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### **Daily Calendar Friday, December 5, 1997**

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**Commission Decisions and Resolutions for the Conference of November 19, 1997 are included in this calendar.**



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## REGULAR COMMISSION MEETINGS

December 16, 1997    10:00 a.m.    San Francisco

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## NOTICES

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

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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>
12/5/97, 10 am - 12 pm	Henry M. Duque	Veterans Affairs Building 1227 "O" Street, Room 404 <b>Sacramento</b>
12/10/97, 9 am - 12 pm	Josiah L. Neeper	State Office Building 1350 Front Street, Room 4006 <b>San Diego</b>

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**Public Meeting**

December 5, 1997 (Friday)	Offices of Graham & James LLP Third Floor Reception Area (ask for M. Mattes)
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9:00 am - 12 noon	1 Maritime Plaza (Clay Street at Front Street) <b>San Francisco</b>
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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**

December 5, 1997 9 am - 5 pm	Double Tree Club Hotel (Orange County Airport) 7 Hutton Center Drive <b>Santa Ana</b>
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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**

December 9, 1997 10 am - 4pm	Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center 851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone Center) <b>San Francisco</b>
With a Working Lunch (A brief break will be called prior to lunch)	<b>To join via teleconference at your own expense:          dial (415) 904-2864; Passcode 6687053#</b>

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 December 9, 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, December 10 filling, 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](http://www.ligb.org). Amy Hopper is the contact person at (510) 251-2888, extension 2015.

**Public Meeting**

December 10, 1997	California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 4300 <b>San Francisco</b>
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	<b>To join via teleconference at your own expense: dial (415) 904-2864; Passcode 6680753#</b>
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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, December 10 filing, update on the Executive Coordinator role, new Board member identification, address policy planning issues on critical path, and develop agenda for 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](http://www.ligb.org). Amy Hopper is the contact person at (510) 251-2888, extension 2015.

**Public Meeting**

<i>December 11, 1997 9:30 am - 3:30 pm</i>	<i>Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program 1939 Harrison Street DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555 Oakland</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 11, 1997 9:30 am - 4pm</i>	<i>Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center 851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone Center) San Francisco</i>
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The California Board for Energy Efficiency will meet to discuss the RFP for independent administrators and governing rules, utility pre-1998 commitments, assets and liabilities, program funding levels, the CBEE 1988 budget, work plan and other Board operational matters, utility 1998 program plans and associated reports to and decisions by the ALJ, 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.

**Workshop Meeting**

<i>December 12, 1997 10 am</i>	<i>Opera Plaza Recreation Room Mezzanine Level 601 Van Ness Avenue</i>
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	<b><i>San Francisco</i></b>
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San Diego Gas & Electric Company (SDG&E) will hold a workshop in accordance with Ordering Paragraph No. 4 of CPUC Decision 97-04-067. The purpose of the workshop is to explain SDG&E's Distribution PBR proposal and to solicit the views and concerns of interested parties. **Please RSVP to Monica Wiggins by phone (619) 696-4056 or fax (619) 696-4027 no later than Tuesday, December 9, 1997.**

***Public Meeting***

<i>December 15, 1997</i> <i>9 am - 5 pm</i>	<i>Pacific Bell Building (REVISED LOCATION)</i> <i>370 - 3<sup>rd</sup> Street</i> <b><i>San Francisco</i></b>
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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 15, 1997</i> <i>2 pm - 4 pm</i>	<i>Onsite Energy</i> <i>701 Palomar Airport Road, Suite 200</i> <b><i>Carlsbad</i></b>
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The Nonresidential SPC Subcommittee of the Technical Advisory Committee for the California Board for Energy Efficiency will meet to discuss (1) evaluation of SPC programs, including success indicators; (2) public information and outreach concerning SPC programs introduced by interim administrators 1998; and (3) coordinating the Subcommittee's input to the CBEE. The contact person is Richard Sperberg at (760) 931-2400.

***Public Meeting***

<i>December 16, 1997</i> <i>9 am - 5 pm</i>	<i>Pacific Bell Building (REVISED LOCATION)</i> <i>370 - 3<sup>rd</sup> Street</i> <b><i>San Francisco</i></b>
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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>Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center</i>
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<p>9:30 am - 6 pm and December 17, 1997 8:30 am - 2:30 pm</p>	<p>851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone Center) <b>San Francisco</b></p>
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The California Board for Energy Efficiency will meet on December 9:30 am to 12 pm to receive public comments on the proposed RFP for independent administrators and from 1-6 pm on December 16 and on December 17 to discuss the RFP and governing rules, the Board's response to comments on the RFP; program analysis and evaluation plans; utility 1998 program plans and associated reports to and decisions by the ALJ; utility RFPs for third-party programs; reports from or direction to the technical consultants and Technical Advisory Committee, Board operational matters, and other Board filings. The contact person is Nancy Licht of Wm. Nesbit & Associates, (707) 523-1663.

### **Public Meeting**

<p>December 16, 1997 10 am - 4pm</p> <p><i>With a Break for Lunch (A brief break will be called prior to lunch)</i></p>	<p>Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center 851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone Center) <b>San Francisco</b></p> <p><b>To join via teleconference: dial (303) 633-1013; Passcode 2362359#</b></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 also participate in the meeting on **December 16, 1997** by calling **303-633-1013**.

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

### **Public Meeting**

<p>December 17, 1997 10 am - 4pm</p> <p><i>With a Break for Lunch (A brief break will be called prior to lunch)</i></p>	<p>Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center 851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone Center) <b>San Francisco</b></p> <p><b>To join via teleconference: dial (303) 633-1880; Passcode 6687053#</b></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 **303-633-1880** on **December 17, 1997**.

The Low Income Governing Board Advisory Committee will meet to discuss the following agenda items: Continuation in addressing issues related to the transition of the programs and planning for upcoming meetings. These meetings are open to the public. You can get the materials for this meeting from the LIGB website at [www.ligb.org](http://www.ligb.org) under "Advisory Committee". Amy Hopper is the contact person at (510) 251-2888, extension 2015.

**Public Meeting**

<i>December 17, 1997 1 pm - 5 pm</i>	<i>Natural Resources Defense Council 71 Stevenson Street, Suite 1825 San Francisco</i>
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.The New Programs Subcommittee of the Technical Advisory Committee for the California Board for Energy Efficiency will meet to discuss (1) the program and portfolio planning process, (2) environmental externalities, and (3) data and information necessary for evaluation, and (4) the subcommittee's report to the TAC during its December 18 meeting. The contact person is Sheryl Carter at (415) 777-0220.

