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#### REGULAR COMMISSION BUSINESS MEETINGS

August 6, 1998	10 am	San Francisco
September 3, 1998	10 am	San Francisco
September 17, 1998	10 am	San Francisco

# COMMISSION RATESETTING DELIBERATIVE MEETINGS (Not Open to the Public)

• Ratesetting Deliberative Meeting dates are reserved as noted but will only be held if there are ratesetting matters to be considered.

August 31, 1998	1:30 pm	San Francisco
September 14, 1998	1:30 pm	San Francisco
October 5, 1998	1:30 pm	San Francisco

#### **NOTICES**

# Delivery of Formal Pleadings for Filing

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

# Charge for Commission Documents

To purchase Commission documents, there is a charge of 20 cents a printed page (postage prepaid) with a minimum purchase of \$2.00.

#### **GLOSSARY**

After January 1, 1998, the California Public Utilities Commission is required by statute (SB 960) to categorize each case that comes before it. There are three categories, quasilegislative, adjudicatory and ratesetting. If a case does not require hearings before it is resolved, the case is removed from the SB 960 category requirements. The legend below shows the abbreviation for each of the categories and provides a brief explanation.

- Q **Quasi-legislative** proceedings are proceedings that establish policy or rules (including generic ratemaking policy or rules) affecting a class of regulated entities, including those proceedings in which the Commission investigates rates or practices for an entire regulated industry or class of entities within the industry.
- A **Adjudicatory** proceedings are: (1) enforcement investigations into possible violations of any provision of statutory law or order or rule of the Commission; and (2) complaints against regulated entities, including those complaints that challenge the accuracy of a bill, but excluding those complaints that challenge the reasonableness of rates or charges, past, present, or future.
- RS Ratesetting proceedings are proceedings in which the Commission sets or investigates rates for a specifically named utility (or utilities), or establishes a mechanism that in turn sets the rates for a specifically named utility (or utilities). Ratesetting proceedings include complaints that challenge the reasonableness of rates or charges, past, present, or future.
- N/A Removed from the SB 960 category requirements.

#### SUBSCRIPTION INFORMATION

#### Subscription Notice for Draft Agenda Items

In compliance with Public Utilities Code Section 311.5, parties who wish to subscribe to receive draft agenda items may do so by writing to the Public Utilities Commission; Attention: Poly Arca, Room 1003; 505 Van Ness Avenue; San Francisco, CA 94102; or by calling (415) 703-1798. The cost for a one-year subscription to the entire public agenda package (which excludes Executive Session materials) is \$1,000. You may also order a partial agenda package (energy agenda items only or telecommunication agenda items only) at the cost of \$500 per year. The package you receive via mail will include only those agenda items available at the time of the agenda distribution date, which is usually 10 to 12 days prior to the Commission meeting. If agenda items (including revisions) are not ready on the distribution date, they will be made available at no charge in the lobby outside the Commission Auditorium at 9:00 a.m. on the morning of the Commission meeting, but not earlier.

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.

If an agenda item is held over to a subsequent Commission meeting, that agenda item and any revisions to that agenda item that were available on the morning of the initial Commission meeting (as well as any further available revisions) will be mailed in the Escutia package for the subsequent Commission meeting; the item and its revisions will also be available for viewing and photocopying in the Commission's Central Files Office and field offices as set forth above.

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# **COMMISSIONER OFFICE HOURS**

(For further information or to make an appointment, please contact Sandra Graham at (213) 897-3544).

<u>Date/Time</u> <u>Commissioner</u> <u>Location</u>

#### **PUBLIC MEETINGS & WORKSHOPS**

**NONE** 

# Public Meeting: RCS Safety Working Group

August 6, 1998	Energy Resource Center
9 am - 5 pm	9240 E. Firestone Boulevard
	Downey
and	
August 7, 1998 9 am - 4 pm	

The Revenue Cycle Services Safety Working Group (R.98-01-011, Rulemaking on the Commission's Own Motion to Assess and Revise the Regulatory Structure Governing California's Natural Gas Industry) subcommittees will meet to discuss the draft report, Report of the Natural Gas Revenue Cycle Services Safety Working Group, especially sections 4 through 8. A copy of the working draft to be discussed at the meeting will be available on July 28 at <a href="http://162.15.5.2:80/grcswg/grcswg">http://162.15.5.2:80/grcswg/grcswg</a>. The subcommittee meeting is open to the public and is wheelchair accessible. For more information, contact Barbara Hale (Ph:415-703-3200, fax: 415-703-1723; e-mail:bar@cpuc.ca.gov). Questions regarding the meeting location should be directed to Susan Apeles of Southern California Gas Company (ph: 213-244-4265)

# **Public Meeting**

August 5, 1998	California Public Utilities Commission
9:30 am - 3:30 pm	505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 3204
_	(Corner of Van Ness Avenue and McAllister Street)
	San Francisco

The ULTS Marketing Board (ULTSMB) will hold its regular meeting to: Review/Approve Meeting Minutes, Review/Approve Administrative Report, PUC Report and Action Items, Review/Approve Administrative Expenses, Review/Approve Letter to Commissioner Knight, Review Annual Report and Budget Timetable, Review ULTSMB Correspondence, Discuss/Approve Interim Marketing Program Plan/Budget and Action Items, Announcements, Set Future Agenda Items for Discussion and Hear Public Comments. This meeting is open to the public. If you would like to join the meeting by phone conference or in person, and/or receive a full meeting packet, please notify the ULTS Trust Office at (510) 452-2757.

