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CONTINUATION MEETING OF COMMISSION AGENDA 2998

Item 4 - A97-12-010

WorldCom, Inc, and MCI Communications Corporation

August 31, 1998 10:30 am to San Francisco, Auditorium 12:30pm

REGULAR COMMISSION BUSINESS MEETINGS

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

October 8, 1998 10 am Leisure World, Club House 3,

23833 Avenida Savilla, Laguna Hills, CA 92653

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

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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.

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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>

NONE

PUBLIC MEETINGS & WORKSHOPS

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 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 Workshop

August 17, 1998	PG&E Energy Center
10 am - 4pm	851 Howard Street
	San Francisco

The California Board for Energy Efficiency (CBEE) is holding a two-day public workshop to hear a presentation on and receive public comments on an independent assessment of program concepts for the CBEE to consider in its Program Year 1999 program planning process.

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	

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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 Workshop

August 18, 1998	PG&E Energy Center
10 am - 4 pm	851 Howard Street
	San Francisco

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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
10 am - 4 pm	851 Howard Street
10 um 4 pm	(between 4 th and 5 th 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 will meet to discuss issues related to the transition of low income rate assistance and energy efficiency services to independent program administration. An agenda for the meeting is being developed and 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.

August 19, 1998 9:30 am - 3:30 pm	California Public Utilities Commission 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 discuss the following: Review/Approve Meeting Minutes, Review/Approval Administrative Report, PUC Report and Action Items, Review/Approve 1998 Annual Report Draft and 1999 Budget, Review ULTSMB Correspondence, Review Comments Received for Assigned Commissioner's Ruling (ACR) to Modify Decision 97-12-105 and Prepare Reply, Review/Approve Proposed Interim Marketing Plan and Budget, Review Previous Penetration Studies/Census Data, Review/Approve Request For Proposals (RFP) for ULTSMB Interim Marketing Program Advertising, Announcements, Set Future Agenda Items for Discussion and Hear Public Comments.

This meeting is open to the public. The Board reserves the right to limit the time allocated to public comments and each speaker. 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 19, 1998	PG&E Energy Center
1 pm - 5 pm	851 Howard Street
	San Francisco

The California Board for Energy Efficiency (CBEE) is having a board meeting to hear a presentation on an independent assessment of program concepts for the CBEE to consider in its Program Year 1999 planning process and a preliminary report from its evaluation consultant on the non-residential SPC program. For more information, please contact Joe Eto at joeeto@earthlink.net.

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 24, 1998	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
10 am -4 pm	1939 Harrison Street
_	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland

The <u>IFB Subcommittee</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.

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August 24 and 25, 1998	Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center
10 am - 4 pm	851 Howard Street
	(between 4 th and 5 th 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
	weinverg is the designated Chairperson)
	Weinberg is the designated Chairperson)

The Low Income Governing Board will meet to discuss issues related to changes to weatherization services provided in the 1999 LIEE program and CARE (rate assistance) program changes for 1999. An agenda for the meeting is being developed and 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 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#

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 1-800-252-5150.

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 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
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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 http://162.15.5.2:80/grcswg/grcswg. 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

September 1, 1998	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
10 am - 2:30 pm	Long Beach Marriott Hotel
	4700 Airport Plaza Drive
	Long Beach

The <u>Administrative 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

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	

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September 9, 1998	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
9 am -5 pm	1939 Harrison Street
	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland

The <u>1999 Budget Subcommittee</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

September 10, 1998	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
9 am -5 pm	Oakland Marriott at City Center Oakland
	1001 Broadway
	Oakland
	(Consult hotel directory for room number)

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Public Meeting

September 10, 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.

September 11, 1998 9 am - 5 pm	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program 1939 Harrison Street
	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland

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Public Meeting

September 25, 1998	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
10 am - 4 pm	1939 Harrison Street
	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland

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Public Meeting

September 28, 1998	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
10 am - 4 pm	1939 Harrison Street
	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland

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

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Public Meeting

October 8, 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

October 23, 1998	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
10 am - 4 pm	1939 Harrison Street
	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland

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November 3, 1998	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
10 am - 4 pm	1939 Harrison Street
	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland

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Public Meeting

November 12, 1998	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
9:30 am - 3:30 pm	1939 Harrison Street
	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland

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Public Meeting

November 20, 1998	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
10 am - 4 pm	1939 Harrison Street
	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland

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NEW FILINGS

8/10/98 A98-08-009

San Diego Metropolitan Transit Development Board, City of El Cajon, and County of San Diego, for an order authorizing construction of an at-grade crossing on two light rail vehicle tracks at Marshall Avenue (north) extension in the City of El Cajon, San Diego County

8/11/98	A98-08-010	Total Media Technologies, Inc., for registration as an interexchange carrier telephone corporation
8/11/98	A98-08-011	Mercury Marketing Company, Ltd., dba MMC Interactive Exchange, for registration as an interexchange carrier telephone corporation pursuant to the provisions of public utilities code section 1013

PETITIONS FOR MODIFICATION AND APPLICATIONS FOR REHEARING

8/3/98	A98-01-008	Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for authority to sell Hunters Point, Potrero, Pittsburg, and Contra Costa Power Plants and Geysers geothermal power plant and related assets; Petition for modification of D98-07-092 by Southeast Alliance for Environmental Justice
8/3/98	C96-06-028	ECP - C. David Stephan vs GTE, for overbilling charges; Application for Rehearing of D98-07-011 by C. David Stephan

