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**ALJ Resolution ALJ 176-3003 regarding ratification of preliminary determinations of category and notice of assignment is included in this calendar.**

**The Commission Daily Calendar will not be published on November 11, 1998 due to a State Legal Holiday.**



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**REGULAR COMMISSION BUSINESS MEETINGS**

November 19, 1998	10 am	San Francisco
December 3, 1998	10 am	San Francisco
December 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.*

November 16, 1998	1:30 pm	San Francisco
November 30, 1998	1:30 pm	San Francisco
December 14, 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.

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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).*

<b><u>Date/Time</u></b>	<b><u>Commissioner</u></b>	<b><u>Location</u></b>
November 20, 1998 9 am to noon	Josiah Neeper	1350 Front Street, Room 4006 San Diego

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**PUBLIC MEETINGS & WORKSHOPS**

**Public Meeting - REVISED PUBLIC MEETING**

<p>November 10, 1998 10 am – 4 pm (PST)</p> <p><u>Conference Call Information</u> November 10, 1998 dial (415) 904-8907 Passcode = 2408347#</p>	<p><i>PG&amp;E Energy Center</i> 851 Howard Street, Green Room <i>San Francisco</i></p> <p>Note: If you experience problems trying to access this conference call, please contact Confertech at 1-800-314-3558 and have them verify the Dial-in # and Passcode scheduled under Master Reservation #4590512 for CH2M HILL (Sharon Weinberg is the designated Chairperson)</p>
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The Board will meet to discuss the following topics: report from the Chair, subcommittee reports, direction to consultants LIEE 2000 changes, CARE 2000 changes, submittal letter, review changes to the draft 11/13 filing on proposed scope of work, including proposed modifications to current DSM rules, program funding guidelines, cost-effectiveness criteria, administrator performance and other guidelines, as appropriate, that the Board intends to use in shaping the RFP, report from administrative consultants detailing LIGB website management, legislative update, review topics for meetings scheduled in December, contracts and legal issues, review and approval of meeting minutes, financial report and advisory committee report. An agenda for the meeting is being developed and can be obtained from the LIGB's website at [www.ligb.org](http://www.ligb.org). The meeting is open to the public. For more information contact Sharon Weinberg at (510) 251-2888, extension 2025.

**Public Meeting - CANCELLED.**

<p>November 11, 1998 9:30 am to 4 pm</p>	<p><i>Pacific Energy Center</i> 851 Howard Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor <i>San Francisco</i></p>
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The California Board For Energy Efficiency will conduct a Board meeting. Some items of discussion will include the program planning process for 1999, CBEE expectations for Interim Administrators' third quarterly status report, CBEE work plans, technical consultant work plans, and schedules, issues related to utility assets and liabilities, verification, measurement and assessment functions, and other reporting requirements, and the Technical Advisory Committee and Board operational matters. The contact person is **Mark Thayer (619) 594-5510**. For further details about CBEE and this meeting consult the CBEE Web Page at [www.cbee.org](http://www.cbee.org).

**Workshop Notice - POSTPONED: NEW TIME TO BE ANNOUNCED**

<b>November 12, 1998 (Thursday)</b> 9 am - 4 pm	California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue, Training Room (Corner of Van Ness and McAllister) <b>San Francisco</b>
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In compliance with Resolution T-16118, the Telecommunications Division is conducting workshops to address outstanding technical, administrative, and other related implementation issues concerning the reconciliation of the California Teleconnect Fund (CTF) and the federal schools and libraries program. This workshop is a follow-up to workshops originally held in March 1998. The principal focus of the workshop will be on ways to reconcile the CTF with the federal program's recently adopted method for reimbursing eligible schools and libraries retroactively. An agenda and other background materials will be available upon request. The contact person for this meeting is Brian Roberts at 415.703.2334 or bpr@cpuc.ca.gov.

**Public Meeting - TIME CHANGE (REVISED AS OF 9/26/98)**

November 12, 1998 9:30 am - 4:30 pm	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program 1939 Harrison Street DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555 <b>Oakland</b>
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The Equipment Program Advisory Committee of the Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will hold its regular monthly meeting. For more information about the meeting, or if you plan to attend the meeting and need sign language interpretation or real-time captioning, contact 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.

**Workshop Notice**

November 13, 1998 9 am - 4 pm	California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue, Training Room (Corner of Van Ness and McAllister) <b>San Francisco</b>
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**NXX CODE LOTTERY WORKSHOP**

The Telecommunications Division of the California Public Utilities Commission will be holding a technical workshop on fine-tuning the NXX Code Lottery held each month at the CPUC. Decision 98-08-037 found there is a need for a fresh review of lottery procedures. In this workshop, the lottery process will be reviewed to determine if there are ways to make the distribution of NXX codes among carriers more equitable, and more conducive to the development of competition. Increasing the percentage of initial codes assigned from the lottery from the current 60% to a higher amount will be explored. Participants should come prepared to

address potential reform measures for the lottery, identify potential shortcomings and suggest ways to revise the lottery process to promote a more competitive market including potential revisions in the allocation between initial and growth codes. If you plan to attend the November 13, 1998 workshop please RSVP by November 10, 1998 to Mary Jo Borak, at 415/703-1879, Email: BOR@CPUC.CA.GOV or Risa Hernandez at 415/703-5331, Email: RHH@CPUC.CA.GOV 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**

<i>November 13, 1998 10 am - 1 pm</i>	<i>One Crow Canyon Court. Building. 7 - Conference Room <b>San Ramon</b></i>
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The TDD Placement Interim Committee will conduct a monthly meeting. For more information, please contact Adam Thaler at (415) 703-1157

**Public Meeting**

<i>November 13, 1998 10 am - 2 pm</i>	<i>Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program 1939 Harrison Street DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555 <b>Oakland</b></i>
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The UNIVERSAL LIFELINE TELEPHONE SERVICE (ULTS) TASKFORCE 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.