# **Public Meeting**

August 5 & 6, 1998	Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center
10 am - 4 pm	851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone
	Center)
Designated Conference Leader:	San Francisco
Sharon Weinberg/PG&E	To join via teleconference:
	Dial: (303) 633-1880
Reservation No. 4572624	Passcode: 1263315#

As provided for in Public Utilities Commission D.97-09-117, one or more LIGB Advisory Committee members may be participating in this meeting via teleconference.

Members of the public may participate in the meeting by calling **the above number** on the day of the meeting. If you experience difficulty in trying to access this conference call, please contact Confertech at 1-800-314-3558.

The Low Income Governing Board Advisory Committee (LIGBAC) will meet on the following agenda: Discussion with Energy Efficiency Institute about the 1999 Low Income Energy Efficiency Program. These meetings are open to the public. You can get the

materials for this meeting by phoning the LIGBAC at 415 703-2565 and leaving a message with your name, phone and fax number at least 24 hours in advance of the meeting time.

# **Public Meeting**

August 6, 1998	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
10 am - 4 pm	1939 Harrison Street
	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland

The <u>Outreach Sub-Committee</u> of the Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will hold a 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 Elana Kalisher at (510) 874-1410 VOICE or (510) 874-1411 TTY. <u>Environmental Reminder</u>: 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**

August 11, 1998	Pacific Gas & Electric Company
9 am - 2 pm	77 Beale St., Room 300
	(Beale St. between Market and Mission
	San Francisco

The fourth meeting of the Statewide Consistency Working Group (R.98-01-011, Rulemaking on the Commission's Own Motion to Assess and Revise the Regulatory Structure Governing California's Natural Gas Industry) will be held on Tuesday. The meeting will focus on reviewing and clarifying materials submitted by parties on August 7, 1998, including parties' comments on the inconsistencies and their proposed resolution. The workshop is open to public and is wheelchair accessible. For more information please contact Sarita Sarvate (Ph:415-703-1506, e-mail:sbs@cpuc.ca.gov) or Gregory Wilson (Ph:415-703-2159,e-mail:gaw@cpuc.ca.gov.

#### Public Meeting

August 11, 1998	California Public Utilities Commission
9:30 a.m 2:30 p.m.	505 Van Ness Avenue,
	Rm. 4206
	San Francisco

The Payphone Service Providers Enforcment Committee will conduct a monthly meeting. For more information, please contact Adam Thaler at (415) 703-1157.

# Workshop Notice

August 11, 1998	California Public Utilities Commission
10 am - 4 pm	505 Van Ness Avenue, Commission Auditorium
	San Francisco

The Commission's Industry Divisions will conduct an Informational Workshop regarding the rules proposed in R98-07-038 (Rulemaking for purposes of revising General Order 96-A regarding advice letters and other informal matters at the Commission). The workshop is open to the public. The respondents and other parties are encouraged to provide questions to the workshop facilitators by Tuesday, August 4, to make the workshops most productive; please be as specific as possible; send to Wade McCartney, e-mail: wms@cpuc.ca.gov or FAX: (415) 703-2200.

# **Public Meeting**

August 11, 1998	Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center
10 am - 5 pm	851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone
	Center)
Designated Conference Leader:	San Francisco
Dennis Guido/PG&E	To join via teleconference:
	Dial: (212) 293-3180
Reservation No. 4074787	Passcode: 3823526#

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The Low Income Governing Board Advisory Committee (LIGBAC) will meet on the following agenda: Welcome and Introduction Chairperson's report, review meeting minutes, public comments, substitutiative program designs, other business. These meetings are open to the public. You can get the materials for this meeting by phoning the LIGBAC at 415 703-2565 and leaving a message with your name, phone and fax number at least 24 hours in advance of the meeting time.

#### **Public Meeting**

August 12, 1998	Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center
8:30 am - 3 pm	851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone
	Center)
Designated Conference Leader:	San Francisco
Dennis Guido/PG&E	To join via teleconference:
	Dial: (212) 293-3180
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# Public Meeting RCS Safety Working Group

August 12 and August 13, 1998	Energy Resource Center
9 am - 5 pm	9240 E. Firestone Boulevard
	Downey

The Revenue Cycle Services Safety Working Group (R.98-01-011, Rulemaking on the Commission's Own Motion to Assess and Revise the Regulatory Structure Governing California's Natural Gas Industry) subcommittees will meet to discuss the draft report, Report of the Natural Gas Revenue Cycle Services Safety Working Group, especially those sections which address the safe unbundling of services. A copy of the working draft to be discussed at the meeting will be available on August 11 at

http://162.15.5.2:80/grcswg/grcswg. The subcommittee meeting is open to the public and is wheelchair accessible. For more information, contact Barbara Hale (Ph:415-703-3200, fax: 415-703-1723; e-mail:bar@cpuc.ca.gov). Questions regarding the meeting location should be directed to Susan Apeles of Southern California Gas Company (ph: 213-244-4265).

