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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 30, 1998	1:30 pm	San Francisco
December 14, 1998	1:30 pm	San Francisco
January 4, 1999	1:30 pm	San Francisco

NOTICES

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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>
November 20, 1998 9 am to noon	Josiah Neeper	1350 Front Street, Room 4006 San Diego

PUBLIC MEETINGS & WORKSHOPS

Public Meeting

November 17, 1998	California Public Utilities Commission
9:30 am -3:30 pm	505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 3204
	(Corner of Van Ness Avenue and McAllister Street)
	San Francisco

The ULTS Marketing Board (ULTSMB) will hold its regular meeting to 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

November 18, 1998	Pacific Energy Center
9:30 am to 4 pm	851 Howard Street
	San Francisco

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.

Public Meeting

November 18, 1998	California Public Utilities Commission
1:30 am - 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, 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

Lottery begins at 1:30 pm	California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue, Training Room (Corner of Van Ness and McAllister Street) San Francisco

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

November 18, 1998	California Public Utilities Commission
1:30 pm - 4 pm	505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 3212
	(Corner of Van Ness and McAllister)
	San Francisco

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

November 19, 1998	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
10 am - 4 pm	1939 Harrison Street
	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland

The <u>IFB SUB-COMMITTEE and the SPEECH-TO-SPEECH SUB-COMMITTEE</u> 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. <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

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

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 - Technical Advisory Committee

November 23, 1998 9:30 am - 4 pm	Pacific Energy Center 851 Howard Street 1 st Floor San Francisco	
	San Francisco	

The Technical Advisory Committee for the California Board for Energy Efficiency will conduct a meeting. The following agenda items will be discussed: 1) The utility filings dated 11-13-98 and 11-17-98. This includes residential programs, nonresidential programs, new construction programs, and Standard Performance Contract programs. 2) The CPUC hearing of October 27 and the disposition of utility or independent administration of programs.

Public Meeting

November 30, 1998	Cal Trans Building
9 am - 5 pm	111 Grand Avenue
	Oakland
and	
	Electric Education Trust
December 1, 1998	Basement Location
9 am - 5 pm	

The Administrative Committee of the Electric Education Trust (EET) meets to discuss and implement a CBO outreach grant program and an educational efforts plan, address any recent Commission action on the September 24th work plan, adopt a plan to receive community input into the grant process, discuss the Commission's consumer protection report, consider subcommittee recommendations on program design, fax newsletters and CSD activities in support of the EET, discuss public forum meetings for December 1998, and related matters. The contact person is William Schulte at (415) 703-2349.

Public Meeting

December 1, 1998 10 am - 4 pm	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program 1939 Harrison Street
10 um - 4 pm	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland

The <u>ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE</u> (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. <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: California Board for Energy Efficiency

	Pacific Energy Center
1 pm to 5:30 pm	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.

LIGB Meeting Notice

December 1 & 2, 1998 10 am – 4 pm (PST)	California Department of Community Services and Development 700 North 10 th Street, Room 258 Sacramento, CA
<u>Conference Call Information</u> 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 <u>www.ligb.org</u>. 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	Pacific Energy Center
9:30 am to 4 pm	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.

Public Meeting - UPDATED ADDRESS

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

As provided for in Public Utilities Commission D.97-09-117, one or more LIGB Advisory Committee members may be participating in this meeting via teleconference. Members of the public may participate in the meeting by calling **the above number** on the day of the meeting. If you experience difficulty in trying to access this conference call, please contact Confertech at 1-800-314-3558.

The Low Income Governing Board Advisory Committee (LIGBAC) will meet on the following agenda: Welcome and Introduction Chairperson's report, review meeting minutes, public comments, substituative 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

December 8, 1998	One Crow Canyon Court.
10 am - 1 pm	Building. 7 - Conference Room
	San Ramon

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

December 8 & 9, 1998 10 am – 4 pm (PST)	PG&E Energy Center HVAC Room
	851 Howard St. San Francisco
<u>Conference Call Information</u> December 8 & 9, 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, **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 <u>www.ligb.org</u>. The meeting is open to the public. For more information contact Sharon Weinberg at (510) 251-2888, extension 2025.