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

NONE

ADVICE LETTER FILINGS

NONE

MISCELLANEOUS TRANSPORTATION ITEMS August 13, 1998

Filings with Rail Safety and Carriers Division

NONE

MISCELLANEOUS TELECOMMUNICATION MATTERS

August 13, 1998

NONE

ADJOURNMENTS * RESETTINGS * SUBMISSIONS

C.97-11-014 Bennett-Joanne Carey vs. Pacific Gas and Electric Company, **Evidentiary Hearing held and no report given**

REMOVALS FROM CALENDAR

NONE

NEW SETTINGS		
9/4/98 ALJ Barnett	10:00 a.m. C.98-07-059	(ECP)-Charles Dash vs. Pacific Bell for improper billing in the amount of \$700.00, Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles
9/4/98 ALJ Barnett	11:00 a.m. C.98-07-060	(ECP)-C. Muhammad vs. Southern California Edison Company for overbilling and installing faulty meters, Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles
9/3/98 ALJ Barnett	2:00 p.m. C.98-08-006	(ECP)-Layne Cadore vs. MCI Telecommunications for overcharges, City of Riverside Public Utilities, Fourth Floor, Large Conference Room, 3900 Main St., Riverside

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.

(EH) = Evidenti (PPH) = Public	Participation Hea Arbitration Meeti	
8/13/98 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
8/13/98 ALJ Patrick Comr. Bilas	9:00 a.m. A.97-04-043	((PHC)-Pacific Gas and Electric Company for a permit to construct the Vasona Substation pursuant to General Order 131-D, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
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, (FPH) December 4)
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).

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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 Minkin Comr Neeper	10:00 a.m. A.98-01-014	(PHC)-San Diego Gas and Electric Company for authority to implement a distribution performance based ratemaking mechanism, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco; (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 th Floor, City Administration Building, 202 C Street, San Diego, (also September 24, 7:00 p.m., Council Chamber, City Hall, 201 N. Broadway, Escondido
8/17/98 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)

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)
8/21/98 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 a.m. 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
8/24/98 ALJ Watson Comr.Conlon	10:00 a.m. A.97-12-010	(OA)-Worldcom, Inc. and MCI Communications Corporation for approval to transfer control of MCI Communications Corporation to WorldCom, Inc. Commission Auditorium, San Francisco
8/25/98 ALJ Walker Comr. Neeper	1:30 p.m. C.98-05-054	(PHC)-Internet Specialties West vs. GTE for improper disconnection of ISDN over Centranet services, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
8/26/98 ALJ Barnett	1:30 p.m. A.98-05-033	(PHC)-Southern California Edison Company for approval of contract amendments necessitated by

Comr. Neeper		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
8/26/98 ALJ Econome Comr Neeper	9:30 a.m. 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; also (EH) for 10 am, August 31, September 1-4, September 8- 11, September 14-18), (Closing Argument before Assigned Commissioner) for 9:00 am, November 24)
8/26/98 ALJ Walker Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A98-03-029	(EH)-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, or 9.19% in 2001 in Desert District, and
	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. Commission Courtroom, San Francisco; (OA)

		September 23, 10:00 am, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
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
9/3/98 ALJ Barnett	2:00 p.m. C.98-08-006	(ECP)-Layne Cadore vs. MCI Telecommunications for overcharges, City of Riverside Public Utilities, Fourth Floor, Large Conference Room, 3900 Main St., Riverside
9/4/98 ALJ Barnett	10:00 a.m. C.98-07-059	(ECP)-Charles Dash vs. Pacific Bell for improper billing in the amount of \$700.00, Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles
9/4/98 ALJ Barnett	11:00 a.m. C.98-07-060	(ECP)-C. Muhammad vs. Southern California Edison Company for overbilling and installing faulty meters, Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles
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; credit computations, disposition of various balancing/memorandum accounts; and electric revenue allocation and rate design changes,
	A.98-07-003 A98-07-026	(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
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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
9/10/97 ALJ Bushey Comr. Neeper	10:00 a.m. C.98-03-008	(PHC) Michael Monasky, et. al. vs. Citizens Communications for failure to identify measured service calls and to justify high bills, Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles
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 2:00 p.m. ALJ Bushey C.98-05-043 Comr. Duque (**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

9/28/98 ALJ Barnett Comr Duque	0:00 a.m. A98-05-019	(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,
	A98-05-021	(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
	A98-05-024	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 deb 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	10:00 a.m. C.98-04-004	(PHC)-The Utility Consumers' Action Network vs. Pacific Bell for unlawful and deceptive sales program and
Comr. Neeper	C.98-06-003	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,
	C.98-06-027	(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 Comr. Duque	10:00 a.m. C.97-09-056	(PHC)-Marna An Powell and Donna M. Hufford vs. GTE Northwest dba GTE West Coast for enlargement of the 488 prefix to include a toll free one-way extended area services, (EH for 11:00 a.m.) 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,
	A.98-05-006 A.98-05-015	(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, (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)
11/2/98 ALJ Gottstein ALJ Neeper	10:00 a.m. A.98-05-001	(EH)-Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for approval of demand-side management shareholder incentives for 1997 program year accomplishments and second claim for incentives for 1996 program year accomplishments,
	A98-05-005	(EH)-San Diego Gas & Electric Company to incrase its gas and electric revenue requirements to reflect its accomplishments for demand-side management program years 1996 and 1997 in the 1998 annual earnings assessment proceeding,
	A.98-05-013	(EH)-Southern California Edison Company for approval of demand-side management shareholder incentives for 1997 program year accomplishments and the second installment of shareholder incentives for the 1996
	A.98-05-018	program year, (EH)-Southern California Gas Company for authority to increase its gas revenue requirements to reflect its accomplishments for demand-side management program years 1994, 1995, and 1996 in the 1997 annual earnings assessment proceeding Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also for 9:00 a.m., November 3-5, 10:00 a.m., November 9, 9:00
		a.m., November 10-13; (CA) 10:00 a.m., December 8