**Public Meeting**

<i>December 17, 1997 1:30 am - 4 pm</i>	<i>California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 3204 (Corner of Van Ness Avenue and McAllister Street) San Francisco</i>
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The Universal Lifeline Telephone Service (ULTS) Trust Administrative Committee will hold its regularly scheduled monthly meeting to approve the payment of telephone claims, review and approve administrative expenses, finalize the January through June 1998 Administrative Committee meeting dates, 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 (510) 452-2757.

**Workshop Notice and Public Meeting**

<i>December 18, 1997 9 am - 1 pm (WS) and 1 pm - 4 pm (TAC)</i>	<i>Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center 851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone Center) San Francisco</i>
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A Public Workshop will be conducted by the Technical Services Consultants to the California Board for Energy Efficiency to discuss (1) definitions, (2) cost-effectiveness tests and their application, (3) measures of performance and evaluation, and (4) methods to classify programs.



The Technical Advisory Committee for the California Board for Energy Efficiency will meet to discuss SPC program performance indicators; New Program and SPC subcommittee activities and work products; 1998 program changes based on recent CPUC decisions; TAC membership activities, including the recent TAC membership survey, and agenda planning for 1998. The contact person is Beverly Coleman (415) 564-3082.

**Public Meeting**

<p><i>December 19, 1997</i> <i>10 am - 4 pm</i></p>	<p><i>Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program</i> <i>1939 Harrison Street</i> <i>DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555</i> <b><i>Oakland</i></b></p>
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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.

**Public Meeting**

<p><i>January 8, 1998</i> <i>(Thursday)</i>  <i>9:30 am - 12:00 noon</i></p>	<p><i>California Public Utilities Commission</i> <i>505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 3204</i> <i>(Corner of Van Ness Avenue and McAllister Street)</i> <b><i>San Francisco</i></b></p>
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The Interim Administrative Committee for the California High Cost Fund B and the California Teleconnect Fund will hold its 9th meeting to discuss the status of 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.

**NEW FILINGS**

12/1/97	A97-12-001	City of Fullerton, California, for an order authorizing the construction of a grade separation between Highland Avenue and the San Bernardino Subdivision of the Burlington Northern and Santa Fe Railway Company in the City of Fullerton, California
12/1/97	A97-12-002	ACSI Local Switched Services, Inc., for registration as an interexchange carrier telephone corporation

**PETITIONS FOR MODIFICATION AND APPLICATIONS FOR REHEARING**

12/3/97	A96-03-008	California-American Water Company, to increase its
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		rates on all metered, private fire and sprinkling service in its Monterey District in order to produce an increase in annual revenues of approximately \$2,163,000 (11.20%) for 1997, \$479,400 (2.46%) for 1998 and \$442,900 (2.02%) for 1999; <b>Petition for modification of D96-12-005 by California-American Water Company</b>
12/3/97	R94-04-031	Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking on its proposed policies governing restructuring California's electric services industry and reforming regulation, and
	I94-04-032	Commission Order Instituting Investigation on its proposed policies governing restructuring California's electric services industry and reforming regulation; <b>Application for rehearing of D97-10-087 by Energy Producers and Users Coalition and the Cogeneration Association of California</b>
12/3/97		<b>Application for Rehearing of D97-10-087 by San Francisco Bay Area Rapid Transit District (BART)</b>

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

NONE

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**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.

11/25/97	Energy 2650	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GAS COMPANY, Revise timing of core subscription and core monthly pricing filings to be effective on first calendar of each month. <b>(effective TBD)</b>
11/26/97	Energy	PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, <b>Supplements</b>

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	1708E-A	<b>A.L.No.1708E</b> , ELECTRIC ADVICE LETTER 1708-E ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
11/26/97	Energy 2050G	PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Posts revised rates for Schedules GCSP GEPO GSUR PG&E monthly gas price filing Noncore ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
11/26/97	Energy 2051G	PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Posts revised rates for core gas schedules PG&E monthly gas price filing Core ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
11/26/97	Energy 1270E	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON COMPANY, Amendment to the Southern California Edison Company Nuclear Facilities Qualified and nonqualified California Public Utilities Commission Decommissioning Master Trust Agreements ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
11/26/97	Telecom 21	AFFINITY NETWORK INCORPORATED, Revise tariffs to shorten the Usage Increments by which applicable Equivalent Call Units are applied to calls ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
11/26/97	Telecom 1250	AT&T COMMUNICATIONS OF CALIFORNIA, INC, AT&T T1.5 contract with HIH America ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
11/26/97	Telecom 1251	AT&T COMMUNICATIONS OF CALIFORNIA, INC, AT&T service contract for Accunet T45 service with California State University Office of Chancellor ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
11/26/97	Telecom 128	CALL AMERICA BUSINESS COMM. CORP., New rate plans for existing services ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
11/26/97	Telecom 8601	GTE CALIFORNIA INCORPORATED, CentraNet Contract with University of California, Los Angeles ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
11/26/97	Telecom 8602	GTE CALIFORNIA INCORPORATED, OC3/OC12 contract with Hacienda/La Puente Unified School District ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
11/26/97	Telecom 8603	GTE CALIFORNIA INCORPORATED, ATM contract with Pacific Ocean Post ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
11/26/97	Telecom 8604	GTE CALIFORNIA INCORPORATED, PBX/DID contract ( <b>effective TBD</b> )

11/26/97	Telecom 8605	GTE CALIFORNIA INCORPORATED, Contract with U.S. Bankruptcy Court, Santa Barbara for Digital Channel Service ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
11/26/97	Telecom 13	NOS COMMUNICATIONS, INC., Revise tariff to shorten the Usage Increments by which applicable Equivalent Call Units are applied to calls ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
11/26/97	Telecom 11	NOSVA, LP, Revise tariffs to shorten the Usage Increments by which applicable Equivalent Call Units are applied to calls ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
11/26/97	Telecom 19137	PACIFIC BELL, Provide the offering of 24 strands of 62.5 micron core multimode fiber ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
11/26/97	Telecom 19138	PACIFIC BELL, Custom Calling Service promotion ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
11/26/97	Telecom 19139	PACIFIC BELL, Provide the offering of 24 strands of 62.5 micron core multimode fiber ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
11/26/97	Telecom 30	WORKING ASSETS FUNDING SERVICE, Introduce three new calling plans and make minor adjustment to an existing promotion ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
12/01/97	Energy 1715E	PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Submits the Rate Reduction Bond Issuance Advice Letter in compliance D.97-09-055. ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
12/01/97	Energy 1716E	PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Submits new and revised tariffs in compliance with Decision 97-10-087. ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
12/01/97	Energy 2052G	PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Compliance Revisions and rate updates. ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
12/01/97	Energy 2053G	PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Revisions for period prior to Gas Accord implementation on March 1, 1998. ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
12/01/97	Energy 1055E	SAN DIEGO GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Establishment of rewards and penalties balancing account. ( <b>effective TBD</b> )