#### **Public Meeting**

August 12, 1998	Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center
9:30 am - 4 pm	851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone
	Center)
	San Francisco

The California Board for Energy Efficiency will meet to discuss the status of administrative and technical services to CBEE; the Request for Proposals for Energy Efficiency Program Administrators (D. 98-07-036); the Interim Opinion: Extension of Interim Administrators for Energy Efficiency and Low Income Programs in

R.94-04-031/I.94-04-032; the status of Assembly Bill 2461 and related legislation; CBEE program planning for 1999; Interim Administrators second quarterly status report; and updates on and the status of the RFP for independent administration and associated Commission decisions, CBEE work plans and schedules, issues related to utility assets and liabilities, verification and other reporting requirements, and the Technical Advisory Committee and Board operational matters. The contact person is

Sara Steck Myers, (415) 387-1904. For further details about CBEE and this meeting consult the CBEE Web Page at www.cbee.org.

# Public Meeting

August 12, 1998	Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center
10 am - 4 pm	851 Howard Street
	(between 4 <sup>th</sup> and 5 <sup>th</sup> Streets))
	San Francisco

The CARE Subcommittee of the Low Income Governing Board will meet to discuss CARE issues related to the transition of rate assistance services to independent program administration. An agenda for the meeting can be obtained from the LIGB's website at www.ligb.org or by contacting Robin Rifkin at (510) 251-2888 extension 2159. The meeting is open to the public. Sharon Weinberg is the contact person at (510) 251-2888 extension 2025.

#### **Public Meeting**

August 13, 1998	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
9:30 am - 3:30 pm	1939 Harrison Street
	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland

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 Elana Kalisher 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: RCS Safety Working Group

August 17, 1998	Pacific Gas and Electric Company
10:30 am - 5 pm	77 Beale Street, Room 308
	(Between Market and Mission)
and	San Francisco
August 18, 1998	
9 am - 5 pm	

The Revenue Cycle Services Safety Working Group (R.98-01-011, Rulemaking on the Commission's Own Motion to Assess and Revise the Regulatory Structure Governing California's Natural Gas Industry)subcommittees will meet to discuss the draft report, Report of the Natural Gas Revenue Cycle Services Safety Working Group, especially those sections which address the safe unbundling of services. A copy of the working draft to be discussed at the meeting will be available prior to the meeting at <a href="http://162.15.5.2:80/grcswg/grcswg">http://162.15.5.2:80/grcswg/grcswg</a>. The subcommittee meeting is open to the public and is wheelchair accessible. For more information, contact Barbara Hale (Ph:415-703-3200, fax: 415-703-1723; e-mail:bar@cpuc.ca.gov).

# **Public Meeting**

August 18, 1998	Fort Mason, Landmark D281
9 am - 6 pm	Laguna Street at Marina Boulevard
Electric Education Trust	San Francisco

The Administrative Committee of the Electric Education Trust (EET) meets to discuss consumer protection, consider staffing and resource requirements, develop and implement a CBO outreach (grant) program, an educational efforts plan, and a remaining life plan for electric restructuring, a revised schedule and budget, and related matters. The contact person is William Schulte at (415) 703-2349.

# **Public Meeting**

August 18, 1998	California Public Utilities Commission
1:30 pm - 4 pm	505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 3204
	(Corner of Van Ness Avenue and McAllister Street)
	San Francisco

The Universal Lifeline Telephone Service (ULTS) Administrative Committee will hold its regularly scheduled monthly meeting to address the following: Review/Approve Meeting Minutes, Approve Telephone Claims, Review/Approve ULTS/ULTSMB Administrative Expenses and Authorize an Administrative Transfer, PUC Report and Action Items, Review/Acceptance of the Amervest Report, Review/Approve Administrative Report and Action Items, and Public Comment Period. This meeting is open to the public. If you would like to join the meeting by phone conference and/or receive a meeting packet please notify the ULTS Trust Officer at (510) 452-2757.

# **Public Meeting**

August 18 and 19, 1998	Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center
	851 Howard Street
10 am - 4 pm	
	(between 4 <sup>th</sup> and 5 <sup>th</sup> Streets))
	San Francisco
	Conference Call Information
	Dial in to (415) 356-0657
	Passcode = 2408347

Note: If you experience problems trying to access this conference call please contact Confertech at 1-800-525-8244 and have them verify the Dial-in # and Passcode scheduled under Master Reservation #4590512 for CH2M HILI. (Sharon Weinberg is the designated Chairperson)

The Low Income Governing Board and its Advisory Committee will meet to discuss issues related to the transition of low income rate assistance and energy efficiency services to independent program administration.

And agenda for the meeting is being developed and can be obtained from the LIGB's website at <a href="www.ligb.org">www.ligb.org</a> or by contacting Robin Rifkin at (510) 251-2888 extension 2159. The meeting is open to the public. Sharon Weinberg is the contact person at (510) 251-2888, extension 2025.

# Public Meeting

August 19, 1998	California Public Utilities Commission
1:30 pm	505 Van Ness Avenue,
	Training Room
	San Francisco

LOTTERY FOR TELEPHONE NUMBER PREFIX ASSIGNMENTS IN THE 209/559, 213/323, 310, 408/831, 415, 510/925, 619, 714/949, 805, 818, AND 909 NUMBERING PLAN AREAS

The Telecommunications Division of the California Public Utilities Commission will be conducting a lottery to determine allocations of central office codes (NXXs) in the 209/559, 213/323, 310, 408/831, 415, 510/925, 619, 714/949, 805, 818, and 909 area codes pursuant to the provisions of D.96-09-087. Applications should be submitted to the California Code Administrator prior to the close of business on August 11, 1998. For information on the lottery process, call (415) 703- 1879. If specialized accommodations for the disabled are needed, call the Public Advisor at (415) 703-2032 five working days in advance of the event.