11/16/98 ALJ Pulsifer Comr. Neeper	10:00 a.m. C.98-04-046	(EH)-Pac-West Telecomm, Inc., vs. Evans Telephone Company and Volcano Telephone Company for unlawful acts of charging toll rates for local calls placed by their customers to complainant Pac-West customers, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also November 17-19)
12/17/98 ALJ Barnett Comr. Bilas	10:00 a.m. A.98-04-015	(EH)-Unocal California Pipeline Company for authority to remove its line 700B oil pipeline in Los Angeles County from carrier service, Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles (also December 18)
12/7/98 ALJ Galvin Comr. Duque	10:00 a.m. A.98-05-038	(EH)-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 (also December 8-9)

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

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

8/11/98	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 6, 1998, Pacific Bell ("PacBell") representative Bill Blase (Vice President (Regulatory) met with Mr. Robert Lane, advisor to Commissioner Knight. Ex parte communications were oral only. Mr. Blase stated PacBell's position that reciprocal compensation for Internet calls between competing carriers is not appropriate because it creates an inequitable flow of funds from originating carriers to carriers serving Internet service providers.

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

EXECUTIVE ORDERS SIGNED			
7/3/98	D98-07-040	C94-12-042 - Credit Bureau of Northern California vs. U.S. Sprint Communications Company. Dismissed upon written and unopposed request of complainant. This proceeding is closed.	
7/6/98	D98-07-041	C97-10-059 - Utility Resource Management Group, on behalf of Las Virgenes Unified School District vs. Southern California Edison Company. Dismissed without prejudice under Public Utilities Code § 308 and Resolution A-4638. This proceeding is closed.	
7/7/98	D98-07-042	C97-12-022 - S. Martinelli & Company vs. Union Pacific Company. Dismissed upon written and unopposed request of complainant. This proceeding is closed.	
	D98-07-043	A97-11-040 - Pacific Bell. For modification of certain affiliate transaction rules contained in D87-12-067, D92-07-072, and D86-01-026 to facilitate the post-merger consolidation of support services. Dismissed upon written and unopposed request of applicant. This proceeding is closed.	

7/9/98	D98-07-044	A98-02-027 - LCI International Telecom Corporation. For authorization under Public Utilities Code §§ 851/852 to transfer its assets and operating authority to LCI International CA, Inc., and for LCI International CA, Inc., to provide intrastate interexchange and competitive local exchange services. Granted. This proceeding is closed.
	D98-07-045	R95-04-043 - Order instituting rulemaking on the Commission's own motion into competition for local exchange service. I95-04-044 - Related matter. Modification to D97-12-084 is ordered to correct the application number for Justice Long Distance, such modification hereby closing A97-09-055 and A97-09-058. A97-09-055 and A97-09-058 are closed.
	D98-07-046	A98-06-004 - Telecorp, Ltd. For a certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide InterLATA and IntraLATA telecommunications service in California as a switchless reseller. Granted. This proceeding is closed.
7/10/98	D98-07-047	A98-05-051- Impulse Communication, Inc. For a certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide InterLATA and IntraLATA telecommunications service in California as a facilities based carrier. Granted. This proceeding is closed.
	D98-07-048	A98-06-006 - Communications Billing, Inc. For a certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide InterLATA and IntraLATA telecommlunications service in California as a switchless reseller. Granted. This proceeding is closed .
	D98-07-049	A98-06-007 - Primecall, Inc. For a certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide InterLATA and IntraLATA telecommunications service in California as a switchless reseller. Granted. This proceeding is closed .
7/13/98	D98-07-050	A98-04-049 - Convergent Communications, Inc. ("Convergent") and Convergent Communications Services, Inc. ("CCSI") For pro forma change of control for authority to permit Convergent to convey its

		certificate of public convenience and authority to CCSI to operate as an interexchange carrier and reseller of competitive local exchange telephone services pursuant to § 854 of Public Utilities Code. Granted. This proceeding is closed .
7/15/98	D98-07-051	A98-03-015 - Coral Communications., Inc., dba Florida Coral Communications, Inc. For registration as an interexchange carrier telephone corporation pursuant to Public Utilities Code § 1013 and D97-06-107. Dismissed upon written and unopposed request of applicant. This proceeding is closed.
7/16/98	D98-07-052	A98-06-013 - Gen X, LLC, dba Preferred Discount Plan. For certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide InterLATA and IntraLATA telecommunications service in California as switchless reseller. Granted. This proceeding is closed .
	D98-07-053	A98-06-014 - Globelink dba Touchlink. For certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide InterLATA and IntraLATA telecommunications service in California as a facilities based carrier. Granted. This proceeding is closed.
7/17/98	D98-07-054	A98-06-017 - Premiere TeleMedia, Inc. For certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide InterLATA and IntraLATA telecommunications service in California as a switchless reseller. Granted. This proceeding is closed .
	D98-07-055	A98-06-020 - Uni-Tel Communications Group, Inc., dba Global Uni-Tel Communications. For certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide InterLATA and IntraLATA telecommunications service is California as a switchess reseller. Granted. This proceeding is closed.
7/20/98	D98-07-056	A98-06-025 - Z-Tel Communications, Inc. For certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide InterLATA and IntraLATA telecommunications service in California as a switchless reseller. Granted. This proceeding is closed .
	D98-07-057	A98-06-026 - Pacific Fiber Link, LLC. For certificate of

7/24/98	D98-07-107	public convenience and necessity to provide InterLATA and IntraLATA telecommunications service in California as a facilities based carrier. Granted. This proceeding is closed . A98-06-031 - Single Billings Services, Inc. For certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide InterLATA and IntraLATA telecommunications service in California as a switchless reseller. Granted. This proceeding is closed
	D98-07-108	A98-06-034 - Metromedia Fiber Network Services, Inc. ("MFNS"). For certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide InterLATA and IntraLATA telecommunications service in California as a facilities-based carrier. Granted. This proceeding is closed
7/27/98	D98-07-109	A98-06-035 - Eagle Telecom, Inc. dba Ron Jaworski Communications. For certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide InterLATA and IntraLATA telecomunications service in California as a switchless reseller. Granted. This proceeding is closed.