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**Public Meeting**

<i>November 17, 1998 9:30 am -3:30 pm</i>	<i>California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 3204 (Corner of Van Ness Avenue and McAllister Street) <b>San Francisco</b></i>
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The ULTS Marketing Board (ULTSMB) will hold its regular meeting to discuss the following: Review/Approve Meeting Minutes, Review/Approve Administrative Report and Action Items, Review ULTSMB Correspondences, PUC Report and Action Items, Interim Marketing Program Discussion and Planning, Review/Approve Marketing Program Timeline, Review Approve RFP and Contract for ULTSMB Interim Marketing Program, Discussion of Marketing Program RFP Selection Committee, Review/Approve RFP Scoping Criteria for interim Marketing Program, Discussion of Bidder's Conference Committee, Review Previous Studies and Data, 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: California Board for Energy Efficiency**

<i>November 18, 1998 9:30 am to 4 pm</i>	<i>Pacific Energy Center 851 Howard Street San Francisco</i>
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The California Board for Energy Efficiency (CBEE) will meet to discuss the following topics: program planning for 1999, including review and discussion of the utilities' advice letter filings; options for future administration of energy efficiency programs, alternative administrative structures, and processes for reaching resolution; CBEE tasks, priorities, and schedules for 1999; the market assessment and evaluation (MA&E) planning process; Board operations and functioning; status reports on interactions with the Commission, support services, commitments tracking, reporting requirements, market assessment and evaluation activities, and the Technical Advisory Committee; and the Treasurer's report. The meeting is open to the public. The contact person is Mark Thayer (619) 594-5510. For further information about CBEE and this meeting consult the CBEE Web Page at [www.cbee.org](http://www.cbee.org).

**Public Meeting**

<i>November 18, 1998 1:30 am - 4 pm</i>	<i>California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 3204 (Corner of Van Ness Avenue and McAllister Street) San Francisco</i>
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The Universal Lifeline Telephone Service (ULTS) Administrative Committee will hold its regularly scheduled monthly meeting to address the following: Review/Approve Meeting Minutes, Review/Approve Telephone Claims, Review/Approve ULTS/ULTSMB Administrative Expenses and Authorize Administrative Transfer, PUC Report and Action Items, Review/Acceptance of the Amervest Report, Review/Approve Administrative Report and Action Items, Amervest/Bank of America Presentations, Review/Approve Trust Fees for 1999, 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 and/or receive a meeting packet please notify the ULTS Trust Officer at (510) 452-2757.

**Public Meeting**

<i>November 18, 1998 Lottery begins at 1:30 pm</i>	<i>California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue, Training Room (Corner of Van Ness and McAllister Street) San Francisco</i>
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LOTTERY FOR TELEPHONE NUMBER PREFIX ASSIGNMENTS IN THE  
209/559, 213/323, 310, 408/831, 415, 510/925, 619, 650, 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, 650, 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 November 10, 1998. All companies applying for central office codes must have a Jeopardy COCUS (Central Office Code Utilization Survey) on file with the California Code Administrator. For information on the Jeopardy COCUS filing, call (925) 363-8736. 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**

<i>November 18, 1998 1:30 pm - 4 pm</i>	<i>California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 3212 (Corner of Van Ness and McAllister) San Francisco</i>
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The Administrative Committee of the California High Cost Fund A, the California High Cost Fund B, and the California Teleconnect Fund will hold a meeting. Purposes of the meeting are to: 1) approve public meeting minutes of 10/28/98, 2) review draft requests for bid for the selection of a financial institution(s) for the California High Cost Fund B and the California Teleconnect Fund, 3) discuss process for reviewing and approving CHCF-B claims, and 4) discuss 1999 CHCF-A support requested by the 17 small LECs.

The contact person for this meeting is Angela Young at (415) 703-2837.

**Public Meeting - TIME CHANGE**

<i>November 19, 1998 10 am - 4 pm</i>	<i>Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program 1939 Harrison Street DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555 Oakland</i>
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The IFB SUB-COMMITTEE and the SPEECH-TO-SPEECH SUB-COMMITTEE of the Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will 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.

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**Public Meeting**

November 20, 1998 10 am - 4 pm	<i>Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program 1939 Harrison Street DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555 Oakland</i>
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The California Relay Service Advisory Committee of the Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will hold its regular monthly meeting. For more information about the meeting, or if you plan to attend the meeting and need sign language interpretation or real-time captioning, contact 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**

December 1, 1998 10 am - 4 pm	<i>Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program 1939 Harrison Street DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555 Oakland</i>
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The ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE (DDTPAC) 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: California Board for Energy Efficiency**

December 1, 1998 1 pm to 5:30 pm	<i>Pacific Energy Center 851 Howard Street San Francisco</i>
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The California Board for Energy Efficiency (CBEE) will meet to discuss the following topics: program planning for 1999, including comments on the utilities' advice letter filings; options for future administration of energy efficiency programs, alternative administrative structures, and processes for reaching resolution; CBEE tasks, priorities, and schedules for 1999; RFP(s) and work plans for support services in 1999; the milestones, procedural recommendations, and schedule filing (due December 17); the market assessment and evaluation (MA&E) planning process; Board operations and functioning; status reports on interactions with the Commission, support services, commitments tracking, reporting requirements, market assessment and evaluation activities, and the Technical Advisory Committee; the Treasurer's report; and Board member and consultant invoices. The meeting is open to the public. The contact person is Mark Thayer (619) 594-5510. For further information about CBEE and this meeting consult the CBEE Web Page at [www.cbee.org](http://www.cbee.org).

**LIGB Meeting Notice**

December 1 & 2, 1998  
10 am – 4 pm (PST)

California Department of Community Services  
and Development  
700 North 10<sup>th</sup> Street, Room 258  
**Sacramento, CA**

Conference Call Information

December 1 & 2, 1998  
Dial (415) 904-8907  
Passcode = 2408347#

Note: If you experience problems trying to access this conference call please contact Confertech at 1-800-314-3558 and have them verify the Dial-in # and Passcode scheduled under Master Reservation #4590512 for CH2M HILL (Sharon Weinberg is the designated Chairperson)

The Board will meet to discuss the following topics: report from the Chair, subcommittee reports, direction to consultants, discussion of outcome of October 27, 1998 public hearing, discuss Year 2000 recommendations for LIEE and CARE programs, address issues related to assets and liabilities, and information systems transition, determine contract language to include affiliate rules, review and approval of meeting minutes, financial report and advisory committee report. An agenda for the meeting is being developed and can be obtained from the LIGB's website at [www.ligb.org](http://www.ligb.org). The meeting is open to the public. For more information contact Sharon Weinberg at (510) 251-2888, extension 2025.