#### **Public Meeting**

August 20, 1998	Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center
9:30 am - 4 pm	851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone
	Center)
	San Francisco

The California Board for Energy Efficiency will meet to discuss the status of administrative and technical services to CBEE; the Request for Proposals for Energy Efficiency Program Administrators (D. 98-07-036); the Interim Opinion: Extension of Interim Administrators for Energy Efficiency and Low Income Programs in R.94-04-031/I.94-04-032; the status of Assembly Bill 2461 and related legislation; CBEE program planning for 1999; Interim

Administrators second quarterly status report; and updates on and the status of the RFP for independent administration and associated Commission decisions, CBEE work plans and schedules, issues related to utility assets and liabilities, verification and other reporting requirements, and the Technical Advisory Committee and Board operational matters. The contact person is Sara Steck Myers, (415) 387-1904. For further details about CBEE and this meeting consult the CBEE Web Page at www.cbee.org.

# **Public Meeting**

August 20, 1998	California Public Utilities Commission
11 am - 3 pm	505 Van Ness Avenue,
	Room 4206
	San Francisco

The TDD Interim Placement Committee (TPIC) will conduct a monthly meeting. For more information, please contact Adam Thaler at (415) 703-1157.

#### **Public Meeting**

August 25, 1998	Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center
10 am - 5 pm	851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone
	Center)
Designated Conference Leader:	San Francisco
Dennis Guido/PG&E	To join via teleconference:
	Dial: (212) 293-3180
Reservation No. 4074787	Passcode: 3823526#

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August 26, 1998	Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center
8:30 am - 3 pm	851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone
	Center)
Designated Conference Leader:	San Francisco
Dennis Guido/PG&E	To join via teleconference:
	Dial: (212) 293-3180
Reservation No. 4074787	Passcode: 3823526#

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# **Public Meeting**

August 27, 1998	Eureka City Council/Hall
10 am - 4 pm	531 "K" Street, Council Chambers
	Eureka

The <u>California Relay Service Advisory Committee</u> 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 Elana Kalisher at (510) 874-1410 VOICE or (510) 874-1411 TTY. <u>Environmental Reminder</u>: 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: RCS Safety Working Group

August 27, 1998	Pacific Gas and Electric Company
10:30 am - 5 pm	77 Beale Street, Room 308
	(Between Market and Mission)
and	San Francisco
August 28, 1998	
8:30 am -4 pm	

The Revenue Cycle Services Safety Working Group (R.98-01-011, Rulemaking on the Commission's Own Motion to Assess and Revise the Regulatory Structure Governing California's Natural Gas Industry) will have a plenary meeting to discuss the draft report, Report of the Natural Gas Revenue Cycle Services Safety Working Group. A copy of the working draft to be discussed at the meeting will be available prior to the meeting at <a href="http://162.15.5.2:80/grcswg/grcswg">http://162.15.5.2:80/grcswg/grcswg</a>. The meeting is open to the public and is wheelchair accessible. For more information, contact Barbara Hale (Ph:415-703-3200, fax: 415-703-1723; e-mail:bar@cpuc.ca.gov).

# Public Meeting: RCS Safety Working Group

September 8, 1998	Pacific Gas and Electric Company
10:30 am - 5 pm	77 Beale Street, Room 308
	(Between Market and Mission)
(and following days as needed)	San Francisco
8:30 am - 5 pm	

The Revenue Cycle Services Safety Working Group (R.98-01-011, Rulemaking on the Commission's Own Motion to Assess and Revise the Regulatory Structure Governing California's Natural Gas Industry) will have a plenary meeting to discuss the draft report, Report of the Natural Gas Revenue Cycle Services Safety Working Group. A copy of the working draft to be discussed at the meeting will be available prior to the meeting at <a href="http://162.15.5.2:80/grcswg/grcswg">http://162.15.5.2:80/grcswg/grcswg</a>. The meeting is open to the public and is wheelchair accessible. For more information, contact Barbara Hale (Ph:415-703-3200, fax: 415-703-1723; e-mail:bar@cpuc.ca.gov).

		NEW FILINGS
7/27/98	A98-04-003	Amendment-Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for Commission order finding that its electric operations during the reasonableness period from January 1, 1997 to December 31, 1997, as well as certain of its gas operations during the reasonableness periods from January 1, 1996 to December 31, 1996 and January 1, 1997 to December 31, 1997, were prudent; Made to seek recovery of costs related to the ISO-PX Implementation Delay Memorandum Account
7/30/98	A98-07-058	Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for authority to recover its 1997 and 1998 non-nuclear generation capital additions in the competition transition charge
8/4/98	A98-02-051	Amendment-Sacramento Regional Transit District, to construct, modify and maintain College Greens

Pedestrian Crossing, Tiber Pedestrian Crossing, Mather Field Pedestrian Crossing PUC No. AH-101.40D, Mather Field Pedestrian Crossing PUC No. AH-101-45D and Butterfield Pedestrian Crossing; **Amendment excludes College Greens pedestrian crossing from the project** 