Public Meeting

December 9, 1998	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
10 am - 4 pm	1939 Harrison Street
	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland

The <u>NEW COMMITTEE MEMBER ORIENTATION</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 realtime 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

December 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 (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

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

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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.

December 16 & 17, 1998 PG&E Energy Center 10 am – 4 pm (PST) Green Room 851 Howard St. San Francisco Conference Call Information Note: If you experience problems trying to access this conference call please contact Confertech at December 16, 1998 1-800-314-3558 and have them verify the Dial-in

LIGB Meeting Notice

Dial (415) 356-1431	and Passcode scheduled under Master Reservation
<i>Passcode</i> = 2408347#	#4590512 for CH2M HILL (Sharon Weinberg is
	the designated Chairperson)
December 17, 1998	
Dial (415) 356-0687	
<i>Passcode</i> = 2408347#	

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 <u>www.ligb.org</u>. The meeting is open to the public. For more information contact Sharon Weinberg at (510) 251-2888, extension 2025.

Public Meeting

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8:30 am - 5 pm	851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone
	Center)
Designated Conference Leader:	San Francisco
Sharon Weinberg/PG&E	To join via teleconference:
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Public Meeting

December 18, 1998	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
10 am - 4 pm	1939 Harrison Street
	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland

The <u>CALIFORNIA RELAY SERVICE ADVISORY COMMITTEE</u> (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. <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.

NEW FILINGS

NONE

PETITIONS FOR MODIFICATION AND APPLICATIONS FOR REHEARING

NONE

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

11/16/98	A98-01-014	Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company (SDG&E) for Authority to Implement a Distribution Performance-Based Ratemaking Mechanism (U 902-M); Draft decision of ALJ Minkin
11/16/98	R94-02-003	Rulemaking on the Commission's Own Motion to Establish a Simplified Registration Process for Non-Dominant Telecommunications Firms; and
	I94-02-004	Investigation on the Commission's Own Motion to Establish a Simplified Registration Process for Non- Dominant Telecommunications Firms; Draft Decision of Assigned Commissioner Knight
11/16/98	A98-06-052	In the Matter of the Petition of PDO Communications, Inc. for Arbitration Pursuant to Section 252 of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 to Establish an Interconnection Agreement with Pacific Bell; Final Arbitrator's Report of Arbitrator Weismehl

ADVICE LETTER FILINGS

NONE

MISCELLANEOUS TRANSPORTATION ITEMS November 17, 1998

Filings with Rail Safety and Carriers Division

11/4/98 TCP 12190-B Frank Edward Dixon, Maria S. Dixon, David A Dixon, DBA Franks Bus Lines, Address: 1912 Dale Street, San Diego, CA, 92102, Telephone: (619) 232-4500, Terminal address: 5415 Market Street, San Diego, CA 92114, Telephone: (619) 850-6027, Application filed for new Class B authority

MISCELLANEOUS TELECOMMUNICATION MATTERS

November 17, 1998

NONE

ADJOURNMENTS * RESETTINGS * SUBMISSIONS

A98-05-001	Correction to the daily calendar
A98-05-005	Gottstein-Application of Pacific Gas and Electric
A98-05-013	Company for approval of demand-side management
A98-05-018	shareholder incentives for 1997 program year and
	related matters, Evidentiary Hearing held November
	13 and submitted upon receipt of reply brief
I98-01-004	Bennett-Commission Order Instituting Investigation into whether to revoke the operating authority of Felipa Garza Fuentes dba Fuentes Tours, Evidentiary Hearing held and submitted 15 days after upon receipt of transcripts

C98-04-046 Pulsifer-Pac-West Telecomm, Inc., vs. Evans

Telephone Company and Volcano Telephone Company for unlawful acts of charging toll rates for local calls, **Evidentiary Hearing held and continued to November 17**

REMOVALS FROM CALENDAR

A98-05-023 Malcolm-Application of Enserch Energy Services, Inc. for Rehearing of Commission Resolution G-3233, **Evidentiary Hearing set for November 18, removed** from calendar

