernardino

11/20/97	1:30 pm	(PHC)-CABAC, Inc., for authority to operate as an “on call” passenger stage corporation, pursuant to Section 1031 of the California Public Utilities Code, In Los Angeles and other counties, and
ALJ Bennett	A97-06-011	
Comr Duque		
Comr Neeper		
	A97-06-012	(PHC)-B.A.D.D.J., Inc., for authority to operate as an “on-call” passenger stage corporation, pursuant to Section 1031 of the California Public Utilities Code, in Los Angeles and other counties, and
	A97-06-013	(PHC)-AMRAT, Inc, for authority to operate as an “on-call” passenger stage corporation, pursuant to Section 1031 of the California Public Utilities Code, in Los Angeles and other counties, and
	A97-07-041	(PHC)-Rideshare Port Management LLC, dba Prme Time Shuttle, for authority to operate as a passenger stage corporation between points in Los Angeles and other counties, and
	A97-09-041	(PHC)-David Regwan, dba Prime Time Shuttle of Ventura, Orange and Los Angeles Counties, to sell and Amrat, Inc., a California Corporation, to purchase, granted by D.90-03-06 n Application 89-08-029, pursuant to Sections 854 and 1036(b) of the California Public Utilities Code, and establish a zone of rate freedom, Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles
11/21/97	10:00 am	(PHC)-Commission Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission’s own motion into the operations, practices, and conduct of Inter Continental Telephone Corporation to determine whether the company has complied with the laws, rules, regulations and applicable tariff provisions governing the manner in which California consumers are switched from one long-distance carrier to another, and other requirements for long distance carriers, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
ALJ Bushey	197-01-011	
Comr Neeper		
11/24/97	10:00 am	(PHC)-Lorraine Brown, Christopher Gray, vs. Santa Clara County Transit District and the City of San Jose for failure to comply with Section 2-3324 of the State of California Building Code in failing to install 18-inch bands of clearly contrasting texture at the edges of the boarding platform so a blind person can detect the different platforms and failure to comply with ANSI A117.1, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
ALJ Mattson	C93-06-007	
Comr Conlon		

11/25/97 ALJ Henderson Comr Neeper	10:00 am I97-04-013	(EH) -Commission Order Instituting Investigation into the Commission's own motion into whether the Bidwell Water Company and its owners, Thomas and Vicky Jernigan, misused its Safe Drinking Water Bond Act surcharge and revenues and have violated the rules, orders, and decisions of the Commission, Department of Transportation Legal Department, Room 1450, 1120 N Street, Sacramento (also November 26, Sacramento)
11/26/97 ALJ Bennett Comr Neeper	1:30 pm C97-08-066	(PHC) -Robert McCormick vs. Yosemite Spring Park Utility, for sub-standard water service, Telephone Prehearing Conference
12/2/97 ALJ Bennett	10:30 am C97-10-077	(ECP) -Whiskey Run Homeowners Association vs. Kirkwood Gas and Electric Company, for relief from the payment for electricity used by a commercial unit not associated with the homeowners association, Office of Governmental Affairs, 1227 O Street, Fourth Floor, Sacramento
12/4/97 ALJ Rosenthal Comr Neeper	9:30 am I94-05-040	(EH) -Commission Order Instituting Investigation into the operations of Kenneth Bola Obatusin, dba Airport Ride, for failure to comply with safety requirements and airport regulations, failure to post rates in vehicles, failure to file annual report, etc., Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles
12/4/97 ALJ Bennett	10:00 am C97-10-079	(ECP) -Leonard Bruno vs. California Real Estate Cellular Service Corp, dba AirTel, for unauthorized charges or calls not made by complainant, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
12/8/97 ALJ Weiss Comr Conlon	9:30 am C92-04-034	(EH) -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, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