PRESIDING OFFICER DECISIONS WHICH HAVE BECOME COMMISSION DECISIONS PURSUANT TO P.U CODE SECTION 1701.2(a)

7/2/98 D98-07-039

C97-09-022 - Desert Golf R.V. Resort, LLC, dba California Golf R.V. Resort vs. Southern California Edison Company ("Edison"). This decision was mailed to all parties on June 1, 1998 and became effective on July 2, 1998 under Pub.Util.C. § 1701.2 and Rule 8.2 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedures.

Denies the request of complainant to apply Edison's domestic service schedule for electric service to lots that are not occupied at least nine months of the year.

COMMISSION MEETING OF JULY 23, 1998

7/23/98 D98-07-058

A98-04-017 - Sierra LifeStar, Inc dba Protocol Chauffeured Transportation. For certificate of public convenience and necessity to operate as a passenger stage corporation between Tulare/Kings County and Fresno County. This decision grants applicant the authorization to operate as a passenger state corporation as defined in Pub.Util.C.§ 226 to transport persons and their baggage between the points and over the route set forth in Appendix PSC-11354, subject to the stated conditions. This proceeding is closed.

D98-07-059

C94-08-025 B.E. Giovanetti & Sons vs. Pacific Gas & Electric Company ("PG&E"). **This decision denies PG&E's petition for modification of D97-12-049. This proceeding is closed**.

D98-07-060

A95-06-002 - Southern California Gas Company. For authority to adopt performance based regulation ("PBR") for base rates to be effective January 1, 1997. R87-11-012 - Related Matter. Interim Opinion. The petition of the Office of Ratepayer Advocates to modify D97-07-054 is granted as stated in the interim order effective July 23, 1998.

D98-07-061

A97-12-047 - Southern California Edison Company. For authority to adopt incentive based ratemaking mechanisms specified in D96-09-045 and D96-11-021. This decision determines that a hearing is not required in this proceeding, that ex parte communications shall be permitted as provided in Rule 7(e), that in all other respects the rules and procedures in Article 2.5 shall cease to apply to this proceeding, but that the proposed schedule and scope of issues in the scoping memo, as amended, shall continue to apply, except that the dates established for testimony and hearings are no longer relevant.

D98-07-062

A98-04-044 - Communications Brokers & Consultants, Inc. For authority to expand applicant's current certificate of public convenience and necessity to include authorization to provide competitive local exchange services on a resale basis in California. This decision grants applicant's request for expansion subject to terms and conditions. This proceeding is closed.

D98-07-063

C97-05-028 - Clark and Gudrun Beck vs. Bishop Water Company ("Bishop") and California-American Water Company ("Cal-Am"). This decision orders Bishop and Cal-Am to install an additional metal hoop around the water tank in question and notify the

Water Division staff within 14 days of installation, but denies the complaint in all other aspects. Proceeding is closed.

D98-07-064

A98-04-032 - Wholesale Airtime, Inc. For a certificate of public convenience and necessity to resell local exchange telecommunications services within California. This decision grants authority for applicant to operate as a reseller of competitive local exchange services, subject to terms and conditions. This proceeding is closed.

D98-07-065

A98-04-025 - MTA Communications, Inc. For certificate of public convenience and necessity to offer local exchange, access and interexchange services. This decision grants authority for applicant to operate as a nonfacilities-based reseller of competitive local exchange services, subject to terms and conditions. This proceeding is closed.

D98-07-066

A98-04-007 - Pacific Gas & Electric Company ("PG&E") and Regents of University of California ("Buyer") for order under Pub.Util.C.§ 851 to sell and convey certain electric distribution facilities. This decision grants authority for PG&E to transfer to Buyer the property described in the application, subject to terms and conditions. This proceeding is closed.

D98-07-067

A98-03-001 - Pacific Gas & Electric Company (PG&E") and City of Campbell for order under Pub.Util.C.§ 851 to sell and convey a streetlight system. This decision grants authority for PG&E to sell and convey to the City of Campbell the property (streetlight system) described in the application, subject to terms and conditions. This proceeding is closed.

D98-07-068

A98-03-025 - Southern California Gas Company, to establich Core Purchased Gas Account Imbalance Band. This decision approves the applicant's request to revise the calculation of the core subscription procurement charge ("CSPC") and core procurement charge ("CPC"), make conforming changes in its tariffs, establish a core purchased gas account imbalance band, and change the effective date of the monthly price for CSPC and CPC to the first

calendar day of the month. This proceeding is closed.

D98-07-069

A97-08-041 - Pacific Gas & Electric ("PG&E") and City of Santa Rosa for order under § 851 of Pub.Util.C. to sell and convey a streetlight system. This decision grants authority for PG&E to sell and convey to the City of Santa Rosa the property (streetlight system) described in the application, subject to terms and conditions. This proceeding is closed.

D98-07-070

C91-03-037 - Digital Communications Network, Inc. vs. Cellular Reseller Association. In the process of Commission steps to clear out unnecessary and moot proceedings, a ruling was earlier issued proposing to close this proceeding. Having received no formal responses to the Commission's proposal, this decision orders C91-03-037 closed. This proceeding is closed.

