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Daily Calendar Monday, January 12, 1998

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REGULAR COMMISSION MEETINGS

January 21, 1998	10:00 a.m.	San Francisco
February 4, 1998	10:00 a.m.	San Francisco
February 19, 1998	10:00 a.m.	San Francisco

NOTICES

Delivery of Formal Pleadings for Filing

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The Payphone Service Provider's Enforcement Committee has proposed a Charter for approval by the CPUC. A protest must be made in writing and received within 20 days from the date of this calendar item. Protest must be delivered to Director, Telecommunications Division, 505 Van Ness Ave., Room 3203, San Francisco, CA, 94102.

Filing: Letter Seeking Approval

Date Filed: December 26, 1997

Filed With: Telecommunications Division

Public Advocates, on behalf of the Signatory coalitions, requests approval of the Organizational Charter implementing the Community Partnership Agreement commitments per D.97-03-067. The contact person is Linda Rochester at (415) 703-2770.

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SUBSCRIPTION INFORMATION

Subscription Notice for Draft Agenda Items

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In addition, the Commission will make draft agenda items available for viewing and photocopying (at 20 centers 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.

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COMMISSIONER OFFICE HOURS

(For further information or to make an appointment, please contact, Michelle Diamonon at (707) 445-7875 for Eureka and Chico locations, and Sandra Graham at (213) 897-3544 for other locations).

<u>Date/Time</u>	<u>Commissioner</u>	<u>Location</u>
2/25/98	Henry M. Duque	State Office Building 107 So. Broadway, Room 5109 Los Angeles

PUBLIC MEETINGS & WORKSHOPS

Public Meeting

January 12, 1998 1 pm - 5 pm	Natural Resources Defense Council 71 Stevenson Street, Suite 1825 San Francisco
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The New Programs Subcommittee of the Technical Advisory Committee for the California Board for Energy Efficiency will meet to discuss externalities as related to new energy efficiency programs and to gather notes for the subcommittee's report to the TAC during its January 27 meeting. The contact person is Sheryl Carter at (415) 777-0220.

Additional locations include:

- Insulation Contractors Association, 2210 K Street, Sacramento, CA
- CEC, 1516 Ninth Street (c/o Bruce Cenicerros), Sacramento, CA
- E Source, Inc., 1033 Walnut Street, Boulder, CO
- UCONS, LLC., 3055 1112th N.E., Suite 225, Bellevue, WA
- SESCO, Inc., 77 Yacht Club Drive, Suite 1000, Lake Forest, NJ
- The Bentley Co., 611 Anton Blvd., Suite 700, Costa Mesa, CA
- Richard Heath & Associates, 2055, San Joaquin, Fresno, CA
- 10949 S.W. 4th Avenue, Portland, OR
- SMUD, 6301 S Street (c/o Jim Parks), Sacramento, CA
- SCE, 300 N. Lone Hill Avenue (c/o Gene Rodrigues), San Dimas, CA
- Sera, Inc., 1511 3rd Avenue, Suite 1000, Seattle, WA
- Electric and Gas Industries Association, 1645 Alvarado Street, San Leandro, CA
- The Service Institute, 1335 Ridgedale Court, Roseville, CA
- Energy Pacific, 4539 Lee Avenue, La Mesa, CA

Workshop Notice

January 13, 1998 9 am - 5 pm	Host Hotel at the Sacramento Airport 6945 Airport Boulevard
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The Low Income Governing Board is holding a workshop to discuss the future of energy rate assistance, energy efficiency, and energy education programs in the restructured electric utility industry. The workshop will address possible changes to these programs presented by individuals who submitted papers with these recommendations. The recommendations pertain to program administration, financial controls, data systems, and consumer protection. The papers can be found on the Low Income Governing Board's website at www.ligb.org. The workshop is open to the public. **If you plan to attend this workshop, please contact Doreen Seely of MSB Energy Associates at (608) 831-1127 ext. 306.**

Public Meeting

<p><i>January 14, 1998</i> <i>10 am - 4 pm</i></p> <p><i>With a Break for Lunch</i> <i>(A brief break will be called prior to lunch)</i></p>	<p><i>Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center</i> <i>851 Howard Street</i> <i>(1 block west of the Moscone Center)</i> San Francisco</p> <p>To join via teleconference: Dial: 415-904-2864 Passcode: 6687053#</p>
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As provided for in Public Utilities Commission D97-09-117, one or more LIGB members may be participating in this meeting via teleconference. Members of the public may also participate in the meeting on **January 14, 1998** by calling **415-904-2864**.