12/01/97	Energy 1056E	SAN DIEGO GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Amendment to the SDG&E Nuclear Facilities Qualified and Non-qualified Decommissioning Master Trust Agreements ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
12/01/97	Telecom 96	CABLE & WIRELESS INC. (TDX), Introduce Cable & Wireless Complete as a new product ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
12/01/97	Telecom 193	CALAVERAS TELEPHONE COMPANY, Adopt Part 32 amendment effective January 1, 1998 ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
12/01/97	Telecom 214	CALIFORNIA OREGON TELEPHONE CO., Adopt Part 32 amendment effective January 1, 1998 ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
12/01/97	Telecom 16	DIAL & SAVE (DIAL & SAVE OF CALIFORNIA), Add two new contract services, Global Systems Prime 975 and Comtel Prime Business 975 and 925 ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
12/01/97	Telecom 213	DUCOR TELEPHONE COMPANY, Adopt Part 32 amendment effective January 1, 1998 ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
12/01/97	Telecom 269	EVANS TELEPHONE COMPANY, Adopt Part 32 amendment effective January 1, 1998 ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
12/01/97	Telecom 19143	PACIFIC BELL, SSE# 97s-06-01 for U.S. Marshals Service ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
12/01/97	Telecom 19144	PACIFIC BELL, Contract for a government agency for 311 service ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
12/01/97	Telecom 131	PINNACLES TELEPHONE COMPANY, Adopt Part 32 amendment effective January 1, 1998 ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
12/01/97	Telecom 10	SPECTRANET ANAHEIM, Introduces Fiber, Linked and Extended Service and reflects new Centrex features ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
12/01/97	Telecom 3	SPECTRANET ORANGE, Introduces Fiber, Linked and Extended Service and reflects new Centrex features ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
12/01/97	Telecom 268	SPRINT COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY L.P., Delete the \$25,000 Monthly Commitment Level for Real Solutions Option A, Delete promotions and add promotions ( <b>effective TBD</b> )

12/01/97	Telecom 269	SPRINT COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY L.P., Increase the per-call Payphone Service Charge for Wholesale Communications Service and Resale Solutions <b>(effective TBD)</b>
12/01/97	Telecom 270	SPRINT COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY L.P., Increase the per-call Sprint Clarity Foncard surcharge <b>(effective TBD)</b>
12/01/97	Telecom 244	THE SISKIYOU TELEPHONE COMPANY, Adopt Part 32 amendment effective January 1, 1998 <b>(effective TBD)</b>
12/01/97	Telecom 228	THE VOLCANO TELEPHONE COMPANY, Adopt Part 32 amendment effective January 1, 1998 <b>(effective TBD)</b>
12/01/97	Telecom 22	VARTEC TELECOM INC., Renew various promotions <b>(effective TBD)</b>
12/02/97	Energy 1662E-A	PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, <b>Supplements A.L.No.1662E</b> , Submits Standard Form 79-865--Electric and Gas Monitoring - Meter Pulse Agreement. <b>(effective TBD)</b>
12/02/97	Energy 2014G-A	PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, <b>Supplements A.L.No.2014G</b> , Submits Standard Form 79-865--Electric and Gas Monitoring - Meter Pulse Agreement. <b>(effective TBD)</b>
12/02/97	Energy 1057E	SAN DIEGO GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Implementation of Direct Access Tariffs pursuant to D.97-10-087. <b>(effective TBD)</b>
12/02/97	Telecom 1252	AT&T COMMUNICATIONS OF CALIFORNIA, INC, Accunet T1.5 Service contract for Onyx Acceptance Corporation <b>(effective TBD)</b>
12/02/97	Telecom 25	GE CAPITAL EXCHANGE, Reduce the intraLATA rates for GE Exchange for Business Switched Access Service <b>(effective TBD)</b>
12/02/97	Telecom 8606	GTE CALIFORNIA INCORPORATED, Eliminate the subsequent service order charge for customers who order flexible packaging <b>(effective TBD)</b>

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12/02/97	Telecom 69	GTE LONG DISTANCE (GTE CARD SVCS. INC.), Add new services and increase rates in the Private Branch Exchange Service ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
12/02/97	Telecom 7	THE PHONE COMPANY (TEL-SAVE INC), Add Travel Card service to ISP Long Distance Savings Plan and Electronic Billing Option ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
12/02/97	Water 53-W-A	COAST SPRINGS WATER COMPANY, INC., <b>Supplements A.L.No.53-W</b> , Impose surcharge to recover fees paid to the Dept. of Health Services, and to offset increase in the Consumer Price Index. ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
12/03/97	Telecom 1253	AT&T COMMUNICATIONS OF CALIFORNIA, INC, AT&T CustomNet & CustomNet Simply Better Pricing Option A-IntraLATA Promotion IV ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
12/03/97	Telecom 17	DIAL & SAVE (DIAL & SAVE OF CALIFORNIA), Add service contracts, Prime Business Select II - Special Contract #39 ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
12/03/97	Telecom 246	KERMAN TELEPHONE COMPANY, Adopt Part 32 amendment effective January 1, 1998 ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
12/03/97	Telecom 19145	PACIFIC BELL, Comply with Nov. 5 letter which states that Pacific cannot remove the rate caps ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
12/03/97	Telecom 19146	PACIFIC BELL, Express contract for DDD and VPP ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
12/03/97	Telecom 19147	PACIFIC BELL, Express contract for DDD, VPP and Calling Card Service ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
12/03/97	Telecom 19148	PACIFIC BELL, Customer specific contract for Direct Dialed Local Exchange Measured Rate Service for Zone 3 Usage ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
12/03/97	Telecom 11	SPECTRANET ANAHEIM, Introduce a new promotion "One Month Free Promotional Offer" ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
12/03/97	Water 173-W	PARK WATER COMPANY, General rate increase and to implement the revised reconnection fee in Rule 11 as authorized by the Settlement Agreement attached to Decision 97-11-061, dated November 19, 1997. ( <b>anticipated effective 01/01/98</b> )

12/04/97      Water 1010-      SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA WATER COMPANY,  
W                      [Calipatria-Niland District]Impose a surcharge to recover  
fees paid to the Dept. of Health Services. (**effective TBD**)

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### 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.