D98-07-071

A97-01-038 - California Water Service, for an order adopting certain language for use in Rule 15 main extension contracts. **This decision denies the application. This proceeding is closed**.

D98-07-072

A98-05-029 - Ponderosa Water Co., Inc. ("Ponderosa") dba as Ponderosa Water Co., to sell and Tuolumne Utilities District to buy, the water system located north of Tuolumne City, serving 542 customers. This decision grants the authority sought in the application, such authority effective within six months after the effective date of this order, and directs further actions by Ponderosa. This proceeding is closed.

D98-07-073

A98-04-059 - OmniCall, Inc. For certificate of public convenience and necessity to offer local exchange telephone service. This decision grants certificate of public convenience and necessity to applicant to operate as a reseller of competitive local exchange services, subject to terms and conditions. This proceeding is closed.

D98-07-074

A98-04-039 - National Communications Association, Inc, and Universal Communications Group, Inc., for approval of pro forma assignment of certificate of public convenience and necessity. This decision grants the application pursuant to Pub.Util.C. § 851 and in

accordance with terms and conditions set forth in the application. This proceeding is closed.

D98-07-075

I88-11-040 - Investigation of Commission's own motion into regulation of cellular radiotelephone utilities. A87-02-017; C86-12-023 Related matters. This decision grants The Utility Reform Network ("TURN") an award of \$10,630 for its substantial contribution to the resolution of issues addressed in D97-06-109. These proceedings are closed.

D98-07-076

A98-04-066 - Mini-Bus Systems, Inc. For authority of Carl Melvin to sell his shares and Fazi Bostajani (Buyer) to exercise his option to purchase said shares of stock pursuant to Pub.Util.C. § 851. This decision authorizes Buyer to acquire and control Mini-Bus Systems, Inc. through the purchase of 75% of the outstanding shares of stock in the corporation from Carl Melvin, and orders Buyer to notify Rail Safety and Carriers Division in writing within fifteen (15) days after the date the transaction closes, such authorization deemed to be lapsed unless it is exercised within 90 days of the effective date of this order. This proceeding is closed.

D98-07-077

A97-12-047 - Southern California Edison Company ("Edison"). For authority to adopt incentive based ratemaking mechanism specified in D96-09-045 and D96-11-021. Interim decision. This decision issues interim order determining that Edison's performance-based ratemaking ("PBR") complies with D96-09-045 to establish PBR mechanisms addressing systemwide reliability; further, that on an interim basis Edison's customer satisfaction PBR is deemed to comply with D96-09-045 to establish PBR mechanisms that address the six most frequent customer requests, and that specific and objective measures of customer satisfaction shall be instituted during the midterm review process. The decision further orders Edison to file an application on March 1, 1999 that includes the interim report ordered in D96-09-092 to initiate the midterm review process, and further orders details required in an advice letter Edison is directed to submit within 60 days prior to the date it plans to close a business office. Finally, the decision's interim

order directs Edison on the modification to determine customer satisfaction and specifies other details on future customer satisfaction surveys.

D98-07-078

A96-03-045 - Mather Field Utilities, Inc. (On September 17, 1997, applicant changed its corporate name to West Coast Gas Company, Inc. ("WCG")). This decision grants petition of WCG for modification of paragraph "10" of D97-04-084 to read "The utility shall file for general rate case review of its utility operation by March 30, 2000" and directs WCG to submit a report on safety deficiencies to the Utilities Safety Branch, Consumer Services Division, within 60 days of the effective date of this order. This proceeding is closed.

D98-07-079

A98-04-005 - Plains All American, Inc. for authority to acquire control of All American Pipeline Company. This decision grants authority to applicant to acquire control of All American Pipeline Company pursuant to the terms of the stock purchase agreement attached to the application, and directs applicant to inform the Commission in writing of the date of transfer within ten (10) days after transfer of control. This proceeding is closed.

D98-07-080

A98-04-012 - IntraTel Group, Ltd ("IntraTel") and North American Telephone Network, LLC ("NATN") For authority to transfer the stock of NATN, an NDIEC operating in California, to IntraTel. This decision grants the application, directs NATN to continue to provide all services under the name of North American Telephone Network, Inc., authorized by D96-08-008 and to do so under its tariffs until it files new tariffs in its new name. The decision further directs actions on notification within 30 days following the transfer and the filing of new tariffs within 30 days of the completion of the transfer. This proceeding is closed.

D98-07-081

A98-02-012 - San Diego Gas & Electric (SDG&E) and City of Poway for an order under Pub.Util.C. § 851 to sell and convey a streetlight system. This decision grants the petition for SDG&E to sell and convey title to the City of Poway of a streetlight system and additionally directs certain implementing actions by

SDG&E. This proceeding is closed.

D98-07-082

I97-04-014 - Order instituting investigation on Commission's own motion and OSC whether Guy W. Martens, dba Western Cellular, Inc., has violated consumer protection laws and should be subject to sanctions or the imposition of operating requirements to advance consumer protection. This decision adopts and approves settlement stipulations in three (3) writings attached to the decision and directs all respondents to the proceeding to carry out their respective obligations under the stipulations. This proceeding is closed.

D98-07-083

A98-03-043 - Blue & Gold Fleet, a Limited Partnership. For authority to increase fare levels for the transportation of passengers in vessel common carrier service between the Alameda Gateway area and the Port of Oakland on one hand, and authorized points in San Francisco on the other hand. This decision grants the application, and directs applicant to file in accordance with General Order 117 Series the revised tariff sheets included in the order. This proceeding is closed.