#### PETITIONS FOR MODIFICATION AND APPLICATIONS FOR REHEARING

#### **NONE**

# DRAFT DECISIONS \* PROPOSED DECISIONS \* ALTERNATES \* PRESIDING OFFICER'S DECISION \* ARBITRATOR'S REPORTS

#### **NONE**

## **ADVICE LETTER FILINGS**

#### **NONE**

# MISCELLANEOUS TRANSPORTATION ITEMS August 6, 1998

Filings with Rail Safety and Carriers Division

#### **NONE**

#### MISCELLANEOUS TELECOMMUNICATION MATTERS

August 6, 1998

#### **NONE**

# ADJOURNMENTS \* RESETTINGS \* SUBMISSIONS

A98-03-029 A98-03-030 A98-03-031 A98-03-032 A98-03-033 A98-03-034	Walker-Southern California Water Company for authority to increase rates, and related matters, Evidentiary Hearing held and continued to 10 am, August 6, San Francisco
A98-06-005	Walker-Southern California Water Company for authority to assess a reservation fee for fire protection, <b>Prehearing Conference held and no report given</b>
R93-04-003	Reed-Commission order instituting rulemaking on Commission's own motion to govern open access to bottleneck services,  Prehearing Conference held and completed

# REMOVALS FROM CALENDAR

# **NONE**

		NEW SETTINGS
9/11/98 ALJ Ryerson Comr. Conlon	9:30 a.m. A.97-12-017	(EH)-Los Alamitos Race Course for an order authorizing pedestrian bikeway crossings at grade at the track of the Union Pacific Railroad Company in the City of Cypress, Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles
9/21/98 ALJ Bushey Comr. Duque	2:00 p.m. C.98-05-043	(PHC)-Bert L. Tate vs. Pacific Telesis for violation of its tariffs and provisions of the Public Utility Code by improper installation of the second telephone line, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

## 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

8/11/98	9:30 a.m.	NONE SCHEDULED
8/18/98	9:30 a.m.	NONE SCHEDULED
8/25/98	9:30 a.m.	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	(FOA) = Final Oral Argument
(EH) = Evidentiary Hearing	(WS) = Workshop
(PPH) = Public Participation Hearing	(FPH) = Full Panel Hearing
(IAM) = Initial Arbitration Meeting	(AH) = Arbitration Hearing
(M) = Mediation	(CA) = Closing Argument

8/6/98 ALJ Walker	10:00 a.m. A98-03-029	( <b>EH</b> )-Southern California Water Company for authority to increase rates by \$661,700 or 34.51% by 1999; by \$249,000 or 9.71% in 2000; and by \$258,800,
Comr		or 9.19% in 2001 in Desert District, and
Duque	A98-03-030	(EH)-Southern California Water Company for
		authority to increase rates by \$1,292,300 or 11.34% in
		1999; \$279,700 or 2.20% in 2000, and \$313,300 or
		2.41% in 2001 in the San Dimas District, and
	A98-03-031	(EH)—Southern California Water Company for
		authority to increase rates by \$1,193,900 or 25.84% in
		1999; \$160,800 or 2.78% in 2000; and \$190,600 or
		3.22% in 2001 in the San Gabriel Valley District . and
	A98-03-032	(EH)-Southern California Water Company for
		authority to increase rates by \$3,286,200 or 17.48% in
		1999; \$1,120,200 or 5.06% in 2000, and \$1,19993,400
		or 5.13% in 2001 Orange District, and
	A98-03-033	(EH)-Southern California Water Company for

authority to increase rates for water service in its Ojai customer service area and increase rates for the General Office Allocation in all of its customer service areas in this application including: Arden-Cordova, Bay Point, Clearlake, Los Osos, Santa Maria, Simi Valley, Claremont, Barstow, Calipatria, Wrightwood, and Bear Valley Electric, and

A98-03-034

(EH)-Southern California Water Company for authority to increase rates by \$13,141,800 or 22.86% in 1999; \$3,262,300 or 4.64% in 2000, and \$3,455.200 or 4.70% in 2001 in Metropolitan District.

(also August 7, 10:00 am, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco; (OA) September 23, 10:00 am, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

8/10/98 10:00 am **ALJ Minkin** A98-01-014 Comr Neeper

(EH)-San Diego Gas & Electric Company, for authority to implement a distribution performance ratemaking mechanism,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also August 11-14,, 17-21, and September 14-16, San Francisco (PPH) for September 23 and 24 with places to be announced

8/10/98 10:00 a.m. **ALJ Ryerson** C.98-06-022 Comr. Conlon

(PHC)-Joseph J. Titus vs. Union Pacific Railroad Company for a hazardous road conditin at crossings BBH-488.12 at Compton Avenue and BBH-488.37-C at Hooper Avenue,

City Hall, Council Chamber, 303 West Commonwealth Avenue, Fullerton

8/10/98 10:00 a.m. **ALJ Minkin** A.98-01-014 Comr Neeper

(PHC)-San Diego Gas and Electric Company for authority to implement a distribution performance based ratemaking mechanism,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco; (EH) 10:00 a.m., August 17 (also August 18-21, August 31-September 4, September 14-15), San Francisco; (CA) 10:00 a.m., September 16, San Francisco; (PPH) September 23, 7:00 p.m., Council Chamber, 12<sup>th</sup> Floor, City Administration Building, 202 C Street, San Diego, (also September 24, 7:00 p.m., Council Chamber, City Hall, 201 N. Broadway, **Escondido** 