12/03/97      Telecom              PACIFIC BELL, Telephone Directory Reproduction  
19125                      Rights **Protest by The Assoc. of Directory Publishers.**

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### MISCELLANEOUS TRANSPORTATION ITEMS

**December 5, 1997**

Filings with Safety and Enforcement

**NONE**

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### ADJOURNMENTS \* RESETTINGS \* SUBMISSIONS

0I97-07-018      Ryerson-Commission Order Instituting Investigation,  
Hillview Water Company, **Prehearing Conference held  
and completed**

I94-05-040      Rosenthal-Commission Order Instituting Investigation,  
Kenneth Bola Obatusin, dba Airport Ride, **Evidentiary  
Hearing held and no report given**

A97-08-007      Garde-California Western Railroad, Inc., to modify  
scheduled commuter passenger service, etc.,  
**Evidentiary Hearing held and no report given**

C97-10-079      Bennett-Leonard Bruno vs. California Real Estate  
Cellular Service Corp, dba AirTel, **Evidentiary Hearing  
held and completed**



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C96-07-004 Ryerson-Richard T. and Jane M. Cavin vs. Hillview  
Water Company, **Prehearing Conference held and no  
report given**

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**REMOVALS FROM CALENDAR**

NONE

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**NEW SETTINGS**

NONE

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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.

12/9/7	9:30 am	NONE SCHEDULE
12/16/97	9:30 am	NONE SCHEDULE
12/23/97	9:30 am	NONE SCHEDULED

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**HEARINGS**

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

**(PHC) = Prehearing Conference**  
**(EH) = Evidentiary Hearing**  
**(PPH) = Public Participation Hearing**  
**(IAM) = Initial Arbitration Meeting**  
**(M) = Mediation**

**(OA) = Oral Argument**  
**(WS) = Workshop**  
**(FPH) = Full Panel Hearing**  
**(AH) = Arbitration Hearing**

12/8/97 ALJ Reed Comr Duque	9:00 am R93-04-003	<b>(EH)</b> -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	<b>(EH)</b> -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, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also December 9 and 10, San Francisco)</b>
12/8/97 ALJ Weiss Comr Conlon	9:30 am C92-04-034	<b>(EH)</b> -Castlerock Estates Inc., Bruce B. Breiholz vs. Toro Water Service, Inc., California Utilities Service, Inc., and Robert T. Adcock, for refunds of taxes and contributions for plant and facilities made in 1988, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
12/9/97 ALJ Stalder Comr Conlon	9:30 am A90-12-018	<b>(EH)</b> -Southern California Edison Company, generate rate increase for electric service for 1992 in the amount of \$440 million, and
	I91-02-079	<b>(EH)</b> -Commission Investigation into the rates, charges, and practices of Southern California Edison Company, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
12/9/97 ALJ Henderson Comr Neeper	10:00 am A96-10-022	<b>(PHC)</b> -San Diego Gas & Electric Company, for annual energy cost adjustment clause for the period from 5/1/97 to 4/30/98, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
12/9/97 ALJ Bennett Comr Knight	10:00 am C97-10-038	<b>(ECP)</b> -Jesus G. Gumban vs. Pacific Bell, for billing on a dropped or canceled service, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
12/9/97 ALJ Wetzell Comr Conlon	2:00 pm A97-09-049	<b>(PHC)</b> -San Diego Gas & Electric Company, for a permanent gas procurement performance-based ratemaking mechanism, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
12/10/97 ALJ Henderson Comr Duque	10:30 am C97-05-028	<b>(EH)</b> -Clark and Gudrun Beck vs. Bishop Water Company and California American Water Company, for inadequate operational and structural maintenance of a 200,000 gallon water storage tank <b>Seaside Community Center, Room C, 986 Hillby Street, Seaside</b>

12/11/97 ALJ Walker Comr Duque	10:00 am C96-10-004	<b>(EH)</b> -Roger Collin, Georgia Collin, and Charles Acker vs. Pacific Bell, for improper rates and toll chares, <b>Greenwood Community Church, 5921 South Highway 1, Elk, California (also December 12, Elk)</b>
12/11/97 ALJ Patrick	10:00 am A97-11-012	<b>(PHC)</b> -Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for authority to increase the price of water delivered to the El Dorado Irrigation District from the El Dorado Project, effective in 1998 and 1999, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
12/17/97 ALJ Malcolm Comr Conlon	10:00 am A97-07-030	<b>(EH)</b> -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, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (December 18 and 19, San Francisco)</b>
1/7/98 ALJ McVicar Comr Duque	9:00 am C97-08-054	<b>(EH)</b> -Carl Brandstetter vs. Holiday Retreats, Inc., Paul Derebery, Surinder S. Dang, and Gurinder Singh, for serving water without authority, <b>Council Chambers, City Hall, 3900 Main Street, Riverside</b>
1/9/98 ALJ Barnett Comr Neeper	10:00 am C97-10-076	<b>(ECP)</b> -Lorna Shofner vs. D.C.N. Wireless, for overbilling and unfair business practices, <b>Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles,</b>
1/9/98 ALJ Barnett Comr Duque	10:30 am C97-10-078	<b>(ECP)</b> -Fariborz Hamzel vs. Pacific Bell, for unauthorized ISDN calls, <b>Commission Courtroom, State Office Building, 107 S. Broadway, Los Angeles</b>
1/12/98 ALJ Careaga Comr Duque	10:00 am C97-04-025	<b>(EH)</b> -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, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>

1/12/98 ALJ Patrick ALJ Stalder Comr Conlon	10:00 am A96-05-045	<p><b>(EH)</b>-Southern California Edison Company, for authority to freeze rates t their current levels by deferring a \$1.7 million rate decrease, plus interest to 1998, for a finding that 1/1/97 balances in the energy cost adjustment clause (ECAC) and electric revenue adjustment mechanism (ERAM) accounts are reasonable, for authority to set aside overcollection in the ECAC and ERAM accounts as of 12/31/96 to reduce the level of competition transition cost, for authority to revise its incremental energy rate, the energy reliability index and avoided capacity cost pricing, and for a review of the reasonableness of Edison's operations during the period from April 1, 1995, through March 31, 1996, and</p> <p><b>(EH)</b>-Southern California Edison Company, for review of the reasonableness of operations during the period from April 1 1996, through March 31, 1997</p> <p><b>(Reasonableness Phase), Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b></p>
	A97-05-050	
1/14/98 ALJ Ramsey Comr Conlon	10:00 am I91-08-029	<p><b>(PHC)</b>-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,</p> <p><b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b></p>
1/22/98 ALJ Econome Comr Bilas	1:30 pm A97-03-002	<p><b>(PHC)</b>-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,</p> <p><b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (EH), for 10 am, January 26, San Francisco (also January 27-30 and February 2-6, San Francisco),</b></p>
1/27/98 ALJ Stalder Comr Conlon	10:00 am A95-08-038	<p><b>(EH)</b>-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,</p> <p><b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also January 28, San Francisco)</b></p>