D98-07-084

A95-12-056 - Voice Telephone Company. For a certificate of public convenience and necessity to operate as a reseller of telephone services within the State of California. This decision dismisses the application with prejudice because of applicant's failure to proceed and orders applicant and its principals to cease and desist any provision, within California, of telecommunications services except by authority of the Commission. This proceeding is closed.

D98-07-085

A98-04-060 - City of Roseville. For authority to remove the Berry Street crossing of the Union Pacific Railroad Company tracks and construct a new improved crossing in Roseville, County of Placer. **This decision grants the application subject to conditions cited in the order. This proceeding is closed.**

D98-07-086

A98-06-021 - San Jose Water Company ("San Jose"), for authority to issue and sell debentures not exceeding the aggregate amount of \$60,000,000 and to execute and deliver loan agreement(s). **This decision grants the**

application and directs San Jose to execute and deliver all related documents in the manner prescribed in the order. The decision further directs that the authority granted becomes effective when San Jose pays \$36,000, the fee set forth by Pub.Util.C. § 1904(b). This proceeding is closed.

D98-07-087

A98-05-027 - San Gabriel Valley Water Company ("San Gabriel"). For authorization to (1) obtain debt capital not to exceed \$30,000,000, and (2) obtain an exemption from the competitive bidding rule. This decision grants the application and authorizes San Gabriel to do designated tasks cited in the order deemed substantially consistent with those set forth in or contemplated by the application. The authority granted becomes effective when San Gabriel pays \$17,632, the fee set forth by Pub.Util.C. § 1904(b). This proceeding is closed.

D98-07-088

A98-03-047 - Sierra Telephone Company, Inc. For an order authorizing it to issue notes in an amount not exceeding \$35,500,000, and to execute a related agreement and supplemental security instruments. This decision grants the application and directs the applicant to file with the Telecommunications Division copies of the Telephone Loan Contract amendment, mortgage and security agreement, mortgage note, supplemental mortgages, other security instruments, and environmental compliance not later than 15 days after the documents have been executed, and directs other implementing actions. The authority granted becomes effective when Sierra Telephone pays \$23,750, the fee set forth by Pub.Util.C. § 1904(b). This proceeding is closed.

D98-07-089

C96-11-029 - Nancy M. Horner and Vertec International, Inc., dba Vitosha, Ltd., vs. GTE of California, Inc. **This decision dismisses the complaint with prejudice, and directs that \$1,314.00, on deposit with the Commission, be disbursed to GTE of California, Inc. This proceeding is closed.**

D98-07-090

A97-09-009 - California Water Service Company ("CWS") for an order authorizing it to increase rates charged for water service in the South San Francisco

district; A97-09-010 (same for Selma district); A97-09-011 (same for Oroville district); A97-09-014 (same for Marysville district-related matters. This decision authorizes CWS general rate increases in the four (4) aforesaid districts, such authorized rates based on a rate of return on rate base of 9.32% with a corresponding rate of return of 10.35% on common equity. Decision directs various implementing actions by CWS. These proceedings are closed.

D98-07-091

R95-04-043 - Order instituting rulemaking on Commission's own motion into competition for local exchange service. I95-04-044 Related matter. As to policies for increased retail pricing flexibility for Pacific Bell and GTE California Incorporated, **This decision modifies D96-03-020 by changing Conclusion of Law no. 49 and adding Ordering Paragraph no. 16a**.

D98-07-092

A98-01-008 - Pacific Gas & Electric Company ("PG&E"). For authorization to sell certain generating plants and related assets pursuant to Pub.Util.C. § 851. Interim decision. This decision issues an interim order that PG&E may continue an auction of the Potrero Power Plant, Pittsburg Power Plant, Contra Costa Power Plant, Sonoma County Geysers units, and Lake County Geysers units, but shall not accept final bids until further order of the Commission. Related actions were directed. Commissioner Knight filed a partial dissent.

D98-07-093

R95-04-043 - Order instituting rulemaking on Commission's own motion into competition for local exchange service. I95-04-044 Related matter. This decision approves provisionally California-Nevada Code Administrator's ("CNCA") proposed education plan. Plan is subject to further revisions and augmentations to provide a satisfactory basis to achieve the objectives of customer awareness and acceptance of the 310 Numbering Plan Area ("NPA") over plan, including mandatory 1+10-digit dialing. Parties are directed to file comments by August 17, 1998 on the issue of how the PEP is to be funded.

D98-07-094

R95-04-043 - Order instituting rulemaking on Commission's own motion into competition for local

exchange service. I95-04-044 related matter. This decision authorized competitive local carriers ("CLCs") to use the advice letter process previously established in D94-05-051 for uncontroversial request for authorization to transfer or encumber assets or control pursuant to Pub.Util.C. §§ 851 to 854.

D98-07-095

C98-04-046 Pac-West Telecomm, Inc. ("Pac-West") vs. Evans Telephone Company and Volcano Telephone Company (collectively "defendants"). This decision grants preliminary injunction to motion by Pac-West, enjoining defendants from further rating of calls routed to the 209/231 and 209/856 prefixes as toll, such directive effective pending further order from the Commission.

D98-07-096

R95-04-043 - Order instituting rulemaking on Commission's own motion into competition for local exchange service. I95-04-044 related matter. This decision denies MediaOne Telecommunications of California, Inc's emergency motion for immediate allocation of NXX codes.

D98-07-097

R96-11-004 - Order instituting rulemaking for electric distribution facility standard setting. This decision adopts rules set forth in "Appendix A" (of decision) for electric distribution utility emergency preparedness and response and in "Appendix B" for electric utility accident reporting.