**Public Meeting: California Board for Energy Efficiency**

December 2, 1998  
9:30 am to 4 pm

Pacific Energy Center  
851 Howard Street  
**San Francisco**

The California Board for Energy Efficiency (CBEE) will meet to discuss the following topics: program planning for 1999, including comments on the utilities' advice letter filings; options for future administration of energy efficiency programs, alternative administrative structures, and processes for reaching resolution; CBEE tasks, priorities, and schedules for 1999; RFP(s) and work plans for support services in 1999; the milestones, procedural recommendations, and schedule filing (due December 17); the market assessment and evaluation (MA&E) planning process; Board operations and functioning; status reports on interactions with the Commission, support services, commitments tracking, reporting requirements, market assessment and evaluation activities, and the Technical Advisory Committee; the Treasurer's report; and Board member and consultant invoices. The meeting is open to the public. The contact person is Mark Thayer (619) 594-5510. For further information about CBEE and this meeting consult the CBEE Web Page at [www.cbee.org](http://www.cbee.org).

**Public Meeting - UPDATED ADDRESS**

<p>December 3, 1998 9 am - 2 pm</p> <p>Designated Conference Leader:</p> <p>Sharon Weinberg/PG&amp;E</p> <p>Reservation No. #4590512</p>	<p><b>California Department of Community Services &amp; Development</b> <b>700 N. 10<sup>th</sup> Street, Room 258</b> <b>Sacramento</b></p> <p>To join via teleconference: Dial: (415) 356-1431 Passcode: 2408347#</p>
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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, substitantiative 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**

<p>December 8, 1998 10 am - 1 pm</p>	<p><b>One Crow Canyon Court.</b> <b>Building. 7 - Conference Room</b> <b>San Ramon</b></p>
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The Payphone Service Providers Enforcment Committee will conduct a monthly meeting. For more information, please contact Adam Thaler at (415) 703-1157

**LIGB Meeting Notice**

<p>December 8 &amp; 9, 1998 10 am – 4 pm (PST)</p> <p><u>Conference Call Information</u></p> <p>December 8 &amp; 9, 1998 Dial (415) 904-8907 Passcode = 2408347#</p>	<p><b>PG&amp;E Energy Center</b> <b>HVAC Room</b> <b>851 Howard St.</b> <b>San Francisco</b></p> <p>Note: If you experience problems trying to access this conference call please contact Confertech at 1-800-314-3558 and have them verify the Dial-in # and Passcode scheduled under Master Reservation #4590512 for CH2M HILL (Sharon Weinberg is the designated Chairperson)</p>
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The Board will meet to discuss the following topics: report from the Chair, subcommittee reports, direction to consultants, **feedback for public about filing, final changes for Year 2000 LIEE & CARE**, review and approval of meeting minutes, financial report and advisory committee report. An agenda for the meeting is being developed and can be obtained from the LIGB's website at [www.ligb.org](http://www.ligb.org). The meeting is open to the public. For more information contact Sharon Weinberg at (510) 251-2888, extension 2025.

**Public Meeting**

<p>December 9, 1998                  10 am - 4 pm</p>	<p><i>Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program                  1939 Harrison Street                  DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555                  Oakland</i></p>
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The NEW COMMITTEE MEMBER ORIENTATION 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. Environmental Reminder: Please refrain from wearing perfumes or scents to DDTP meetings, because people with environmental illness or multiple chemical sensitivity must reduce their exposure in order to attend.

**Public Meeting**

<p>December 10, 1998                  9:30 am - 3:30 pm</p>	<p><i>Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program                  1939 Harrison Street                  DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555                  Oakland</i></p>
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The EQUIPMENT PROGRAM ADVISORY COMMITTEE (EPAC) 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**

<p>December 16, 1998                  8:30 am - 5 pm</p> <p><i>Designated Conference Leader:</i></p> <p><i>Sharon Weinberg/PG&amp;E</i></p> <p><i>Reservation No. #4590512</i></p>	<p><i>Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center                  851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone Center)                  San Francisco</i></p> <p><i>To join via teleconference:</i>  <i>Dial: (415) 904-8907</i>  <i>Passcode: 2408347#</i></p>
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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, substantiative 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.

**LIGB Meeting Notice**

<i>December 16 &amp; 17, 1998 10 am – 4 pm (PST)</i>	<i>PG&amp;E Energy Center Green Room 851 Howard St. San Francisco</i>
<u><i>Conference Call Information</i></u>	<i>Note: If you experience problems trying to access this conference call please contact Confertech at 1-800-314-3558 and have them verify the Dial-in # and Passcode scheduled under Master Reservation #4590512 for CH2M HILL (Sharon Weinberg is the designated Chairperson)</i>
<i>December 16, 1998 Dial (415) 356-1431 Passcode = 2408347#</i>	
<i>December 17, 1998 Dial (415) 356-0687 Passcode = 2408347#</i>	

The Board will meet to discuss the following topics: report from the Chair, subcommittee reports, direction to consultants, **final review and closure for RFP**, review and approval of meeting minutes, financial report and advisory committee report. An agenda for the meeting is being developed and can be obtained from the LIGB's website at [www.ligb.org](http://www.ligb.org). The meeting is open to the public. For more information contact Sharon Weinberg at (510) 251-2888, extension 2025.

**Public Meeting**

<i>December 17, 1998 8:30 am - 5 pm</i>	<i>Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center 851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone Center) San Francisco</i>
<i>Designated Conference Leader:</i>	
<i>Sharon Weinberg/PG&amp;E</i>	<i>To join via teleconference: Dial: (415) 356-1431 Passcode: 2408347#</i>
<i>Reservation No. #4590512</i>	

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**Public Meeting**

<i>December 18, 1998 10 am - 4 pm</i>	<i>Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program 1939 Harrison Street DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555 Oakland</i>
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The CALIFORNIA RELAY SERVICE ADVISORY COMMITTEE (CRSAC) 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.