The Low Income Governing Board will meet to discuss the following agenda items: Chairperson's report, review meeting minutes, discuss legal issues, Technical Consultants projects, address budget planning/financial status, update on the Advisory Committee, address policy planning issues on critical path, and develop agenda for next Board meeting. These meetings are open to the public. You can get the materials for this meeting from the LIGB website at www.ligb.org. Amy Hopper is the contact person at (510) 251-2888, extension 2015.

Public Meeting

<p><i>January 15, 1998</i> <i>9 am - 5 pm</i></p>	<p><i>Quality Suites Hotel,</i> <i>Los Padres Room</i> <i>1631 Monterey Street</i> San Luis Obispo</p>
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The Administrative Committee of the Electric Education Trust (EET) will hold a public meeting to conduct business related to establishing the trust and realizing its mission. The agenda includes consideration of education, outreach and call-center activities of the utilities' Consumer Education Plan (CEP), the proposed work plan and budget, the request for proposals (RFP) for a trust administrator, funding and implementation of EET educational and outreach activities, committee organization and structure, and administrative matters. The contact person is William R. Schulte at (415) 703-2349.

Public Meeting

<i>January 15, 1998 1:30 pm - 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 approve the payment of telephone claims, review and approve administrative expenses, authorize administrative transfer, finalize the February through June 1988 Administrative Committee meeting dates, and other general administrative matters.

If you would like to join the meeting by phone conference or receive a copy of the agenda please notify Vivien Wright, Executive Assistant, five (5) working days in advance of the meeting at (510) 452-2757.

Public Meeting

<i>January 20, 1998 9:30 am - 2:30 pm</i>	<i>Payphone Service Providers Enforcement Group One Crow Canyon Ct., Ste. 105 San Ramon</i>
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The Payphone Service Providers Enforcement Subcommittee will conduct a monthly meeting. For more information contact Adam Thaler at (415) 703-1157.

Public Meeting

<i>January 20, 1998 10 am - 3 pm</i>	<i>Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program 1939 Harrison Street DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555 Oakland</i>
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The Administrative Committee of the Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will hold its regular monthly meeting. For more information about the meeting, or if you plan to attend the meeting and need sign language interpretation or real-time captioning, contact Sara Brucker at (510) 874-1410/Voice or (510) 874-1411/TTY. Environmental Reminder: Please refrain from wearing perfumes or scents to DDTP meetings, because people with environmental illness or multiple chemical sensitivity must reduce their exposure in order to attend.

If you would like to join the meeting by phone conference or receive a copy of the agenda please notify Vivien Wright, Executive Assistant, five (5) working days in advance of the meeting at (510) 452-2757.

Public Meeting

<i>January 20, 1998 12 noon - 5 pm</i>	<i>California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 5305 (Corner of Van Ness Avenue and McAllister Street)</i>
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	San Francisco
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The California Board for Energy Efficiency will meet to discuss the proposed RFP for independent administrators and governing rules, analysis and evaluation plans; utility 1998 program plans and associated reports to and decisions by the ALJ ; utility RFPs for third-party programs; standard performance contracting programs, consultant workplans, 1998 energy efficiency budgets, development of a CBEE logo, reports from or direction to the technical consultants and Technical Advisory Committee, Board operational matters, and other Board filings. The contact person is Sara Myers, (415) 387-1904.

The Board may move to an Executive Session (closed session) if needed. The purpose of the closed session is to discuss pending litigation regarding letters of agreement for outside consulting services and the closed session is being conducted pursuant to Government Code Sections 11126(q)(2)B) and 11126(q)(2)(A).

Retreat PLEASE NOTE: MEETING LOCATION SUBJECT TO CHANGE

<p>January 20, 1998 10 am - 6 pm and January 21, 1998 9 am - 6 pm (NEW TIME)</p>	<p>PG&E Energy Center 851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone Center) San Francisco</p> <p>To join via teleconference: Dial: 303/633-0782 Passcode: 1505225#</p>
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As provided for in Public Utilities Commission D97-09-117, one or more LIGB members may be participating in this retreat via teleconference. Members of the public may also participate in the retreat on **January 20 & 21, 1998** by calling **303/633-0782**.

The Low Income Governing Board is holding a retreat to discuss Technical Consultants projects and issues related to the critical path. This retreat is open to the public. **However, the retreat will include a closed session to discuss pending litigation in the case of California State Employees Association et al. vs. California State Personnel Board et al., Case No. 978CS03024 (Sacramento County Superior Court).** You can get the materials for this meeting from the LIGB website at www.ligb.org. Amy Hopper is the contact person at (510) 251-2888, extension 2015.