D98-07-098

R94-04-031 - Order instituting rulemaking on Commission's proposed policies governing restructuring California's electric services industry and reforming regulation. I94-04-032 related matter. This decision addresses the proposed work plan and budget of the Electric Education Trust ("EET") Administrative Committee ("EETAC"). Motion of the Greenlining Institute to accept the late filing of its comments on the proposed work plan is granted. Docket Office to accept for filing the Greenlining Institute's late filing of "Comments on behalf of the Greenlining Institute regarding the EET's proposed work plan and budget" as of November 4, 1997. EETAC to file its plan to implement its educational efforts, including a revised budget and schedule by September 30, 1998.

Interested parties may file comments on EETAC's proposed plan within 21 days of the plan's filing date. **EETAC** to file the community-based organization (CBO) educational outreach plan, and a revised budget and schedule no later than September 30, 1998. Interested parties may file comments on the CBO plan within 21 days of the plan's filing date. EETAC to file its proposed plan and budget for the remaining life of the EET by February 2, 1999. Interested parties may file comments on the proposed plan and budget no later than March 5, 1999. CSD to submit a plan for a near-term educational effort by August 22, 1998. Directs Pacific Gas & Electric, San Diego Gas & Electric, and Southern California Edison company to do certain actions, authorizes the assigned Commissioners to do certain actions, and directs the Director of Consumer Services Division ("CSD") to do certain actions.

D98-07-099

I95-02-004 - Investigation on Commission's own motion into operations, practices and conduct of Sonic Communications dba SCI Communications ("Sonic"), to determine whether it has complied with laws, rules, regulations and its' tariff rules governing the manner in which California consumers are changed from one long-distance carrier to another. This decision revokes the operating authority of Sonic, currently a defunct entity, for unlawfully switching the presubscribed long distance service of California residential customers of other carriers to Sonic in violation of Pub.Util.C. § 2889.5. This proceeding is closed.

D98-07-100

A96-03-031 - Southern California Gas Company, for authority to revise its rates effective 1/1/97, in its Biennial Cost Allocation Proceeding, for a total reduction in annual revenue of approximately \$147.9 million (5.7%). A96-04-030 - related matter. Order granting rehearing of D97-04-082 in part, and denying rehearing and modification in part. Modifies D97-04-082 to add a footnote at the end of the first sentence of the second paragraph on page 24 and to correct typographical errors. Denied application for rehearing of City of Long Beach. Granted a limited rehearing for purpose of addressing questions related to the allocation of ITCS costs between the core and

noncore. Denies ORA's petition for modification of D97-04-082.

D98-07-101

A94-12-005 - Pacific Gas & Electric ("PG&E"). For authority, among other things, to decrease its rates and charges for electric and gas service, and increase rates and charges for pipeline expansion service. In regard to rehearing applications filed by certain parties after D97-12-044. This decision grants a limited rehearing to modify D97-12-044 to correct the statement concerning whether AB 1890 precludes the closure of existing schedules to new customers, grants a limited rehearing for the purpose of modifying D97-12-044 to amend the discussion concerning the allocation of California Alternate Rates for Energy ("CARE") costs, modifies D97-12-044 as specified, and denies a rehearing in all other respects.

D98-07-102

A98-05-023 - Enserch Energy Services, Inc. For rehearing of Commission Resolution G-3233. Interim decision. This decision issues an interim order providing for the establishment of an evidentiary hearing, but only on condition that applicant Enserch affirms it is prepared to establish the specific facts the Commission has determined are necessary for supporting a demand charge reimbursement from Southern California Gas.

D98-07-103

A96-04-020 - Toward Utility Rate Normalization ("TURN"). For rehearing of Resolution E-3447 regarding the economic development rate offered to Douglas Aircraft Co., by Southern California Edison Co. **Denied. The allegations in the application for rehearing are deemed without merit**.

D98-07-104

A95-05-016 - Pacific Gas & Electric ("PG&E"). For authority to (I) establish its authorized rate of return for common equity, (ii) establish its authorized capital structure, (iii) adjust its cost factors for embedded debt and preferred stock, and (iv) establish its overall rate of return for calendar year 1996. A95-05-017; A95-05-021; A95-05-022; A95-05-023-related matters. This decision denies the application of Economic & Technical Analysis Group ("ETAG") for a rehearing of Decision 96-10-072, one disapproving ETAG's request for

intervenor compensation in the cited applications, but modifies D96-10-072 to delete any reference that Southern California Gas filed an opposition to ETAG's request for compensation. The proceedings are closed.

D98-07-105

A96-10-038 - Pacific Enterprises, Enova Corporation, Mineral Energy Company, B Mineral Energy Sub and G Mineral Energy Sub. For approval of a plan of merger of Pacific Enterprises and Enova Corp. with and into B Mineral Energy Sub ("Newco Pacific Sub") and G Mineral Energy Sub ("Newco Enova Sub"), the wholly owned subsidiaries of a newly created holding company, Mineral Energy Company. This decision denies the City of Vernon application for rehearing of D98-03-073 (approving the merger of Pacific Enterprises and Enova Corp.).

D98-07-106

I97-01-028 - Order instituting investigation into why passenger stage corporation certificate and the charter-party carrer certificate (PSG 8939) issued to North Shuttle Service, Inc. (respondent), dba Yellow Airport Express, should not be revoked. A97-04-002 related matter. This decision stays the effective date of D98-05-019 until October 24, 1998 or until the date upon which the Commission renders a decision on rehearing, whichever occurs first.