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**NEW FILINGS**

11/2/98	C98-02-004	Pacific Bell vs. AT&T Communications of California, for violation of schedule California Public Utilities Code No. 175-T, Section 6.8 by failing to remit access charges to Pacific Bell for incidental local traffic carried on PacBell's access facilities
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**PETITIONS FOR MODIFICATION AND APPLICATIONS FOR REHEARING**

NONE

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

11/9/98      A97-03-012      In the Matter of the Application of MHC Acquisition One, L.L.C. for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Continue to Construct a Public Utility Water System and a Public Utility Sewer System Within the City of Santa Cruz in Santa Cruz County and to Establish Rates for an Interim Application Period and Ongoing Rates for Water and Sewer Service; **Proposed decision of ALJ Weiss**

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**ADVICE LETTER FILINGS**

NONE

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**MISCELLANEOUS TRANSPORTATION ITEMS**

**November 10, 1998**

Filings with Rail Safety and Carriers Division

NONE

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**MISCELLANEOUS TELECOMMUNICATION MATTERS**

**November 10, 1998**

NONE

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**ADJOURNMENTS \* RESETTINGS \* SUBMISSIONS**

C98-03-055      Wright-Rodney W. & LaDonna M. Lucas vs. Southern California Gas Company, **Hearing held and no report given**

A98-09-001      Correction to the daily calendar

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Bushey-Xpress Management Systems LLC for authority to provide on-call door to door passenger stage service, **Prehearing Conference held November 6 and completed**

A98-07-043 Correction to the daily calendar  
Bushey-Rideshare Port Management, L.L.C., dba Prime Time Shuttle to provide on-call-door-to-door passenger stage service, **Prehearing Conference held November 6 and completed**

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**REMOVALS FROM CALENDAR**

NONE

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**NEW SETTINGS**

11/17/98 ALJ Wetzell Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. A.97-12-020 I.97-11-026	<b>(PHC-Status Conference)</b> -Pacific Gas and Electric Company for authority to increase rates and charges for electric and gas service effective 1/1/99, <b>(PHC-Status Conference)</b> -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, Pursuant to the ruling of ALJ Wetzell dated November 6, 1998, the purpose of this conference is to address results of operations/summary of earnings modeling issues. Those who plan to attend should so notify the Energy Division contact person, Manuel Ramirez at (415) 703-1826, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (EH) December 14-18)</b>
12/1/98 ALJ Weissman Comr Knight	10:00 a.m. R.98-01-011	<b>(PHC)</b> -Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking, on the Commission's own motion to assess and revise the regulatory structure governing California's natural gas industry, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
12/17/98 ALJ Kenney Comr Duque	9:30 a.m. C.98-06-008	<b>(EH)</b> -Pacific Bell, Pacific Bell Public Communications vs. AT & T Communications of California, Inc. for violation of the Commission's decisions and resolution 15782 by failing to remit the PSSC to Pacific Bell for intraLATA non-sent-paid calls originating on Pacific Bell



payphones and for other related violations,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also  
December 18)**

### LAW AND MOTION

Law and Motion Hearings are held before Administrative Law Judge Steven Kotz at 9:30 am in one of the Commission's San Francisco Office Hearing Rooms, unless otherwise noted. Law and Motion procedures are governed by Resolution ALJ 164. Copies of Resolution ALJ 164 are available from the Commission's Documents Desk (415) 703-1713 or from Central Files (415) 703-2045

11/10/98	9:30 a.m.	NONE SCHEDULED
11/17/98	9:30 a.m.	NONE SCHEDULED
11/24/98	9:30 a.m.	NONE SCHEDULED

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### FINAL ORAL ARGUMENT

11/30/98	10:00 a.m.	For authority to unbundle core interstate pipeline transportation, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
ALJ Malcolm Comr Knight	A97-12-048	

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### HEARINGS

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

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

11/12/98	10:00 a.m.	<b>(PHC)</b> -Investigation On the Commission's own motion into whether existing standards and policies of the Commission regarding drinking water quality adequately protect the public health and safety with respect to contaminants such as Volatile Organic Compounds,
ALJ Bennett	I.98-03-013	
Comr Duque		

Perchlorate, MTBEs, and whether those standards and policies with by Commission regulated utilities,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**

11/12/98	10:00 a.m.	(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,
ALJ Gottstein	A.98-05-001	
Comr Neeper		
	A98-05-005	(EH)-San Diego Gas & Electric Company to increase 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 program year,
	A.98-05-018	(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
		<b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also for 9:00 a.m., November 13; 10:00 a.m., November 16-17)</b>
11/13/98	10:00 a.m.	(EH)-Pacific Gas and Electric Company to identify and separate components of electric rates effective January 1, 1998,
ALJ Malcolm	A.96-12-009	
Comr Duque		
	A.96-12-011	(EH)-San Diego Gas & Electric Company for authority to unbundle rates and products,
	A.96-12-019	(EH)-Southern California Edison Company proposing the functional separation of cost components for energy, transmission and ancillary services, distribution, public benefit programs, and nuclear decommissioning to be effective January 1, 1998 in conformance with D.95-12-036 as modified by D.96-01-009, the June 21, 1996 ruling of assigned Commissioner Duque, D.96-10-074, and Assembly Bill 1890,
		<b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
11/13/98	9:00 a.m.	(PHC)-Commission Order Instituting Investigation, into the operations, practices, and conduct of Coral Communications, Inc. (Coral) and Michael Tinari,
ALJ Bushey	198-08-004	
Comr Duque		

President of Coral; William Gallo, Senior Vice President of Coral; Devon Porcella, Vice President of Sales and Operations of Coral; Neal Deleo, Vice President Finance and MIS of Coral to determine whether the corporation or its principals have operated within California without having a certificate to operate from the Commission and whether they have charged California subscribers for telecommunications services the subscribers never authorized,

**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**

11/16/98 10:00 a.m.  
ALJ Pulsifer C.98-04-046  
Comr Neeper

**(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)**

11/16/98 10:00 a.m.  
ALJ Bennett I.98-01-004  
Comr Duque

**(EH)**- Commission Order Instituting Investigation into whether to revoke the operating authority of Felipa Garza Fuentes dba Fuentes Tours,  
**Telephone Conference, San Francisco**

11/17/98 9:00 a.m.  
ALJ Kotz A.97-03-052  
Comr Duque

**(PHC)**-California -American Water Company for a certificate that the present and future public convenience and necessity requires applicant to construct and operate the 24,000 acre foot Carmel River Dam and Reservoir in the Monterey Division and to recover all present and future costs in connection therewith in rates,  
**Hyatt Regency, Monterey Ballroom, Beach Room, One Old Golf Course Road, Monterey**