NEW SETTINGS

1/28/99 ALJ Bushey Comr Duque	9:00 a.m. A98-07-043	(EH)-Rideshare Port Management, L.L.C., dba Prime Time Shuttle to provide on-call-door-to-door passenger stage service to the extent required to enter into concessionaire agreement with Los Angeles International Airport, Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles, (also January 29)
2/1/99 ALJ Barnett Comr Bilas Comr Conlon	10:00 a.m. A.97-12-039	(EH)-San Diego Gas & Electric Company for authority to sell electrical generation facilities and power contracts, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco, (also February 2-5, February 8-11)

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

11/17/98	9:30 a.m.	NONE SCHEDULED
11/24/98	9:30 a.m.	NONE SCHEDULED
12/1/98	9:30 a.m.	NONE SCHEDULED

FINAL ORAL ARGUMENT

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

HEARINGS

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

(PHC) = Prehearing Conference (EH) = Evidentiary Hearing (PPH) = Public Participation Hearing (IAM) = Initial Arbitration Meeting (M) = Mediation		8
11/17/98 ALJ Pulsifer Comr Neeper	9:30 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 18-19)
11/17/98 ALJ Kotz Comr Duque	9:00 a.m. A.97-03-052	(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 ALJ Wetzell Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. A.97-12-020 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) 703-1826, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (EH) December 14-18)
11/17/98 ALJ Galvin Comr Duque	7:00 p.m. A.98-05-038	(PPH)-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, 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 & G; 3:00 p.m., December 3, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco, (EH) 10:00 a.m., December 7-9, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco)
11/19/98 ALJ Wright	10:00 a.m. C.98-09-028	(EH)-Rosalinda M. Villarreal vs. Pacific Gas and Electric Company, City Council Chambers, 1710 Tucker St., Selma
11/20/98 ALJ Barnett	10:00 a.m. C.98-10-040	(ECP)-Clara Dovga vs. Southern California Edison Company for overbilling, City Council Chambers, 505 S. Garey Avenue, Pomona
11/23/98 ALJ Walker Comr Neeper	10:00 a.m. I.87-11-033	(PHC)-Commission Investigation into alternative regulatory frameworks for local telecommunications exchange carriers, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
11/23/98 ALJ Ryerson Comr Conlon	1:00 p.m. C.98-06-037	(PHC)-William Kent vs. Southern California Edison Company for overcharges and for improper electrical power cut-offs,, 10 Civic Center Plaza, Conference B, 5 th Floor, Building 10, Santa Ana
11/24/98 ALJ Bushey Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. R.97-10-049	(PHC)-Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion to set rules and to provide guidelines for the Privatization and Excess

Comr Neeper		Capacity as it relates to investor owned water companies
		Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
11/24/98 ALJ Ryerson Comr Neeper	10:00 a.m. C.98-09-020	(PHC)-Greg Roberts vs. Pacific Bell and Southwestern Bell Corporation for not providing repair services, Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles
11/24/98 ALJ Barnett	2:00 p.m. A.98-10-012	(PHC)-Southern California Gas Company for authority to revise its rates effective August 1, 1999 in its biennial cost allocation proceeding,
Comr Duque	A.98-10-031	(PHC)-San Diego Gas & Electric Company for authority to revise its gas rates effective August 1,
	A.98-07-005	1999 in its biennial cost allocation proceeding,(PHC) San Diego Gas & Electric Company andSouthern California Gas Company for approval of a gas transmission service tariff,
		Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
11/25/98 ALJ Rosenthal Comr Neeper	9:30 a.m. A.98-07-061 C.98-04-044	 (PHC)-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, (PHC)-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. 575 Administration Drive, Room 102A, Board of Supervisors Chambers, Santa Rosa
11/30/98 ALJ Stalder Comr Conlon	10:00 a.m. A.98-01-015	(PHC)-Southern California Gas Company for authority to sell its storage field in Montebello, California, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (EH) 9:00 a.m., December 7-9)
12/1/98 ALJ Malcolm Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. A.98-07-006 A.98-07-003	(EH)-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, (EH)-Pacific Gas and Electric Company for
		verification, consolidation, and approval of costs and