R98-07-037

Order Instituting Rulemaking on the Commission's proposed policies and programs governing energy efficiency, low-income assistance, renewable energy and research development and demonstration

R98-07-038

Commission Instituting Rulemaking for purposes of revising General Order 96-A regarding informal filings at the Commission

RESOLUTIONS

7/23/98 ALJ-176-2997

Ratification of preliminary determinations of category for

proceedings initiated by application. The preliminary determinations are pursuant to Article 2.5, Rules 4 and 6.1 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure. (See also Rule 63.2(c) regarding notice of assignment.)

Adopted.

E-3544

Approves with modifications establishment of a transmission revenue requirement reclassification memorandum account for Southern California Edison Company, and San Diego Gas & Electric Company. **Approved with modifications.**

E-3553

Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E). This resolution grants PG&E's request to deviate from the provisions of Public Utilities Code Section 320 and to install a recloser in the Monte Rio Area of Sonoma County. **Granted**.

E-3555

Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) Advice Letters (AL) 2086-G, 1776-E, Southern California Edison Company (Edison) AL 1321-E, Southern California Gas company (SoCalGas) AL 2719-G, and San Diego Gas & Electric (SDG&E) AL 1100-G, and 1104-E. This resolution approves as modified PG&E, Edison, SoCalGas, and SDG&E's submission for Commission approval proposals for the extension of 1998 energy efficiency programs through December 31, 1998 in accordance with ordering paragraph 3 of D98-05-018 and interim policy rules adopted in D97-12-103. **Approved as modified.**

E-3556

Advice Letter 175-E of Southern California Water Company (SCWC) dba Bear Valley Electric Service (BVE). This resolution approves BVE's request for authorization to increase rates by \$112,000 to fund public purpose programs related to research and development, and renewable resource technologies, and submits unbundled electric rates consistent with D97-12-093. **Adopted**.

E-3557

Advice Letter 1180-E of Southern California Edison Company (Edison). For approval to simplify its past due notice and collection process currently in effect for domestic customers; and modify Form (No. 14574) O, Energy Statement, Format A ("Past Due" Notice).

	Approved subject to modification, otherwise rejected in 30 days.
O-0024	Advice Letter 9 of SFPP , L.P. This resolution approves SFPP's request to cancel its tariff schedule Cal. PUC 85 (Local Tariff 17) from Fresno, California to Lemoore Naval Air Station, California. Granted .
SX-16	Harmon Industries (Harmon) and Modesto and Empire Traction Company (M&ET). This resolution authorizes M&ET and Harmon to proceed with a safety demonstration project (the trial installation of an interactive network which provides real-time problem detection, recording and reporting) at 19 grade crossings in the City of Modesto, Stanislaus County. Granted .
T-16157	All competitive local exchange carriers (CLCs). This resolution authorizes Media Once Telecommunication Inc.'s request and allows CLCs who are members of the Centralized Credit Check System (CCCS) to deviate from the CLCs Deposit Rule 5 in Appendix B of D95-07-054 to include the CCCS deposit rule. Granted .
T-16158	Advice Letter 5 of American Express Telecom, Inc. (AET). Request of AET to revoke its certificate of public convenience and necessity. Granted .
T-16159	Advice Letter 2 of Voyager Networks, Inc. (Voyager). Request of Voyager to revoke its certificate of public convenience and necessity. Granted .
T-16160	Pacific Access Communications and Key Emerging Technology Services (PACKETS). Request of PACKETS to revoke its certificate of public convenience and necessity. Granted .
T-16161	Advice Letter 9 of Microwave Services, Inc. (MS). Request of MS to revoke its certificate of public convenience and necessity. Granted .
T-16162	Apollo Communications Services, LLC (Apollo). Request of Apollo to revoke its certificate of public convenience and necessity. Granted .
T-16163	Optex, Inc. dba Optex Communications (Optex). Request

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	of Optex to revoke its certificate of public convenience and necessity. Granted .
T-16166	International Gateway Communications (IGC). Request of IGC to revoke its certificate of public convenience and necessity. Granted .
T-16167	VoComm Telecommunications, Inc. (VoComm). Request of VoComm to revoke its certificate of public convenience and necessity. Granted .
T-16168	Advice Letter 2 International Exchange Networks, Ltd. (IEN). Request of IEN to revoke its certificate of public convenience and necessity. Granted .
T-16169	Advice Letter 3 of United Wats, Inc. (UW). Request of UW to revoke its certificate of public convenience and necessity. Granted .
T-16170	Advice Letter (AL) 195 and supplemented by AL 195A Calaveras Telephone Company (Calaveras). This resolution grants Calaveras approval of customer notification and education plan in compliance with Public Utilities Code Section 2893 and Federal Communications Commission Reconsideration Order 98-187 which must be implemented and must thereafter be shown to be effective to the Commission's satisfaction before Calaveras can pass calling party numbers to interconnection carriers. Granted .
T-16172	Public Advocates (PA), on behalf of the Pacific Telesis (Telesis)/SBC Merger Signatory Coalitions. This resolution acknowledges the proposed Organizational Charter (Charter) filed by PA on December 26, 1997. The proposed Charter creates an organization to implement the Commission's policy as set forth in D97-03-067 and D97-11-035 approving the merger of Telesis and SBC Communications, Inc. Adopted
TL-18854	Resolution approving issuance of charter-party carrier certificates pursuant to Section 5374(b) of the Public Utilities Code. Granted .
TL-18855	Resolution denying issuance of charter-party authority or household goods carrier authority for failure to satisfy

statutory provisions of the Public Utilities Code and Commission General Orders. **Adopted**..

W-4103

Advice Letter 1031-W of Southern California Water Company, Metropolitan District. This resolution authorizes a rate base offset revenue increase of \$304,355 or 0.5% additional annual revenue for 1998. **Adopted**.