11/17/98 10:00 a.m.  
ALJ Wetzell A.97-12-020  
Comr Bilas

I.97-11-026

**(PHC-Status Conference)**-Pacific Gas and Electric Company for authority to increase rates and charges for electric and gas service effective 1/1/99,  
**(PHC-Status Conference)**-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, Pursuant to the ruling of ALJ Wetzell dated November 6, 1998, the purpose of this conference is to address results of operations/summary of earnings modeling issues. Those who plan to attend should so notify the Energy Division contact person, Manuel Ramirez at (415) 703-

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1826, **Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (EH) December 14-18)**

11/17/98 ALJ Galvin Comr Duque	7:00 p.m. A.98-05-038	<b>(PPH)</b> -In the matter of the application of 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, <b>Ted C. Wills Community Center, 770 North San Pablo Avenue, Fresno; November 18, San Jose Unified School District, Board Room, 855 Lenzen Avenue, San Jose; November 24, Council Chambers, Room 247, 100 North Garfield Avenue, Pasadena; November 30, County Board Chamber, 700 H St., Suite 1450, Sacramento, Parking A &amp; G; 3:00 p.m., December 3, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco, (EH) 10:00 a.m., December 7-9, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco)</b>
11/18/98 ALJ Malcolm Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. A.98-05-023	<b>(EH)</b> -For rehearing of Resolution G-3233, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
11/19/98 ALJ Wright	10:00 a.m. C.98-09-028	<b>(EH)</b> -Rosalinda M. Villarreal vs. Pacific Gas and Electric Company, <b>City Council Chambers, 1710 Tucker St., Selma</b>
11/20/98 ALJ Barnett	10:00 a.m. C.98-10-040	<b>(ECP)</b> -Clara Dovga vs. Southern California Edison Company for overbilling, <b>City Council Chambers, 505 S. Garey Avenue, Pomona</b>
11/23/98 ALJ Walker Comr Conlon	10:00 a.m. I.87-11-033	<b>(PHC)</b> -Commission Investigation into alternative regulatory frameworks for local telecommunications exchange carriers, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
11/24/98 ALJ Bushey Comr Duque Comr Neeper	10:00 a.m. R.97-10-049	<b>(PHC)</b> -Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion to set rules and to provide guidelines for the Privatization and Excess Capacity as it relates to investor owned water companies <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
11/24/98 ALJ Barnett Comr Duque	2:00 p.m. A.98-10-012	<b>(PHC)</b> -Southern California Gas Company for authority to revise its rates effective August 1, 1999 in its biennial cost allocation proceeding,

	A.98-10-031	<b>(PHC)</b> -San Diego Gas & Electric Company for authority to revise its gas rates effective August 1, 1999 in its biennial cost allocation proceeding,
	A.98-07-005	<b>(PHC)</b> San Diego Gas & Electric Company and Southern California Gas Company for approval of a gas transmission service tariff, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
11/25/98 ALJ Rosenthal Comr Neeper	9:30 a.m. A.98-07-061	<b>(PHC)</b> -Sonoma County Airport Express, Inc., dba Airport Express for amendment of certificate of public convenience and necessity to obtain citywide authority for City of Santa Rosa,
	C.98-04-044	<b>(PHC)</b> -Airporter, Inc. dba Santa Rosa Airporter vs. Sonoma County Airport Express, Inc., dba Airport Express for violations of the terms of its passenger stage certificate by serving a point in Santa Rosa without the Commission authority. <b>575 Administration Drive, Room 102A, Board of Supervisors Chambers, Santa Rosa</b>
11/30/98 ALJ Kenney Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. C.98-06-008	<b>(EH)</b> -Pacific Bell, Pacific Bell Public Communications vs. AT&T Communications of California, Inc., for violation of the Commission's decisions and resolution 15782 by failing to remit the PSSC to Pacific Bell for intraLATA non-sent-paid calls originating on Pacific Bell payphones and for other related violations, <b>Commissions Courtroom, San Francisco (also December 18)</b>
11/30/98 ALJ Stalder Comr Conlon	10:00 a.m. A.98-01-015	<b>(PHC)</b> -Southern California Gas Company for authority to sell its storage field in Montebello, California, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (EH) 9:00 a.m., December 7-9)</b>
12/1/98 ALJ Malcolm Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. A.98-07-006	<b>(EH)</b> -San Diego Gas and Electric Company for approval of consolidated changes in 1999 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	<b>(EH)</b> -Pacific Gas and Electric Company for verification, consolidation, and approval of costs and revenues in the Transition Revenue Account,
	A.98-07-026	<b>(EH)</b> -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, 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, (also December 2-4, 9:00 a.m., December 7-10, 9:00 a.m.)**

12/1/98 10:00 a.m. (EH)-George W. Goldthorpe, as general partner of  
ALJ Walker A.98-04-065 Goldthorpe Partnership for an exemption from the  
Comr Walker Moratorium on new water service connections in the  
Montara Moss Beach District as set out in D86-05-078,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also  
December 2)**

12/1/98 10:00 a.m. (PHC)-Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking, on  
ALJ Weissman R.98-01-011 the Commission's own motion to assess and revise the  
Comr Knight regulatory structure governing California's natural gas  
industry, **Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**

12/1/98 2:00 p.m. (PHC)-Pacific Bell for authority to categorize Toll-Free  
ALJ Galvin A.98-07-029 (8XX) and Business MTS IntraLATA Toll services as  
Comr Duque Category III services,  
A.98-07-020 (PHC)-Pacific Bell for authority to categorize Centrex  
as category III service,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**

12/1/98 7:00 p.m. (PPH)- California Water Service Company for a general  
ALJ Vieth A.98-09-013 rate increase to increase revenues by \$897,400 or 6.1%  
Comr Duque in the year 1999, \$307,400 or 2.0%, in the year 2000,  
\$369,000 or 2.3% in the year 2001, and \$377,000 or  
2.3% in the year 2002 in the East Los Angeles District,  
A.98-09-014 (PPH)-California Water Service Company for a general  
rate increase to increase revenues by \$1,371,800 or  
12.3% in the year 1999, \$353,500 or 2.8% in the year  
2000, \$325, 100 or 2.5% in the year 2001, and \$334,800  
or 2.5% in the year 2002 in the Bear Gulch district,  
A.98-09-015 (PPH)-California Water Company for an order  
authorizing it to increase rates charged for water service  
in the Hermosa-Redondo district,  
A.98-09-016 (PPH)-California Water Service Company for an order  
authorizing it to increase rates charged for water service  
in the Visalia district