1/30/98 ALJ Walker Comr Duque	7:00 p.m. C97-09-054	<b>(PHC)</b> -Robert W. Merwin vs. Citizens Communications, for arbitrary definition of service areas, <b>Jean Harvie Community Center, 14273 River Road, Walnut Grove</b>
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, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
2/10/98 ALJ Malcolm Comr Bilas	10:00 am A97-10-014 A97-10-015  A97-10-024	<b>(PHC)</b> -Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for recovery of 1996 capital additions costs, and, <b>(PHC)</b> -San Diego Gas & Electric Company, for competition transition charge recovery of 1996 capital additions, and <b>(PHC)</b> -Southern California Edison Company, for authority to recover capital additions to its fossil generating facilities made between 11/1/96 AND 12/31/96, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (EH) for 10 am, March 9, San Francisco (also March 10-13, San Francisco)</b>
2/18/98 ALJ Garde Comr Neeper	9:30 am A96-12-050	<b>(EH)</b> -Tel-Save, Inc. of Pennsylvania, dba The Phone Company, for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to operate as a reseller of local exchange service, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also February 19, San Francisco)</b>
3/16/98 ALJ Bushey Comr Knight	9:00 am C96-12-043	<b>(EH)</b> -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," <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also March 17-18, San Francisco)</b>
3/30/98 ALJ Patrick Comr Bilas	10:00 am A97-03-015	<b>(EH)</b> -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., <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also March 31, and April 1-3, San Francisco)</b>

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**CARRIED OVER COMMISSION MEETING OF OCTOBER 30, 1997**

- 10/30/97      D97-10-086      R94-04-031 - Order instituting rulemaking on the Commission's proposed policies governing restructuring California's electric services industry and reforming regulation. Related matter I94-04-032. **Grants the motion of Southern California Edison Company to file comments one day out of time. Approves the interim load profile approach proposed by Pacific Gas & Electric Company and San Diego Gas and Electric Company.**
- D97-10-087      R94-04-031 - Order instituting rulemaking on the Commission's proposed policies governing restructuring California's electric services industry and reforming regulation. Related matter I94-04-032. **Grants motion of Enron to file comments one day out of time. Directs the Energy Division to file the "Direct Access Pro Forma Tariffs and Service Agreements Workshop Report."**
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**EXECUTIVE ORDERS SIGNED**

- 11/14/97      D97-11-050      A91-09-014 - The Washington Water Power Company. For an order exempting it from regulation under Article 5 and certain provisions of Article 6, Chapter 4, Part 1, Division 1, of the Public Utilities Code, pursuant to Sections 829 and 853 of the Code. **Dismissed upon withdrawal of applicant. This proceeding is closed.**
- 11/17/97      D97-11-051      A97-10-027 - Tritel Communications, LLC. For a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide interLATA and intraLATA telecommunications service. **Granted. This proceeding is closed.**
- D97-11-052      A97-10-028 - W.T. Communications Services, Inc. For a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide interLATA and intraLATA telecommunications service. **Granted. This proceeding is closed.**
- D97-11-053      A97-10-031. Justice Technology Corp. For a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide interLATA and intraLATA telecommunications service.

		<b>Granted. This proceeding is closed.</b>
11/18/97	D97-11-054	C92-11-032 - Silverwood Estates Development Limited Partnership vs. Alisal Water Corporation, dba Alco Water Service, to amend its agreement and make it refundable. <b>Dismissed without prejudice.</b>
	D97-11-087	A97-10-034 - National Telecommunications of Florida, Inc, dba NationalTel. For a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide interLATA and intraLATA telecommunications service. <b>Granted. This proceeding is closed.</b>
	D97-11-088	A97-10-035 - New Media Telecommunications, Inc. dba Weiz Communication. For a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide interLATA and intraLATA telecommunications service. <b>Granted. This proceeding is closed.</b>
	D97-11-089	A97-10-036 - Tri Communications Network, Inc. dba NationalTel. For a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide interLATA and intraLATA telecommunications service. <b>Granted. This proceeding is closed.</b>
11/21/97	D97-11-090	A92-12-043 - Pacific Gas and Electric Company. For an order pursuant to Section 1005.5(b) of the Public Utilities Code to increase the maximum cost specified in PG&E's Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to construct the California portion of the expansion of its Natural Gas Pipeline. Related matters. A93-03-038, A94-05-035, A94-05-035, and A94-06-034. <b>Dismissed upon withdrawal of application for rehearing.</b>
	D97-11-091	A97-10-030 - WorldCom, Inc. For approval of agreement and plan of merger with Brooks Fiber Properties, Inc. <b>Granted. This proceeding is closed.</b>
11/24/97	D97-11-092	A97-10-043 - Tele Tower, Inc. For a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide interLATA and intraLATA telecommunications service. <b>Granted. This proceeding is closed.</b>

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**COMMISSION MEETING OF NOVEMBER 19, 1997**

- 11/19/97      D97-11-060      A97-01-016 - Mohammad Ezami-Ebrahimi (transferor) and Directional Management, Inc. (transferee).  
**Authorizes the transfer of certificate of public convenience and necessity to operate as a passenger stage corporation from transferor, an individual, to transferee, a California corporation. This proceeding is closed.**
- D97-11-061      A97-03-032 - Park Water Company (Park). For general rate increase in its Central Basin Division requesting revenue increase: In 1998 of \$1,385,807 or 9.7% above revenues generated by present rates in 1999 of \$609,600 or 3.9% above the revenues generated by the rates proposed for 1998, in 2000 of \$670,115 for 4.1% above the 1999 revenue requirements. **Approves settlement agreement authorizing Park to increase revenues by 1% in 1998, 2.6% in 1999 and 2.6% in attrition year 2000. This proceeding is closed.**
- D97-11-062      A97-07-022 - Sprint Communications Company L.P. (Sprint) and NewTelco, L.P. d/b/a Sprint Telecommunications Venture (STV). For authority to transfer to Sprint of the customer base of an affiliated company that now provides resold local exchange service in California. **Granted. This proceeding is closed.**
- D97-11-063      C97-08-004 - San Jose Water Company (SJWC). Investigation and suspension on the Commission's own motion of tariff filed by Advice Letter Nos. 287 and 287-A of San Jose Water Company in Santa Clara County. Interim Order extending period of suspension of SJWC's Advice Letters 287- and 287-A and the associated tariff sheets until March 2, 1998. **Extends the period of suspension of Advice letters 287 and 287-A and the tariff sheets filed thereunder to March 2, 1998.**
- D97-11-064      A97-08-055 - Southern California Edison Company (Edison). For approval of an April 1997 settlement agreement between Edison and the defendants in a breach-of-contract lawsuit brought by Edison in Los Angeles County Superior Court. The defendants are GEO East Mesa Electric Company, Geo East Mesa Limited