	A.98-07-026	revenues in the Transition Revenue Account, (EH)-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 ALJ Walker Comr Walker	10:00 a.m. A.98-04-065	 (EH)-George W. Goldthorpe, as general partner of Goldthorpe Partnership for an 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 (also December 2)
12/1/98 ALJ Weissman Comr Knight	10:00 a.m. R.98-01-011	(PHC)-Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking, on the Commission's own motion to assess and revise the regulatory structure governing California's natural gas industry, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (EH) January 19-22)
12/1/98 ALJ Galvin Comr Duque	2:00 p.m. A.98-07-029 A.98-07-020	 (PHC)-Pacific Bell for authority to categorize Toll- Free (8XX) and Business MTS IntraLATA Toll services as Category III services, (PHC)-Pacific Bell for authority to categorize Centrex as category III service, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
12/1/98 ALJ Vieth Comr Duque	7:00 p.m. A.98-09-013 A.98-09-014	(PPH)- California Water Service Company for a general rate increase to increase revenues by \$897,400 or 6.1% 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.98-09-015	(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.98-09-016	(PPH)-California Water Company for an order authorizing it to increase rates charged for water service in the Hermosa-Redondo district, (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	(EH)-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, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also December 3)
12/8/98 ALJ Bennett Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. C.98-08-008	(PHC)-Dorothy Dominguez and Ralph A. Martinez vs. Great American Stageline for refusal to allow passengers to board, Telephone Conference, Conference Room 5209, San Francisco
12/8/98 ALJ Wright Comr Neeper	10:00 a.m. C.98-07-032	(EH)-Pamela Gruszka vs. San Diego Gas and Electric Company, Commission Courtroom, State Office Building, 1350 Front St., B102, San Diego
12/8/98 ALJ Walker Comr Duque	7:00 p.m. A.98-06-005	(PPH)-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, Morongo Valley Elementary School, 10951 Hess Blvd., Morongo (also (EH) 10:00 a.m., February 9- 10, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco)
12/9/98 ALJ Minkin Comr Conlon	10:00 a.m. C.98-04-037	(EH)-Universal Studios, Inc. vs. Southern California Edison Company for non-compliance with AB-1890 for improper transition charges, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

Daily Calendar California Public Utilities Commission

12/9/98 AlJ Malcolm Comr Conlon	2:00 p.m. R.96-11-004	(PHC)-Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking to develop standards for electric system reliability and safety pursuant to D96-09-073 consolidated with I95- 02-015, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
12/10/98 ALJ Econome Comr Neeper	9:00 a.m. A.95-10-024	(CA)-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
12/10/98 ALJ Bushey Comr Neeper	10:00 a.m. I.98-04-033	(EH)-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 (also December 11, December 15
12/14/98 ALJ Weiss Comr Neeper	1:00 p.m. C.98-04-056	(EH)-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, City Hall, Council Chamber, 2600 Fresno St., Fresno
12/14/98 ALJ Wetzell Comr Bilas	9:00 a.m. A.97-12-020 I.97-11-026	 (EH)-Pacific Gas and Electric Company for authority to increase rates and charges for electric and gas service effective 1/1/99, (EH)-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 (also December 15-18, San Francisco)
12/16/98 ALJ Bushey Comr Duque	9:00 a.m. A.98-09-001	(EH)-Xpress Management Systems LLC for authority to provide on-call-door-to-door passenger stage service to the extent required to enter into concessionaire agreement with Los Angeles World Airport, Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles, (also December 17-18)
12/17/98 ALJ Kenney Comr Duque	9:30 a.m. C.98-06-008	(EH)-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)
1/5/99 ALJ Barnett Comr Conlon Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. A.97-12-039	(EH)-San Diego Gas and Electric Company for authority to sell electrical generation facilities and power contracts, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also January 6-8, January 11-14)
1/7/99 ALJ Barnett Comr Duque	2:00 p.m. A.98-05-019	(OA)-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
	A.98-05-021	rates accordingly, (OA)-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
	A.98-05-024	1999 for electric distribution and gas distribution, (OA)-Southern California Edison Company for consideration of unbundled rate of return on common equity, capital structure, cost factors for embedded debt and preferred stock and overall rate of return for utility operations, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
1/11/99 ALJ Bushey Comr Neeper	10:00 a.m. C.98-04-004	(PHC)-The Utility Consumers' Action Network vs. Pacific Bell for unlawful and deceptive sales program and practices,
	C.98-06-003	(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 (also (EH) January 21- 22)
1/11/99 ALJ Malcolm	10:00 a.m. A.98-07-058	(EH)- Application of Pacific Gas & Electric Company to Recover 1997 and 1998 Non-Nuclear Generation