8/10/98 1:00 p.m. (PHC)-Norman Phillips vs. Southern Pacific

ALJ Ryerson Comr. Conlon	C.97-05-003	Transportation Company for rehabilitation of nine crossings in Orange County pursuant to GO 72-B, City Hall, Council Chamber, 303 West Commonwealth Avenue, Fullerton
8/11/98 ALJBennett Comr Bilas	9:00 a.m. C.97-11-014	(EH)-Joanne Carey vs. Pacific Gas and Electric Company for failure to cease its unsafe practice of allowing fumigation personnel to terminate gas service at a structure being fumigated, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also August 12-13)
8/11/98 ALJ Ryerson Comr. Conlon	9:00 a.m. A.97-12-017	(PHC)-Los Alamitos Race Course for an order authorizing pedestrian-bikeway crossings at grade at the track of the Union Pacific Railroad Company in the City of Cypress, Public Library, Room A, 353 West Commonwealth Avenue, Fullerton
8/11/98 ALJ Ryerson Comr Bilas	11:00 a.m. A98-03-035	(PHC)-For certificate of public convenience and necessity to operate as a passenger stage corporation for scheduled and on-call service over the most direct routes between Los Angeles International Airport and John Wayne Airport on the one hand, and places in the communities in Orange County on the other one hand, Public Library, Room A, 353 West Commonwealth Avenue, Fullerton
8/11/98 ALJ Galvin Comr Duque	1:30 p.m. A.98-05-038	(PHC)-Pacific Bell for authority for pricing flexibility and to increase prices of certain operator services to reduce the number of monthly directory assistance call allowances and adjust prices for four centrex optional features,  Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
8/11/98 ALJ Barnett Comr. Bilas	2:00 p.m. A98-04-015	(PHC)-Unocal California Pipeline Company for authority to remove its line 700B oil pipeline in Los Angeles County from common carrier service, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
8/13/98 ALJ Patrick Comr. Bilas	9:00 a.m. A.97-04-043	(( <b>PHC</b> )-Pacific Gas and Electric Company for a permit to construct the Vasona Substation pursuant to General Order 131-D, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>

8/14/98 ALJ Galvin Comr Conlon	9:00 am A98-02-017	(EH)-Pacific Bell, for authority to categorize business inside wire repair, interexchange carrier directory assistance, and limited call control service as Category III services,  Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also August 19-21, San Francisco)
8/17/98 ALJ Stalder Comr Duque	9:00 am A89-03-026	(EH)-Southern California Edison Company, for a certificate to construct and operate a 220 kV transmission line between Kramer substation and Victor substation in San Bernardino Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also August 18-21, San Francisco).
8/17/98 ALJ Weiss Comr Neeper	9:30 am A98-03-024	(EH)-Apple Valley Ranchos Water Company, for authority to increase rates by \$1,295,453 or 15.1% in 1999; \$279,216 or 2.8% in 2000; by \$280,577 or 2.7% in 2001, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also, August 18-21)
8/17/98 ALJ Wetzell Comr Bilas	9:30 a.m. A.97-12-020 I.97-11-026	(PHC)-Pacific Gas and Electric Company for authority to increase rates and charges for electric and gas service effective 1/1/99, (PHC)-Commission Order Instituting Investigation into the out of service status of Pacific Gas and Electric Company's El Dorado hydroelectric project and the need to reduce electric rates related to this non-functioning electric generating facility Commission Courtroom, Hearing Room A, San Francisco (EH) for 9:00 a.m., August 24 (also August 25-28, August 31-September 4, September 8-11, September 14-18, September 21-25, September 28-October 2, October 5-9, October 13-16, December 14-18, San Francisco)
8/17/98 ALJ Barnett Comr Bilas	11:00 a.m. C98-04-019	(PHC)-Utility Reform Network and Office of Ratepayer Advocates vs. Southern California Edison Company, for violation of the affiliate transaction rules, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
8/19/98 ALJ Galvin Comr Conlon	9:00 a.m. A.98-04-048	(EH)-Pacific Bell for authority to categorize residence inside wire repair as a category III service, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

(also August 20-21, San Francisco
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8/19/98 ALJ Walker Comr. Conlon	7:00 p.m. A.96-11-007	(PPH)-Southern California Water Company to increase rates in order to recover costs resulting from participation in the State Water Project under contract with the Central Coast Water Authority and other related costs to deliver water in its Santa Maria District,  Lake View Junior High School, Multi Purpose Room, 3700 Orcutt Rd., Santa Maria (also (EH) for 10:00 a.m., October 27, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also October 28-30)
8/19/98 ALJ Econome Comr Neeper	9:30 am A95-10-024	(PHC)-Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for authorization to implement a plan of reorganization which will result in a holding company structure, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco; (EH) for 10 am, August 24, San Francisco (also August 25- 31;and September 1-11); (Closing Argument before Assigned Commissioner for 9 am, November 10, San Francisco)
8/21/98 ALJ Wright Comr Neeper	10:00 a.m. C.98-07-008	(ECP)-Dian Fallah vs. Pacific Bell for overcharging of telephone bills, City Hall, Room 15, 735 Anacapa Street, Santa Barbara
8/24/98 ALJ Bennett ALJ Knight	10:00 am C97-09-024	(EH)-Snow Valley, Inc., vs. Southern California Edison Company, for unjust, unreasonable and discriminatory rates and charges, for improper charges for construction of a power substation, City Hall, 3900 Main Street, Third Floor Conference Room, Riverside (also August 25, Riverside)
8/24/98 ALJ Barnett Comr Knight	10:00 a.m. A95-05-049 A94-05-044 A93-05-044	(EH)-Southern California Edison Company, for authority to revise its energy cost adjustment bill factors, its electric revenue adjustment billing factors, its low-income rate assistance, and its base rate levels effective 1/1/1996; to revise the incremental energy rate, the energy reliability index, and avoidable capacity cost pricing, etc., and related matters, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
8/25/98	1:30 p.m.	(PHC)-Internet Specialties West vs. GTE for improper