- Partnership, New East Mesa Limited, EMP Inc., and Credit Suisse. The settlement agreement would result in a payment to Edison of \$2,632,650 plus interest, and dismissal of the lawsuit by Edison. **Granted. This proceeding is closed.**
- D97-11-065 C93-05-040 - Richard Kashdan vs Pacific Bell. For threatening to disconnect, or disconnecting, local service for refusing to pay for information calling services, and for billing and collecting calls in violation of tariffs. **Dismissed. This proceeding is closed.**
- D97-11-066 C96-08-023 - Elizabeth R. Patton vs GTE Mobile Net. In response to a complaint alleging possible excessive radio frequency radiation from defendant's Manchester cellular base site, the defendant performed site modifications. Testing after the modifications showed compliance with FCC regulations. **Dismissed. This proceeding is closed.**
- D97-11-067 A97-06-007 - City of Sacramento (City). For authority to construct the Arden Way Overhead, at separated grades, over the mainline tracks of the Union Pacific Railroad in said City, County of Sacramento. **Granted. This proceeding is closed.**
- D97-11-068 C95-11-021 - Ted E. Diethofer vs. Pacific Bell (Pacific). **Grants the complaint alleging Pacific erroneously required complainant to incur the cost of reattaching cross-connects to his tenants' apartment. This proceeding is closed.**
- D97-11-069 C96-01-016 - Vista Montana Apartments, et al., (Vista Montana) vs. Pacific Bell (Pacific). **Grants the complaint of Vista Montana which alleges that Pacific had improperly stated that Pacific's work on utility facilities was unregulated work on inside wire. Consistent with our order in C95-08-039, issued today, we find that cross-connects which attach the utility's network access terminal to a building owner's building entrance terminal are not inside wire but utility facilities. In this case, we direct Pacific to refund \$100 to complainant and refund to complainant and its tenants any charges it may have imposed upon them for work on cross-connects. This**

**proceeding is closed.**

- D97-11-070 R88-08-018 - Order Instituting Rulemaking into natural gas procurement and reliability issues. R90-02-008 - Related matter. **Grants Southern California Gas Company's petition to modify D90-09-089 with regard to its gas balancing rules to provide additional incentives for gas shippers to deliver gas supplies which are adequate to serve their individual usage.**
- D97-11-071 A94-08-027 - Southern California Edison (Edison). For approval of a self-generation deferral agreement between Union Oil Company of California and Edison. Petitions to modify Decision 95-06-055 to permit it to roll back the 25% shareholder funding of a cogeneration deferral contract and to permit 100% ratepayer funding of the contract. Edison believes that this change was mandated by the Legislature as part of electric industry restructuring. **Denies the petition to modify on grounds that Edison has failed to show that the relevant statute requires such a rollback for the single Edison contract sought to be modified. This proceeding is closed.**
- D97-11-072 A97-10-032 - Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E). This order addresses PG&E's request for suspension of its Schedule G-XF, offering firm gas transportation services on Line 401. **Denies application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for emergency suspension of its Schedule G-XF. This proceeding is closed.**
- D97-11-073 A96-12-009 - Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E). For authority to identify and separate components of electric rates, effective January 1, 1998. A96-12-011, A96-12-019 - Related matters. Resolves three petitions to modify D.97-08-056 filed by PG&E, Southern California Edison Company, and Enron/NEV, respectively. **We adopt several modifications to D.97-08-056, all of which clarify the intent of the order. We reject all proposals which would reverse substantive determinations of the decision which have already been thoroughly considered and all proposals which are not fully supported by the existing record. This proceeding is closed.**

- D97-11-074      A96-08-001 - Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E), San Diego Gas & Electric Company (SDG&E), and Southern California Edison Company (Edison). For approval of valuation and categorization of non-nuclear generation-related sunk costs eligible for recovery in the competition transition charge. A96-08-006, A96-08-007, A96-08-070, A96-08-071, A96-08-072 - Related matters. **Determines the eligibility of various categories of non-nuclear costs for transition cost recovery for PG&E, Edison, and SDG&E, consistent with the mandates of AB 1890 and the Preferred Policy Decision.**
- D97-11-075      A96-11-046 - Southern California Edison (Edison). For authority to sell gas-fired electrical generation facilities. **Edison shall require as a condition of sale of the Alamitos, El Segundo, Etiwanda, Huntington Beach, Mandalay, and Redondo plants that the successful bidder enter into an agreement with the Independent System Operator (ISO) substantially in the form filed by the ISO with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission on March 31, 1997 or provide a certificate of the ISO to the effect that it has determined that the related plant is not required for the ISO's purposes. Edison shall require the successful bidder to disclose to the Commission all other generation assets in California under common ownership or control with the bidder.**
- D97-11-076      A93-12-025 - Southern California Edison Company (Edison) and San Diego Gas & Electric (SDG&E). For authority to increase its authorized level of base rate revenue under the electric revenue adjustment mechanism for service rendered beginning January 1, 1995 and to reflect this increase in rates. I94-02-002 - Related matter. On August 21, 1997, Edison and SDG&E filed a joint petition to modify decision D.96-04-059 in compliance with D.97-08-056. In the joint petition, Edison and SDG&E seek to continue recovery of certain corporate administrative and general costs allocable to San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station 2&3. **Grants Edison's and SDG&E's joint petition for modification.**
- D97-11-077      A96-07-001 - Pacific Gas and Electric (PG&E), San Diego Gas & Electric Company (SDG&E), and Southern

- California Edison Company (Edison). **Grants in part the Petition to Modify D.96-08-038 filed by PG&E, SDG&E, and Edison. Increases to \$300 million the authorized amount of loan guarantees Petitioners may extend to the Power Exchange (PX) and Independent System Operator (ISO) Trusts, and authorizes memorandum account treatment of the increased loan guarantees.**
- D97-11-078      A96-11-047 - Southern California Edison Company (Edison). **Grants motion of Edison to withdraw, without prejudice, its application for treatment pursuant to Public Utilities (PU) Code Section 376 of the costs of certain transmission facility upgrades. Edison shall serve a copy of any subsequent application pursuant to PU Code Section 376 covering the same or a similar project on the parties on the service list for this application. A96-11-047 is closed.**
- D97-11-079      I97-04-044 - Investigation on the Commission's own motion into the operations, practices, and conduct of L.D. Services, Inc., doing business as Long Distance Services, 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. **Approves settlement agreement between Consumer Services Division and L.D. Services, Inc. resolving all issues in "slamming" investigation. Major provisions include permanent revocation of L.D. Services' certificate of public convenience and necessity and \$760,000 payment to consumers (\$20 each), funds are currently on deposit with the Commission. This proceeding is closed.**
- D97-11-080      R95-04-043 - Order instituting rulemaking on the Commission's own motion into competition for local exchange service. I95-04-044 - Related matters. **Approves the area code relief plan submitted by California Code Administrator proposing a geographic split of the 805 area code to relieve the impending exhaustion of telephone numbers. The proposed plan would create a new area code east of the proposed boundary line covering the majority of Kern County and Northern Los Angeles County.**