**City of Commerce, Parks & Recreation Aquatorium, 2515 Commerce Way, Commerce (also December 2, Hermosa Beach Civic Center, City Council Chambers, 1315 Valley Drive, Hermosa Beach; December 3, Menlo Park Civic Center, City Council Chambers, 701 Laurel St., Menlo Park; December 9, Visalia Convention Center, 303 East Acequia Avenue, Visalia, (EH) January 12-15, SF)**

12/2/98 ALJ Rosenthal Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. I.97-04-046	<b>(EH)</b> -Order Instituting Investigation to the operations and practices of Future Telephone Communications and its president Manuel G. Zepeda, Jr., and vice-president, Carlos G. Zepeda, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also December 3)</b>
12/7/98 ALJ Weissman Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. R.98-01-011	<b>(EH)</b> -Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion to assess and revise the regulatory structure governing California's natural gas industry, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also December 8-11)</b>
12/8/98 ALJ Bennett Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. C.98-08-008	<b>(PHC)</b> -Dorothy Dominguez and Ralph A. Martinez vs. Great American Stageline for refusal to allow passengers to board, <b>Conference Room 5209, San Francisco</b>
12/8/98 ALJ Wright Comr Neeper	10:00 a.m. C.98-07-032	<b>(EH)</b> -Pamela Gruszka vs. San Diego Gas and Electric Company, <b>Commission Courtroom, State Office Building, 1350 Front St., B102, San Diego</b>
12/8/98 ALJ Walker Comr Duque	7:00 p.m. A.98-06-005	<b>(PPH)</b> -Southern California Water Company for authority to assess a reservation fee for fire protection for persons occupying or owning property within the service territory of the Desert District, <b>Morongo Valley Elementary School, 10951 Hess Blvd., Morongo (also (EH) 10:00 a.m., February 9-10, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco)</b>
12/9/98 ALJ Minkin Comr Conlon	10:00 a.m. C.98-04-037	<b>(EH)</b> -Universal Studios, Inc. vs. Southern California Edison Company for non-compliance with AB-1890 for improper transition charges, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
12/9/98	2:00 p.m.	<b>(PHC)</b> -Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking to

ALJ Malcolm Comr Conlon	R.96-11-004	develop standards for electric system reliability and safety pursuant to D96-09-073 consolidated with I95-02-015, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
12/10/98 ALJ Econome Comr Neeper	9:00 a.m. A.95-10-024	<b>(CA)</b> -Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for authorization to implement a plan of reorganization which will result in a holding company structure, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
12/10/98 ALJ Bushey Comr Neeper	10:00 a.m. I.98-04-033	<b>(EH)</b> -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, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also December 11, December 15)</b>
12/14/98 ALJ Weiss Comr Neeper	1:00 p.m. C.98-04-056	<b>(EH)</b> -Bunteang Chay and Tha Chan vs. Pacific Gas and Electric Company for estopping from collecting a debt resulting from the complainant's alleged use of unmetered energy, <b>City Hall, Council Chamber, 2600 Fresno St., Fresno</b>
12/14/98 ALJ Wetzell Comr Bilas	9:00 a.m. A.97-12-020  I.97-11-026	<b>(EH)</b> -Pacific Gas and Electric Company for authority to increase rates and charges for electric and gas service effective 1/1/99, <b>(EH)</b> -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 <b>Commission Courtroom, Hearing Room A, San Francisco (also December 15-18, San Francisco)</b>
12/17/98 ALJ Kenney Comr Duquet	9:30 a.m. C.98-06-008	<b>(EH)</b> -Pacific Bell, Pacific Bell Public Communications vs. AT & T Communications of California, Inc. for violation of the Commission's decisions and resolution 15782 by failing to remit the PSSC to Pacific Bell for intraLATA non-sent-paid calls originating on Pacific Bell payphones and for other related violations, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also December 18)</b>
1/5/99 ALJ Barnett Comr Conlon	10:00 a.m. A.97-12-039	<b>(EH)</b> -San Diego Gas and Electric Company for authority to sell electrical generation facilities and power contracts,



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Comr Bilas		<b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also January 6-8, January 11-14)</b>
1/7/99 ALJ Barnett Comr Duque	2:00 p.m. A.98-05-019  A.98-05-021  A.98-05-024	<b>(OA)</b> -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, <b>(OA)</b> -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, <b>(OA)</b> -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, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
1/11/99 ALJ Bushey Comr Neeper	10:00 a.m. C.98-04-004  C.98-06-003  C.98-06-027	<b>(PHC)</b> -The Utility Consumers' Action Network vs. Pacific Bell for unlawful and deceptive sales program and practices, <b>(PHC)</b> -The Greenlining Institute and Latino Issues Forum vs. Pacific Bell, for deceptive sales practices, false and deceptive advertising, unfair competition and invasion of privacy, <b>(PHC)</b> -The Utility Consumers' Action Network vs. Pacific Bell for unlawful marketing and education of the Caller ID and related services, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (EH) January 21-22)</b>
1/11/99 ALJ Malcolm Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. A.98-07-058  A.98-08-012	<b>(EH)</b> - Application of Pacific Gas & Electric Company to Recover 1997 and 1998 Non-Nuclear Generation Capital Additions in the Competition Transition Charge Pursuant to PU Code Section 367, <b>(EH)</b> -Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company (U 902-E) for Competition Transition Charge ("CTC") Recovery of Capital Additions, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco, (also January 12-14)</b>
1/11/99 ALJ Rosenthal Comr Conlon	10:00 a.m. A.98-06-051	<b>(EH)</b> -Isam M. Alziq to transfer and A&M United Group, L.L.C. to acquire a certificate of public convenience and necessity and certain other assets,

pursuant to Section 851, et. seq. of the California Public Utilities Code, **Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles (also January 12-15)**