12/9/97 ALJ Stalder Comr Conlon	9:30 am A90-12-018 I91-02-079	(EH) -Southern California Edison Company, generate rate increase for electric service for 1992 in the amount of \$440 million, and (EH) -Commission Investigation into the rates, charges, and practices of Southern California Edison Company, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
12/9/97 ALJ Bennett Comr Knight	10:00 am C97-10-038	(ECP) -Jesus G. Gumban vs. Pacific Bell, for billing on a dropped or canceled service, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
12/11/97 ALJ Walker Comr Duque	10:00 am C96-10-004	(EH) -Roger Collin, Georgia Collin, and Charles Acker vs. Pacific Bell, for improper rates and toll chares, Greenwood Community Church, 5921 South Highway 1, Elk, California (also December 12, Elk)
12/17/97 ALJ Malcolm Comr Conlon	10:00 am A97-07-030	(EH) -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, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (December 18 and 19, San Francisco)
1/9/98 ALJ Barnett	10:00 am C97-10-076	(ECP) -Lorna Shofner vs. D.C.N. Wireless, for overbilling and unfair business practices, Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles,
1/12/98 ALJ Careaga Comr Duque	10:00 am C97-04-025	(EH) -ARCO Products Company, Mobil Oil Corporation, Texaco Refining and Marketing Inc. vs. SFPP, L.P., for violation of Section 451 of the Public Utilities Code by charging rates that are not just and reasonable for the intrastate transportation of refined petroleum products, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
1/14/98 ALJ Ramsey Comr Conlon	10:00 am I91-08-029	(PHC) -Investigation on the Commission's own motion into the causes of recent derailments of Southern Pacific Transportation Company trains, compliance of Southern Pacific with applicable laws, rules, and regulations, the existence of any local safety hazards, and recommendations for improvements in state and federal laws or regulations, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

1/9/98 ALJ Barnett	10:30 am C97-10-078	(ECP) -Fariborz Hamzel vs. Pacific Bell, for unauthorized ISDN calls, Commission Courtroom, State Office Building, 107 S. Broadway, Los Angeles
1/22/98 ALJ Econome Comr Bilas	1:30 pm 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 (EH), for 10 am, January 26, San Francisco (also January 27-30 and February 2-6, San Francisco),
2/9/98 ALJ Careaga Comr Neeper	10:00 am C96-01-019	The City of Vernon vs. The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway, for non-compliance with zoning, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
3/16/98 ALJ Bushey Comr Knight	9:00 am C96-12-043	(EH) -U.S. Long Distance, Inc. vs. Pacific Bell, for losses in excess of \$100,000 due to defendants improper administration of billing and collection services edit called "scan and reject edit," Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also March 17-18, San Francisco)
3/30/98 ALJ Patrick Comr Bilas	10:00 am A97-03-015	(EH) -Southern California Gas Company, for approval of a long-term gas transmission service contract with Distribudora de Gas Natural de Mexicali, s. de R.L. de C.V., Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also March 31, and April 1-3, San Francisco)

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.

11/13/97	A96-07-009	Southern California Edison Company, to adopt performance based ratemaking and incentive based ratemaking mechanisms as specified in D95-12-063, as modified by D96-01-009, with related changes in D89-01-040, D92549 and D88-01-063, and
	A96-07-018	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.

Summary: On November 7, 1997, John Hughes, manager, regulatory policy and affairs for Southern California Edison Company (Edison), spoke with ALJ Wetzell by telephone. Hughes stated that the creation of two subaccounts in Edison's generation PBR proceeding was unnecessary, distinguishing Edison from Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) where the Helms pumped storage facility represents a large portion of PG&E's hydro plant investment. Hughes stated that in contrast with PG&E, only about \$5 million of the investment at Edison's Eastwood facility is related to Edison's pumped storage. Hughes stated that it is inefficient to require a separate accounting for pumped storage facilities considering the small proportion involved (approximately 1%) of Edison's total hydro investment. Hughes stated that in light of the de minimis investment in pumped storage, the Office of Ratepayer Advocate's position should be rejected.

Filer: Edison

Contact: Barbara Cao

Phone: (626) 302-2310

11/14/97	A96-03-031	Southern California Gas Company, for authority to revise its rates effective January 1, 1997, in its Biennial Cost Allocation Proceeding, for a total reduction in annual revenues of approximately \$147.9 million (5.7%),
	A96-04-030	San Diego Gas & Electric Company, for authority to revise its rates effective January 1, 1997, in its Biennial

Cost Allocation Proceeding for an approximately \$42 million decrease over presently authorized revenues.

Summary: On November 13, 1997, Edward Poole, counsel for Save our Services Coalition (SOS), sent a letter to ALJ Jeffrey O'Donnell. The letter was to serve as a second supplement to a Request for Award of Compensation, filed by SOS. The letter states that no travel time was included by Mr. Nunez or Mr. Hurdle in the number of hours worked.

Filer: Save Our Services Coalition

Contact: Ramona Percelle

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