- D97-11-081 C96-07-031 - Richard E. Meoli, et al. Vs Southern California Water Company (SCWC). For unreasonable increase of water rates. **Dismissed without prejudice. This proceeding is closed.**
- D97-11-082 A93-12-029 - Disposition of application for rehearing of D96-09-092 filed by The Utility Reform Network, which adopted a performance-based ratemaking mechanism for Southern California Edison Company. **Denied.**
- D97-11-083 A94-12-005, I95-02-015 - Order disposes of application for rehearing of D.96-11-014, filed by Pacific Gas & Electric Company (PG&E). That decision fined PG&E \$480,000 for failing to comply with Ordering Paragraph 1, item I, of D.95-09-073. PG&E claimed that the fine was excessive, that it was unwarranted since PG&E was not provided with adequate notice to comply, and that it was discriminatory since other utilities were not required to comply with similar center performance standards. **Denied.**
- D97-11-084 R95-04-043, I95-04-044 - Order disposes of application for rehearing by Pacific Bell and Pacific Bell Information Services of D97-08-059, the Phase III decision addressing resale restrictions, on the issue of resale of voice mail services. **Grants limited rehearing.**
- D97-11-085 A94-06-019 - Disposition of the application of Santa Margarita Company seeking rehearing of the portion of D.95-01-014 wherein the Commission provides a preliminary analysis of the constitutionality of California-American Water Company's proposed standby fee on undeveloped property. **Vacates D95-01-014. Dismisses application for rehearing as moot.**
- D97-11-086 R94-04-031, I94-04-032 - Disposition of application for rehearing of D.97-02-021, filed by The Utility Reform Network (TURN), arguing that the Commission interpretation of AB 1890 is inconsistent with Public Utilities Code Section 451. **Denied.**

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## RESOLUTIONS

- 11/19/97      E-3508      Advice Letter 1679-E Pacific Gas and Electric Company. Request for approval of revisions to its tariff language for Diablo Canyon Nuclear Power Plant to reflect the modified ratemaking treatment adopted in D97-05-088. **Granted with modifications.**
- F-653      Mesa Crest Water Company. Order to repay loan and to apply surcredit to water rates to reimburse customers for surcharge overcollection, under the Safe Drinking Water Bond Act. **Granted.**
- F-654      Armstrong Valley Water Company. For an order to reduce surcharge on water rates, under the Safe Drinking Water Bond Act. **Granted.**
- F-655      Rancho Del Paradiso Water Company. For an order to reduce surcharge on water rates, under the Safe Drinking Water Bond Act. **Granted.**
- G-3219      Advice Letters 1052-G, 1053-G, and 1056-G of San Diego Gas & Electric Company. Request for approval to revise its gas rate schedules to reflect an annual rate decrease of 4.2%, establish Core Interstate Transition Surcharge account, implement an interim surcharge ordered by D97-04-082, and correct the California Alternate Rates for Energy rate discount filed in Advice Letter 1052-G, effective June 1, 1997. **Granted with modifications.**
- G-3227      Advice Letter 8 of San Francisco Thermal, Limited Partnership. For authority to revise its steam service tariffs to allow it to charge a form of market-based rates to its customers and to enter into special contracts. **Granted with modifications.**
- G-3288      Advice Letters 2031-G, 2031-G-A, 2003-G, and 2023-G of Pacific Gas and Electric Company. Request for approval of Gas Accord tariffs and related contracts as well as the core aggregation program and core procurement incentive mechanism. **Adopted with modifications.**
- O-0019      Advice letter 6 of Mobil Pacific Pipeline Company. For approval to abandon its ownership interest in the Ventura

- Pipeline System. **Adopted.**
- T-16088 Advice Letter 19051 of Pacific Bell. Request for approval of an administrative budget for California High Cost Fund also known as California High Cost Fund A. The Telecommunications Division finds Pacific's proposed administrative budget of \$116,500 for calendar year 1998 to be reasonable and recommends that the Commission approve Pacific's filing. **Adopted.**
- T-16093 Advice Letter 129 of Pinnacles Telephone Company (U-1013-C). This Executive Director Action Resolution authorizes Pinnacles Telephone Company to withdraw its Schedule Cal. PUC No. A-2, Suburban Service, for which there are no existing customers or applications for service. All sundry tariff references pertinent to the withdrawal will also be deleted. **Granted.**
- TL-18822 Resolution approving issuance of charter-party carrier certificates pursuant to Section 5374 of the Public Utilities Code and approving issuance and transfer of highway carrier authority pursuant to the Commission's contract with the Department of Motor Vehicles as permitted by Vehicle Code Section 34605(b). **Granted.**
- TL-18823 Resolution denying issuance of charter-party carrier authority, highway carrier authority and household goods carrier authority for failure to satisfy statutory provisions of the Public Utilities Code and Commission General Orders. **Adopted.**
- W-4076 Fairway Manor Sewer Company (FMSC). This order relieves FMSC of its public utility obligation as a result of transfer of ownership to the County of San Luis Obispo. **Adopted.**
- W-4078 Big Basin Water Company. This order authorizes a general rate increase producing additional annual revenues of \$41,219 or 24.27% in 1997. **Granted.**
- W-4079 Sereno Del Mar Water Company (SDMWC). This order recognizes Russian River Utility Company as the court-appointed receiver of SDMWC. **Adopted.**
- W-4080 Advice letter 513 of California American Water

Company, Monterey District. This order authorizes a rate base offset rate increase producing \$278,354 or 1.33%.  
**Adopted.**

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### 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**

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### NOTICE OF EX PARTE COMMUNICATIONS

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12/3/97	A97-05-016	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.
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**Summary:** On December 1, 1997, Les Guliasi, Manager, Regulatory Relations Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E), met with Cmmr. Conlon, in San Francisco. Also present were: James Hendry, advisor to Cmmr. Conlon; Kent Harvey, Senior Vice President, Treasurer and Chief Financial Officer, and Richard Patterson, Director, Financial Planning and Analysis. Harvey stated PG&E's general support for the proposed decision and that the proposed 11.4 percent ROE for PG&E, although fair, is at the lower-end of a reasonable range, and lower than the ROE levels for other utilities. Harvey stated that recent declines in interest rates do not require the lowering of PG&E's ROE. Harvey stated that the proceeding establishes the ROE on PG&E's distribution assets only, and that while arguably there has been a decrease in risk associated with PG&E's generation assets, the same is not true of PG&E's distribution assets. Harvey stated that the Commission's interest in unbundling distribution services may increase competition and introduce greater uncertainty



and risk in the gas and electric distribution business.