1/12/99 ALJ Stalder Comr Duque	9:00 a.m. A.98-04-003	<b>(PHC)</b> -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, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (EH) February 1-16)</b>
1/18/99 ALJ Walwyn Comr Bilas Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. R.93-04-003  I.93-04-002	<b>(EH)</b> -Rulemaking on the Commission's Own Motion to Govern Open Access to Bottleneck Services and Establish a Framework for Network Architecture Development of Dominant Carrier Networks, <b>(EH)</b> -Investigation of the Commission's Own Motion into Open Access and Network Architecture Development of Dominant Carrier Networks, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also January 19-22)</b>
1/19/99 ALJ Barnett Comr Neeper	1:30 p.m. A.98-05-033	<b>(EH)</b> -Southern California Edison Company for Orders approving 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 Watson Cogeneration, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also January 20-21)</b>
1/25/99 ALJ Barnett Comr Conlon	10:00 a.m. A.98-04-016	<b>(EH)</b> -Pacific Gas and Electric Company for authorization to sell the El Dorado Hydroelectric Project to El Dorado Irrigation District, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also January 26-29)</b>
1/27/99 ALJ Walker	10:00 a.m. C.98-05-054	<b>(EH)</b> -Internet Specialties West vs. GTE for improper disconnection of ISDN over Centranet services,

Comr Neeper		<b>Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles (also January 28)</b>
2/16/99 ALJ Bennett Comr Bilas	9:00 a.m. C.97-09-030	<b>(EH)</b> -Energy Alternatives vs. Pacific Gas and Electric Company for failure to conduct an open and fair bidding process with respect to the awarding of the Energy Partners program administrative contract for 1997, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also February 17)</b>
2/22/99 ALJ McVicar Comr Duque Comr Neeper	9:00 a.m. I.98-09-007	<b>(EH)</b> -Commission Order Instituting Investigation into the operations and practices of Pacific Gas and Electric Company in connection with compliance with PU Code Section 451, General Order 95, and other applicable standards governing tree-line clearances, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco, (also February 23-26, March 1-5)</b>
03/15/99 ALJ Gottstein Comr Conlon	10:00 a.m. A.96-03-031  A.96-04-030	<b>(EH)</b> -Southern California Gas Company for authority to revise its rates effective January 1, 1997 in its Biennial Cost Allocation Proceeding for a total reduction in annual revenues of approximately \$147.9 million (5.7%), <b>(EH)</b> -San Diego Gas & Electric Company for authority to revise its rates effective January 1, 1997 in its Biennial Cost Allocation Proceeding for an approximately \$42 million decrease over presently authorized revenues, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also 9:00 a.m., March 16-19)</b>
4/16/99 ALJ Bushey Comr Knight	10:00 a.m. C.95-08-039	<b>(PHC)</b> -Bayside Village, The Fillmore Center, and North Point Apartments vs. Pacific Bell for failure to take responsibility for all building cross connects, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>

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#### NOTICE OF DENIAL OF REQUEST FOR EX PARTE MEETING

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**NONE FILED**

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**NOTICE OF ALL-PARTY MEETINGS (PU Code § 1701.3(c) )**

**NONE**

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**NOTICE OF EX PARTE COMMUNICATIONS**

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11/5/98	A96-08-001	Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for approval of valuation and categorization of non-nuclear generation related sunk costs eligible for recovery in the competition transition charge,
	A96-08-006	San Diego Gas & Electric Company, to identify and value the sunk costs of its non-nuclear generation assets,
	A96-08-007	Southern California Edison Company, to identify and value the sunk costs of its non-nuclear generation assets,
	A96-08-070	Pacific Gas and Electric Company, to establish the competition transition charge,
	A96-08-071	Southern California Edison Company, to estimate transition costs and establish a transition cost balancing account; transition cost executive summaries; transition cost policy; transition cost collection; 1998 market price used to determine transition costs; transition costs for nuclear generation; transition costs for fossil generation, fuel and fuel transportation contract obligations; plant-related sunk costs and rate base for fossil generation; transition costs for hydro generation; transition costs arising from interutility contracts; transition costs for regulatory assets, obligations, and balancing accounts; early retirement, severance, and retraining transition costs; and transition costs ratemaking attached, and
	A96-08-072	San Diego Gas & Electric Company, to estimate transition costs and establish a transition cost balancing

account; prepared direct testimony attached.

**Summary:** On November 2, 1998, Bruce Foster, Vice President of Regulatory Affairs of Southern California Edison Company (Edison), met with Cmmr. Neeper, in San Francisco. Also present were: David Gamson, advisor to Cmmr. Neeper; and Mike Hoover, Manager of Regulatory Policy and Affairs of Edison. Foster stated that although Edison still supports the alternate decision of Cmmr. Conlon, the alternate decision of Cmmr. Duque and Bilas will ensure that the exemptions specified in section 369 will only be allowed for incremental load that does not otherwise use the utility system.

**Filer: Southern California Edison Company**

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**Summary:** On November 2 and 3, 1998, Jana Corey, Director of Regulatory Relations for Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E), initiated 3 separate telephone communications with the Commissioners' advisors. On November 2, 1998, Corey spoke with David Gamson, advisor to Cmmr. Neeper, and with James Hendry, advisor to Cmmr. Conlon; and on November 3 - with Michelle Cooke, advisor to Cmmr. Duque. Corey stated that although PG&E supports Cmmr. Conlon's alternate, PG&E would be comfortable with the alternate decision proposed by Cmmrs. Duque and Bilas if the language changes outlined in PG&E's comments are incorporated. Core noted, specifically, that PG&E would like to see the "physical test" section in the decision incorporated language to include third-party transmission and distribution providers.