ALJ Walker Comr. Neeper	C.98-05-054	disconnection of ISDN over Centranet services, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
8/26/98 ALJ Barnett Comr. Neeper	1:30 p.m. A.98-05-033	(PHC)-Southern California Edison Company for approval of contract amendments necessitated by industry restructuring between Southern California Edison Company and AES Placerita, Brea Power Partners, Kern River Cogeneration Company, Midway Sunset Cogeneration, OLS-Camarillo, OLS-Chino, Ontario Cogeneration, Sycamore Cogeneration, and Watts Cogeneration, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
8/27/98 ALJ Malcolm Comr Duque.	11:00 a.m. I.98-04-010	(EH)-Commission Order Instituting Investigation into the operations and practices of the San Diego Gas and Electric Company in connection with its compliance with requirements to maintain proper clearance between power lines and vegetation,,  City Hall, Committee Room, 12 <sup>th</sup> Floor,  202 C Street, San Diego, (also 9:00 a.m., August 28, City Hall, Conference Room B, 12 <sup>th</sup> Floor, 202 C Street, San Diego)
8/28/98 ALJ Stalder Comr Duque	9:00 a.m. C98-05-025	(EH)-Westhaven Cotton Company vs. Southern California Gas Company for changing terms of the contract without notification and resulting increase of financial obligation under the contract,, TDES Hall, 515 North I Street, Tulare
9/1/98 ALJ Bushey Comr Neeper	10:00 a.m. C98-05-012	(PHC)-The Utility Consumers' Action Network vs. Genesis Communications for deceptive practices and unlawful billing and collections practices and privacy violations, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
9/2/98 ALJ Walker Comr Duque	1:30 p.m. A.98-04-065	(PHC)-George W. Goldthorpe application for exemption from the moratorium on new water service connections in the Montara-Moss Beach District as set out in D86-05-078,  Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
9/9/98 ALJ Malcolm Comr. Bilas	11:00 a.m A.98-07-006	(PHC)-San Diego Gas & Electric Company for approval of consolidated changes in 199 authorized revenue and revised rate components; the CTC rate component and associated headroom calculations, RGTCOMA balances;

	A.98-07-003 A98-07-026	credit computations, disposition of various balancing/memorandum accounts; and electric revenue allocation and rate design changes, (PHC)-Pacific Gas and Electric Company for verification , consolidation, and approval of costs and revenues in the Transition Revenue Account, (PHC)-Southern California Edison Company to consolidate authorized rates and revenue requirements; verify residual competition transition charge revenues; review and dispose of amounts in various balancing and memorandum accounts in various balancing and memorandum accounts; verify regulatory balances transferred to the transition cost balancing account on 1/1/98; and propose rate recovery for Santa Catalina Island Diesel fuel costs, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
9/10/98 ALJ Bushey Comr. Neeper	2:00 p.m. I.98-04-033	(PHC)-Commission Order Instituting Investigation into the operations and practices of affiliated companies Future Net Inc., and Future Net Online Inc., dba Future Electric Network and individuals Alan Setlin and Larry Huff, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
9/11/98 ALJ Ryerson Comr. Conlon	9:30 a.m. A.97-12-017	(EH)-Los Alamitos Race Course for an order authorizing pedestrian bikeway crossings at grade at the track of the Union Pacific Railroad Company in the City of Cypress, Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles
9/14/98 ALJ Bushey Comr Neeper	10:00 am 198-03-039	(EH)-Commission Order Instituting Investigation into the operations, practices and conduct of Americans Tele-Network Corporation (ATN) John W. Little, President of ATN, and Geri Clary, Controller of ATN, to determine whether the corporation or its principals have violated Rule 1 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure or have 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 (also September 15 and 16, San Francisco)
9/21/98 ALJ Bushey Comr. Duque	2:00 p.m. C.98-05-043	( <b>PHC</b> )-Bert L. Tate vs. Pacific Telesis for violation of its tariffs and provisions of the Public Utility Code by improper installation of the second telephone line,

# Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

9/28/98 ALJ Barnett Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A98-05-019 A98-05-021	(EH)-San Diego Gas & Electric Company for authority to increase its authorized return on common equity, to adjust its existing ratemaking capital structure, to adjust its authorized embedded costs of debt and preferred stock, to decrease its overall rate of return, and to revise its electric distribution and gas rates accordingly, (EH)-Pacific Gas and Electric Company for authority to establish its authorized rates of return on common equity for electric distribution and gas distribution, and establish its unbundled rates of return for calendar year 1999 for electric distribution and gas distribution, (EH)-Southern California Edison Company for consideration of unbundled rate of return on common equity, capital structure, cost factors, for embedded debt and preferred stock, and overall rate of return for utility operations,,  Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also, September 29-30; October 1-14, San Francisco)
9/28/98 ALJ Pulsifer Comr Conlon	10:00 am R95-04-043 I95-04-044	(EH)-Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion into competition for local exchange service, and (EH)-Investigation on the Commission's own motion into competition for local exchange service, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also September 29 and 30, and October 1 and 2, San Francisco)
10/2/98 ALJ Bushey Comr. Neeper	10:00 a.m. C.98-04-004 C.98-06-003 C.98-06-027	(PHC)-The Utility Consumers' Action Network vs. Pacific Bell for unlawful and deceptive sales program and practices, (PHC)-The Greenlining Institute and Latino Issues Forum vs. Pacific Bell, for deceptive sales practices, false and deceptive advertising, unfair competition and invasion of privacy, (PHC)-The Utility Consumers' Action Network vs. Pacific Bell for unlawful marketing and education of the Caller ID and related services, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
10/2/98 ALJ Walker	10:00 a.m. C.97-09-056	(EH)-Marna An Powell and Donna M. Hufford vs. GTE Northwest dba GTE West Coast for enlargement of the