Comr Bilas	A.98-08-012	Capital Additions in the Competition Transition Charge Pursuant to PU Code Section 367, (EH)-Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company (U 902-E) for Competition Transition Charge ("CTC") Recovery of Capital Additions, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco, (also January 12-14)
1/11/99 ALJ Rosenthal Comr Conlon	10:00 a.m. A.98-06-051	(EH)-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	(PHC)-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, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (EH) February 1-16)
1/13/99 ALJ DeUlloa Comr Knight	9:30 a.m. C.98-06-028	(EH)-Pacific Bell vs. MCI Telecommunications Corp., Inc., and MCI Metro Access Transmission Services, Inc., for breach of the interconnection agreement, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco, (also January 14-15)
1/18/99 ALJ Walwyn Comr Bilas Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. R.93-04-003 I.93-04-002	 (EH)-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, (EH)-Investigation of the Commission's Own Motion into Open Access and Network Architecture Development of Dominant Carrier Networks, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also January 19-22)
1/19/99 ALJ Barnett	1:30 p.m. A.98-05-033	(EH)-Southern California Edison Company for Orders approving 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 Watson Cogeneration, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also January 20-21)
1/25/99 ALJ Barnett Comr Conlon	10:00 a.m. A.98-04-016	(EH)-Pacific Gas and Electric Company for authorization to sell the El Dorado Hydroelectric Project to El Dorado Irrigation District, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also January 26-29)
1/27/99 ALJ Walker Comr Neeper	10:00 a.m. C.98-05-054	(EH)-Internet Specialties West vs. GTE for improper disconnection of ISDN over Centranet services, Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles (also January 28)
1/28/99 ALJ Bushey Comr Duque	9:00 a.m. A98-07-043	(EH)-Rideshare Port Management, L.L.C., dba Prime Time Shuttle to provide on-call-door-to-door passenger stage service to the extent required to enter into concessionaire agreement with Los Angeles International Airport, Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles, (also January 29)
2/1/99 ALJ Barnett Comr Bilas Comr Conlon	10:00 a.m. A.97-12-039	(EH)-San Diego Gas & Electric Company for authority to sell electrical generation facilities and power contracts, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco, (also February 2-5, February 8-11)
2/16/99 ALJ Bennett Comr Bilas	9:00 a.m. C.97-09-030	 (EH)-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, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also February 17)
2/22/99 ALJ McVicar Comr Duque Comr Neeper	9:00 a.m. I.98-09-007	(EH)-Commission Order Instituting Investigation into the operations and prectices 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,

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		Commission Courtroom, San Francisco, (also February 23-26, March 1-5)
03/15/99 ALJ Gottstein Comr Conlon	10:00 a.m. A.96-03-031	(EH)-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%),
	A.96-04-030	(EH)-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, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also 9:00 a.m., March 16-19)
3/29/99 ALJ O'Donnell Comr Conlon Comr Neeper	10:00 a.m. C.97-09-043	(EH)-The Utility Reform Network and Utility Consumers' Action Network vs. SBC Communications Inc., Pacific Telesis Group and Pacific Bell for violation of the service quality requirements of D97- 03-067 and the Public Utilities Code and for attempting to mislead the Commission with respect to Pacific Bell's service quality performance, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco, (also March 30, April 2)
4/16/99 ALJ Bushey Comr Knight	10:00 a.m. C.95-08-039	(PHC)-Bayside Village, The Fillmore Center, and North Point Apartments vs. Pacific Bell for failure to take responsibility for all building cross connects, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

NOTICE OF DENIAL OF REQUEST FOR EX PARTE MEETING

On September 20, 1996, the Commission adopted Resolution ALJ 169 regarding the "Filing of Notice of Denial of Request for Ex Parte Meeting". The resolution implements an interim procedure whereby a party whose written request for an ex parte meeting with a Commissioner has been denied will be allowed to file a notice of such denial. Copies of Resolution ALJ 169 are available from the Commission's Central Files Office at 505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 2002, San Francisco; telephone (415) 703-2045. Copies of tendered notices are available in the Central Files Office for review and/or reproduction under existing procedures. They are also available from the filing party who is under the obligation to provide copies of the notice without delay.