**Filer: Pacific Gas and Electric Company**

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11/5/98            A97-10-024            Southern California Edison Company, for authority to recover capitol additions to its fossil generating facilities made between 1/1/96 and 12/31/96

**Summary:** On November 2, 1998, Bruce Foster, Vice President of Regulatory Affairs of Southern California Edison Company (Edison), met with Cmmr. Neeper; on November 3, 1998 - with Cmmr. Knight, and Cmmr. Conlon, in three separate meetings in San Francisco. In the meeting with Cmmr. Neeper also participated David Gamson, advisor to Cmmr. Neeper; at the meeting with Cmmr. Knight - Bob Lane, advisor to Cmmr. Knight; and with Cmmr. Conlon - James Hendry, advisor to Cmmr. Conlon. At all three meetings, Mike Hoover, Manager of Regulatory Policy and Affairs for Edison, also was present. The Edison representatives stated the proposed decision (PD) does not specify the dollar amount of capital additions that it proposes to disallow. The Edison representatives also expressed concerns that interpretations could be applied to the tables filed by Edison that would result in a significant disallowances. Edison representatives also noted that the PD does not specify how capital additions that are disallowed should be recovered. Foster suggested that the disallowed capital additions should be subtracted from the sale price of any plant before

it is booked to the competition transition charge account. Edison representatives further argued that it is inappropriate to disallow capital additions associated with the Green Lights program.

**Filer: Southern California Edison Company**

**Contact: Anthony Archer**

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11/5/98	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 November 2, 1998, Jim Callaway, President of Pacific Telesis, met with Cmmr. Bilas in San Francisco. Also present were: Lester Wong, advisor to Cmmr. Bilas; and Bill Blase, Vice President-Regulatory, and Dan Jacobsen, Executive Director Regulatory, for Pacific Bell (PacBell). Written materials (attached to the notice) were used. PacBell representatives stated that, based on the Commission's ruling that Internet traffic is not interstate, interconnection agreements require competitive local exchange carriers to pay intrastate access charges on toll-free calls from PacBell end users to ISP modems that are physically located outside the 12 mile local calling area.

**Filer: Pacific Bell**

**Contact: Lila Tam**

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11/6/98	A97-10-024	Southern California Edison Company, for authority to recover capitol additions to its fossil generating facilities made between 1/1/96 and 12/31/96
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**Summary:** On November 3, 1998, Bruce Foster, Vice President of Regulatory Affairs of Southern California Edison Company (Edison), met with Cmmr. Bilas in San Francisco. Also present were: Julie Haligan, advisor to Cmmr. Bilas; and Mike Hoover, Manager of Regulatory Policy and Affairs for Edison. The Edison representatives stated the proposed decision (PD) does not specify the dollar amount of capital additions that it proposes to disallow. The Edison representatives also expressed concerns that interpretations could be applied to the tables filed by Edison that would result in a significant disallowances. Edison representatives also noted that the PD does not specify how capital additions that are disallowed should be recovered. Foster suggested that the disallowed capital additions should be subtracted from the sale price of any plant before it is booked to the competition transition charge account. Edison representatives further argued that it is inappropriate to disallow capital additions associated with the Green Lights program.

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**RESOLUTION REGARDING RATIFICATION OF PRELIMINARY DETERMINATIONS OF CATEGORY**

For purposes of Rule 63.2(c), notice of the assignment is the day the assignments associated with this preliminary categorization document appear in the Daily Calendar following the Commission business meeting.

11/5/98            ALJ-176-3003    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. The preliminary determination schedule is shown below.**

**PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION SCHEDULES**

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**ASSIGNMENTS**

NUMBER TITLE	PROPOSED CATEGORY	PRELIM. CATEGORY	HEARING	COMR	ALJ
<b>A98-10-029</b>  ARCO PIPE LINE COMPANY , PACIFIC PIPELINE SYSTEM LLC for an order authorizing the assignment of public utility oil pipeline facilities to Pacific Pipeline System LLC; the partial transfer of control; reissuance by Pacific Pipeline System LLC of rate tariffs applicable to the transferred facilities; and the release of Arco Pipe Line Company from its public utility obligations	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO	Neeper	Malcolm

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**ASSIGNMENTS**

NUMBER TITLE	PROPOSED CATEGORY	PRELIM. CATEGORY	HEARING	COMR	ALJ
<b>A98-10-030</b>  MT. POSO COGENERATION COMPANY, L.P. , PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY for order approving termination agreement of IS04 power purchase agreement between Pacific Gas and Electric Company and Mt. Poso Cogeneration Company, L.P.	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	YES	Neeper	Gottstein
<b>A98-10-031</b>  SAN DIEGO GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY for authority to revise its gas rates effective August 1, 1999, in its Biennial Cost Allocation Proceeding	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	YES	Duque	Barnett
<b>A98-10-032</b>  HARRIS FARMS, INC. , PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY for an order to sell and convey certain electric distribution facilities located in Selma, California	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO	Duque	Stalder



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NUMBER TITLE	PROPOSED CATEGORY	PRELIM. CATEGORY	HEARING	COMR	ALJ
<b>A98-10-033</b>  ELK CORPORATION, PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY for an order to sell and convey certain electric distribution facilities located in Kern County, California	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO	Duque	Stalder
<b>A98-10-034</b>  CONSOLIDATED BILLING PROVIDER, LLC for registration as an interexchange carrier telephone corporation pursuant to the provisions of Public Utilities Code Section 1013	Ratesetting NDIEC Registration Application	Ratesetting	NO	Not Assigned	Examiner Leutza
<b>A98-10-035</b>  CALIFORNIA NETWORK MANAGEMENT, dba CORPORATE NETWORK MANAGEMENT for registration as an interexchange carrier telephone corporation pursuant to the provisions of Public Utilities Code section 1013	Ratesetting NDIEC Registration Application	Ratesetting	NO	Not Assigned	Examiner Leutza
<b>A98-10-036</b>  GLOBALCOM, INC., dba GCI GLOBALCOM, INC. for registration as an	Ratesetting NDIEC Registration Application	Ratesetting	NO	Not Assigned	Examiner Leutza

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telephone corporation					

**PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION SCHEDULES**

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**ASSIGNMENTS**

<b>NUMBER</b>	<b>PROPOSED</b>	<b>PRELIM.</b>		<b>COMR</b>	<b>ALJ</b>
<b>TITLE</b>	<b>CATEGORY</b>	<b>CATEGORY</b>	<b>HEARING</b>		
<b>A98-10-037</b>  GLOBALCOM, INC., dba GCI GLOBALCOM, INC. for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to operate as a resale provider of local exchange service	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO	Neeper	O'Donnell
<b>A98-10-039</b>  ACCESS ONE, INC. for registration as an interexchange carrier telephone corporation	Ratesetting NDIEC Registration Application	Ratesetting	NO	Not Assigned	Examiner Leutza