**Filer: Pacific Gas and Electric Company**

**Contact: Maryann Friel**

**Phone: (415) 972-5611**

**Summary:** On December 2, 1997, Les Guliasi, Regulatory Relations, Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E), met with Cmmr. Neepier, in San Francisco. Also present were: David Gamson, advisor to Cmmr. Neepier; Kent Harvey, Senior Vice President, Treasurer and Chief Financial Officer, and Richard Patterson, Director, Financial Planning and Analysis, PG&E. Harvey stated PG&E's general support for the proposed decision and that the proposed 11.4 percent ROE for PG&E, although fair, is at the lower-end of a reasonable range, and lower than the ROE levels for other utilities. Harvey stated that recent declines in interest rates do not require the lowering of PG&E's ROE. Harvey stated that the proceeding establishes the ROE on PG&E's distribution assets only, and that while arguably there has been a decrease in risk associated with PG&E's generation assets, the same is not true of PG&E's distribution assets. Harvey stated that the Commission's interest in unbundling distribution services may increase competition and introduce greater uncertainty and risk in the gas and electric distribution business.

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12/3/97            A97-10-045            WorldCom, Inc. and MCI Telecommunications Corporation, for approval to acquire control of MCI Communications Corporation.

**Summary:** On November 26, 1997, James L. Lewis, Regional Executive for MCI Telecommunications Corporation (MCI) met with Cmmr. Knight in San Francisco. Eric Artman, Assistant Vice President of Regulatory Affairs for WorldCom, Inc., and Robert Lane, adv. To Cmmr. Knight were also present. Lewis and Artman requested that the Commission to process WorldCom, Inc.'s pending application with an amendment to reflect the fact that, since the filing of the application, MCI's Board of Directors has voted to accept WorldCom's offer to merge. Artman indicated that the amendment would reflect the fact that both MCI and WorldCom would be petitioners, and would show a new offering price and listing of executive officers. Both Artman and Lewis indicated that no purpose would be served by requiring WorldCom to withdraw the existing application, and then re-file, since the interest of parties to protest or intervene could be accommodated once the amendment is filed.

**Filer: MCI Telecommunications Corporation**

**Contact: Schimen-Renee Scott**

**Phone: (415) 228-1245**

12/3/97            R93-04-003            Commission order instituting rulemaking on 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 networks.

**Summary:** On November 26, 1997, James L. Lewis, Regional Executive for MCI Telecommunications Corporation (MCI) met with Cmmr. Knight in San Francisco. Robert Lane, adv. To Cmmr. Knight and Eric Artman, Assistant Vice President for Regulatory Affairs for Worldcom, Inc. were also present. Lewis explained that the current interim rates in effect for non recurring charges for unbundled network elements represented a significant barrier to entry for competitive local exchange carriers in California. He said that in the very near future MCI would file a motion seeking the establishment of new interim prices.

**Filer: MCI Telecommunications Corporation**

**Contact: Schimen-Renee Scott**

**Phone: (415) 228-1408**

12/3/97            A96-09-028            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 interstate demand charges from core transport rates, and the treatment of Canadian demand charges.

**Summary:** On December 2, 1997, John Leslie, attorney for Enserch Energy Services (EES), met with Julie Halligan, advisor to Cmmr. Bilas, via telephone. Leslie stated that EES, Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E), and other interested parties in the proceeding have been working to develop an alternative approach respecting the allocation of PG&E's upstream Canadian pipeline capacity (on ANG and NOVA) to core aggregation customers and their aggregators. Leslie stated that EES anticipates that sometime after the Commission approves PG&E's application in this proceeding, the parties may be able to submit a petition for modification in which they present an agreed upon approach for the assignment of unbundled ANG and NOVA capacity to core aggregators. Leslie asked whether it would be possible for the Commission to include, in the decision to be acted on at the 12/3 meeting, a statement that notes that a petition for modification on ANG/NOVA capacity assignment may be forthcoming.

**Filer: Enserch Energy Services, Inc.**

**Contact: Linda Vitale**

**Phone: (619) 235-3536**

12/3/97            R95-01-020            Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking, to address the requirements of Assembly Bill 3643 and to develop new rules regarding universal service  
                          I95-01-021            Commission Order Instituting Investigation, to address the requirements of Assembly Bill 3643 and to develop new rules regarding universal service

**Summary:** On December 1, 1997, Mike Amato and Rufus G. Thayer, representatives of the

Interim Committee for the California High cost Fund-A (CHCF-A), California High Cost Fund-B (CHCF-B), and the California Teleconnect Fund (CTF) met with Cmmr. Knight and his adv. Robert Lane in San Francisco. Also present were ALJ Kenney, Pam Nataloni of the Legal Division, Angela Young, Brian Roberts, Hassan Mirza, Zenaida Tapawan-Conway, of the Telecommunications Division. A written handout (attached) was distributed setting forth the points to be discussed. The discussion focused on a summary of the Motion of the Interim Committee submitted October 25, 1997 recommending that the Commission directs the Interim Committee to request private letter rulings from the IRS granting tax exempt status for CHCF-B and the CTF. The discussion then focused upon the need to show that the Commission has complete control over the funds in all respects and that the Commission is an "Integral part of the State". Therefore, it was recommended that the Charter and Trust agreements be executed by the Commission. The discussion then turned to the adoption of an investment policy for the funds and the possibility of legislation to provide for deposit of the trust funds with the State Controller subject to disbursement in compliance with Commission direction. The meeting concluded with a discussion of request by the Interim Committee requesting a Commission Resolution authorizing transfer of CHCF-A from Pacific Bell to the Interim Committee.

**Filer: CPUC - Interim Committee**

**Contact: Susie Toy**

**Phone: (415) 703-1858**

12/4/97            A97-10-011            Southern California Gas Company, for approval of 1998 Energy Efficiency Programs.

**Summary:** On December 1, 1997, Claudine Swartz, Regulatory Representative for Southern California Gas Company (SoCalGas), met with David Gamson, adv. to Cmmr. Nepper at the Tavern on the Tenderloin in San Francisco. Swartz stated that a twelve month program budget, in addition to the proposed nine month program budget, should be included in the final decision. Swartz stated that SoCalGas' buyout proposal of PY year 94-97 earnings eliminates overhanging DSM commitments and will require no additional rate recovery as it will utilize previously collected DSM funds. In addition, Swartz noted that ratepayers will save money as SoCalGas' proposal reduces earnings to 75 percent of the approved amount. Swartz also stated that a cap on program earnings for 1998 is not appropriate as SoCalGas is not drawing from a finite pool of Public Good Surcharge funds.

**Filer: Southern California Gas Company**

**Contact: Artemis Manos**

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