NONE FILED

NOTICE OF 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.

11/6/98	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 estmate transition costs and establish a transition cost balancing account; prepared direct testimony attached.

Summary: On November 3, 1998, Bruce Foster, Vice President of Southern California Edison Company (Edison) Regulatory Affairs, met with Cmmr. Knight, Cmmr. Bilas, and Cmmr. Conlon, in three separate meetings in San Francisco. At the meeting with Cmmr.

Knight also present was Bob Lane, advisor to Cmmr. Knight; at the meeting with Cmmr. Bilas - Julie Haligan, advisor to Cmmr. Bilas; and with Cmmr. Conlon - Jim Hendry, advisor to Cmmr. Conlon. Mike Hoover, Manager of Edison's Regulatory and Policy Affairs attended all three meetings. Edison representatives expressed concerns about the alternate decision regarding Section 369. Foster stated that although Edison still supports the alternate of Cmmr. Conon, the alternate of Cmmrs. Duque and Bilas would effectively ensure that the exemptions specified in Section 369, would only be allowed for incremental load that does not otherwise use the utility system.

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11/9/98	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 4, 1998, Pacific Bell ("PacBell") representatives Ron Sawyer and Dan Jacobsen initiated a meeting at CPUC with Lester Wong, advisor to Commission President Bilas, engaging therein in oral and written ex parte communications. The representatives stated that based on the Commission's ruling that Internet traffic is not interstate, interconnection agreements require CLEC's 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. PacBell stated that while some CLEC's may claim they are offering foreign exchange service, they are actually providing toll free calling unless they are covering the cost of transport. The written ex parte communications consisted of an eight (8) page handout. The first seven (7) pages were network schematics depicting local calling networks, interexchange calling networks, etc., and the eighth page an excerpt of remarks delivered to the Washington Metropolitan Cable Club by C. Michael Armstrong, Chairman and CEO of AT&T. One statement contained in the latter included: "Now some narrowband Internet service providers want the government to give them a free ride on those broadband pipes." The handout was attached to the filer's Notice of Ex Parte Communications.

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11/9/98

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.

Summary: On November 4, 1998, Pacific Gas & Electric ("PG&E") representative Jack Fallin initiated a telephone call to David Gamson, advisor to Commissioner Neeper. He stated that the existence of third-party transmission, recorded in many Commission decisions, is an undeniable fact. Mr. Fallin concluded interconnection through such transmission should not be ignored in a physical test.

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11/9/98	R95-04-043	Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion into competition for local exchange service and
	195-04-044	Investigation on the Commission's own motion into competition for local exchange service.
	R93-04-003	Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking on
		Commission's own motion to govern open access to
		bottleneck services and establish a framework for
		network architecture development of dominant carrier
		networks and
	I93-04-002	Commission Order Instituting Investigation on the
		Commission's own motion into open access and network
		architecture development of dominant carrier networks.

Summary: AUGMENTATION REQUIRED. LATE FILED On October 26, 1998, Pacific Bell's ("PacBell) Cynthia Marshall initiated a meeting at CPUC with Fassil Fenikile, advisor to Commissioner Neeper. Ms Marshall spoke regarding PacBell's overall compliance and activities to date concerning its § 271 (c) application and compliance with the 1996 Act.

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11/10/98	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.
	R93-04-003 I93-04-002	Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking on Commission's own motion to govern open access to bottleneck services and establish a framework for network architecture development of dominant carrier networks and Commission Order Instituting Investigation on the
		Commission's own motion into open access and network architecture development of dominant carrier networks.