Comr. Duque		488 prefix to include a toll free one-way extended area services Orick Community Center, 101 Swan Road, Orick
10/8/98 ALJ Minkin Comr Bilas	2:00 p.m. A.98-05-004	(PHC)-Pacific Gas and Electric Company to establish the eligibility and seek recovery of certain electric industry restructuring implementation costs as provided for in Public Utilities Code Section 376, Commission Courtroom, Hearing Room A, San Francisco (also (EH) 10:00 a.m., October 19-29, also (EH and CA) 9:00 a.m., October 30)
10/8/98 ALJ Minkin Comr Bilas	2:00 p.m. A.98-05-004	( <b>PHC</b> )-Pacific Gas and Electric Company to establish the eligibility and seek recovery of certain electric industry restructuring implementation costs as provided for in Public Utilities Code Section 376,
	A.98-05-006	(PHC)-San Diego Gas and Electric Company for (1) a determination of eligibility for recovery under Public Utilities Code section 376 of certain cost categories and activities, (2) a finding of reasonableness of the costs incurred through 12/31/97, (3) approval of an audit methodology for verifying the eligibility of section 376 costs for recovery from 1998 through 2001, and (4) approval of a section 376 balancing account mechanism to recover eligible costs,
	A.98-05-015	(PHC)-Southern California Edison Company to address restructuring implementation costs pursuant to Public Utilities Code section 376 in compliance with Ordering Paragraph 18 of D97-11-074, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (EH) 10:00 a.m., October 19-29; (EH and CA) 9:00 a.m., October 30)

# 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 ALL-PARTY MEETINGS (PU Code § 1701.3(c) )

#### **NONE**

#### NOTICE OF EX PARTE COMMUNICATIONS

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7/31/98	R95-04-043	CORRECTION FROM THE DAILY CALENDAR
		OF AUGUST 3, 1998.
		Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion into
		competition for local exchange service and
	I95-04-044	Investigation on the Commission's own motion into
		competition for local exchange service.

**Summary: AUGMENTATION NOT REQUIRED.** LATE FILED. On July 27, 1998, Teligent, Inc. communicated ex parte in writing by facsimile to Mr. Jose Jimenez, advisor to Commissioner Conlon. The subject was Commission authority to enforce rules requiring nondiscriminatory building access. The fax, submitted by attorneys David A. Simpson and Phuong N. Pham, suggests methods that are available to the Commission to enforce rules requiring nondiscriminatory building access.

Filer: Teligent, Inc

Contact: Martina Hassett Phone: 415) 291-1970

8/4/98	R95-04-043	Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion into
		competition for local exchange service and
	I95-04-044	Investigation on the Commission's own motion into
		competition for local exchange service.

**Summary**: On July 30, 1998, Ron Sawyer, Executive Director-Regulatory, Pacific Bell (PacBell), met with Robert Lane, advisor to Cmmr. Knight, in San Francisco. Written material (attached to the notice) was used. Also present were: Dennis Evans, Executive Director-Regulatory, PacBell; and David Discher, General Attorney, Pacific Telesis. Discher explained that the historical cost methodology in the revised draft is inconsistent with OANAD. Discher also explained that there are no quantification of costs in the record supporting conclusions about cost recovery. Discher urged the Commission to gather more cost data, adopt the fairer Federal Communications Commission proposed cost methodology or do nothing on pricing.

Filer: Pacific Bell
Contact: Lila Tam
Phone: (415) 542-3820

8/5/98	R95-04-043	Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion into
		competition for local exchange service and
	I95-04-044	Investigation on the Commission's own motion into
		competition for local exchange service.

Summary: On August 4, 1998, Vitaly Troyan, San Francisco Department of Public Work, met with Cmmr. Conlon in San Francisco. Also present were: Jose Jimenez, advisor to Cmmr. Conlon; Paul Janis, Telecommunications Regulatory Officer, Los Angeles Information Technology Agency; Jayne Lee and Traci Bone, both Deputy City Attorneys for the City and County of San Francisco; and Brian Moura, the San Mateo County Telecommunications Authority representative and Assistant City Manager for San Carlos. Janis, Lee, Bone and Moura are collectively referred to herein as "City Representatives". The City Representatives expressed concern regarding the draft decision in the Commission's pole attachment proceeding. The City Representatives stated that the Commission has no authority to establish itself as an "agency of last resort" to resolve disputes between local governments and telecommunications carriers. The City Representatives explained the local government obligation to protect the public rights-of-way.

Filer: CCSF

Contact: Bal Sablad Phone: (415) 554-4206