Summary: On November 10, 1998, three (3) Pacific Bell ("PacBell") representatives met in two (2) consecutive sessions with PUC officials and conveyed the same oral ex parte communications in each session. The PacBell representatives were Cynthia Marshall, Ed Kilto-Wininger, and Glen Sirles. The PUC officials were, respectively, Dorothy Duda, advisor to Commissioner Knight and, in the second session, three other advisors to commissioners, Lester Wong, Fassil Fenikile, and Timothy Sullivan. A PUC Telecommunications Divsion staff member, Brian Roberts, also attended the second session. PacBell representatives discussed details of the company's OSS test plans, stating that PacBell will test pre-order, ordering, provisioning and billing functions. PacBell emphasized it will adequately test its OSS to ensure it can handle commercial volumes to sustain mass market competition, without any undue delay.

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Summary: LATE FILED. On November 10, 1998, Pacific Bell ("PacBell) filed a Notice of Ex Parte Communications containing copies of letters sent to all commissioners and the PUC executive director expressing support for PacBell's entry into the long distance market. The dates of such letters and their originators were as follows: 10/23/98 Harbor Occupational Center, San Pedro Skills Centers, San Pedro, CA (Trudy Hawkins, Principal); 10/26/98 Community Cultural Center, Watsonville, CA (Reynaldo Barrioz, Project Director); 11/2/98 Alisal Merchants' Association Resolution, Salinas, CA (Carlos Ramos, Chairperson); United Way of Humboldt County, Eureka, CA (Carolynn Walden, Executive Director); 11/3/98 Association of Nonprofit Professionals, Redding, CA (John Truitt, President); 11/4/98 Cypress Bank, Seaside, CA (Harry D. Wardwell, President); Inglewood Today Magazine, Inglewood, CA (Willie Brown, President and Publisher); Blue Mountain Minerals, Columbia, CA (Fred Esch, Vice President); 11/5/98 California State University, Edmund G. "Pat" Brown Institute of Public Affairs, Los Angeles, CA (Jaime A. Regalado, Executive Director); MELA Counseling Services Center, Inc., Montebello, CA (Kathy Salazar, President/CEO); The Halacyon Center, Van Nuys, CA (Gloria Victor Gold, President); Scotts Valley Chamber of Commerce, Scotts Valley, CA (Joe Miller, Executive Director); Northridge Chamber of Commerce, Northridge, CA (Ross Hopkins, Executive Vice President); 11/6/98 Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc., Inglewood, CA (Ronald B. Hanley, Polemarch); Martin Luther King Legacy Assoc., Los Angeles, CA (Genethia Hudley Hayes, Executive Vice President); Oakland Commerce Corp., Oakland, CA, (David P. Johnson, Executive Director).

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11/12/98	R93-04-003	Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking on
		Commission's own motion to govern open access to
		bottleneck services and establish a framework for
		network architecture development of dominant carrier
		networks and
	I93-04-002	Commission Order Instituting Investigation on the
		Commission's own motion into open access and network
		architecture development of dominant carrier networks.
	R95-04-043	Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion into
		competition for local exchange service and
	195-04-044	Investigation on the Commission's own motion into
		competition for local exchange service.

Summary: LATE FILED. On November 2, 1998, Nancy Lavelle, President, Institute for the Redesign of Learning, South Pasadena, wrote a letter to Cmmr. Bilas. On November 5,

1998, Mark Sinaguglia, owner, Mayflower Ballroom, Inglewood, wrote a letter to Cmmr. Bilas. On November 6, 1998, Armida Avila, Director, East Los Angeles Community College, Monterey Park, wrote a letter to Cmmr. Bilas. On November 9, 1998, Nancy Ahlswede, Executive Director, The Advocacy Coalition for Long Beach, Long Beach, wrote a letter to Cmmr. Bilas. On November 11, 1998, Xavier Flores, Executive Director, Puebloy Salud, Inc., San Fernando, wrote a letter to Cmmr. Bilas. On November 12, 1998, Barbara Greenleaf, President, Strategic Communications, Beverly Hills, wrote a letter to Cmmr. Bilas. Copies of the foregoing letters were also sent to Cmmrs. Conlon, Duque, Neeper, and Knight and to Executive Director Franklin. The letters (attached to the notice) expressed support for Pacific Bell's entry in the long distance market.

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