Public Meeting

<p>January 23, 1998 (REVISED DATE) 10 am - 4 pm</p>	<p>Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program 1939 Harrison Street DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555 Oakland</p>
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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 Sara Brucker at (510) 874-1410 VOICE or (510) 874-1411 TTY. Environmental Reminder: Please refrain from wearing perfumes or scents to DDTP meetings, because people with environmental illness or multiple chemical sensitivity must reduce their exposure in order to attend.

Public Meeting

<i>January 29, 1998 10 am - 3 pm</i>	<i>Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program 1939 Harrison Street DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555 Oakland</i>
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The Equipment Program Advisory Committee of the Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will hold scheduled interviews for EPAC Open Committee Seats. For more information about the meeting, or if you plan to attend the meeting and need sign language interpretation or real-time captioning, contact Sara Brucker at (510) 874-1410/VOICE or (510) 874-1411 TTY. Environmental Reminder: Please refrain from wearing perfumes or scents to DDTP meetings, because people with environmental illness or multiple chemical sensitivity must reduce their exposure in order to attend.

Public Meeting

<i>February 3, 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 Administrative Committee of the Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will hold its regular monthly meeting. For more information about the meeting, or if you plan to attend the meeting and need sign language interpretation or real-time captioning, contact Sara Brucker at (510) 874-1410 VOICE or (510) 874-1411 TTY. Environmental Reminder: Please refrain from wearing perfumes or scents to DDTP meetings, because people with environmental illness or multiple chemical sensitivity must reduce their exposure in order to attend.

Public Meeting

<i>February 12, 1998 9:30 am - 3:30 pm</i>	<i>Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program 1939 Harrison Street DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555 Oakland</i>
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The Equipment Program Advisory Committee of the Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will hold its regular monthly meeting. For more information about the meeting, or if you plan to attend the meeting and need sign language interpretation or real-time captioning, contact Sara Brucker at (510) 874-1410 VOICE or (510) 874-1411 TTY. Environmental Reminder: Please refrain from wearing perfumes or scents to DDTP meetings, because people with environmental illness or multiple chemical sensitivity must reduce their exposure in order to attend.

Public Meeting

<p>February 27, 1998 (REVISED DATE) 10 am - 4 pm</p>	<p><i>Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program</i> 1939 Harrison Street DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555 Oakland</p>
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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 Sara Brucker at (510) 874-1410 VOICE or (510) 874-1411 TTY. Environmental Reminder: Please refrain from wearing perfumes or scents to DDTP meetings, because people with environmental illness or multiple chemical sensitivity must reduce their exposure in order to attend.

NEW FILINGS

12/31/97	A97-12-046	Washington Water Power Company, for an exemption from affiliate transaction rules
12/31/97	A97-12-047	Southern California Edison Company for authority to adopt incentive based ratemaking mechanisms
1/8/98	A98-01-005	SaveCom International USA, Inc., for registration as an interexchange carrier telephone corporation;

PETITIONS FOR MODIFICATION AND APPLICATIONS FOR REHEARING

NONE

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

NONE

ADVICE LETTER FILINGS

To inquire about a filing, call the Energy Division (703-1093), Telecommunications Division (703-1889) or Water Division (703-2028).

To protest a filing, mail the original letter/telegram to the Chief of the appropriate division (i.e., "Chief, [Energy, Telecommunications or Water] Division"), to be received no later than 20 days after the date the Advice Letter was filed.

"Effective TBD" means that the date is to be determined by further Commission action. A date listed as "anticipated effective" may be subject to change. An Advice Letter Supplement is not a new filing, and there is no protest period unless indicated.

12/29/97	Energy 2659	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GAS COMPANY, Year-End Consolidated Rate Filing (effective TBD)
12/31/97	Energy 1723E-A	PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Supplements A.L.No.1723E, Submits new tariff in compliance with D.97-12-096 in PG&E's Generation Performance Based Ratemaking Proceeding (effective TBD)
01/02/98	Energy 35-A	ANZA ELECTRIC CO-OPERATIVE, INC., Supplements A.L.No.35, Rule 15 "Line Extensions" has been changed based on a study of the last 20 months of construction costs for new service. (effective TBD)
01/02/98	Energy 1716E-A	PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Supplements A.L.No.1716E, Submits new and revised tariffs in compliance with Decision 97-10-087. (effective TBD)
01/02/98	Energy 1727E	PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, New Schedule E-6 and revisions to Non-Firm Rate Schedules (effective TBD)
01/02/98	Energy 1728E	PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Revisions to residential time-of-use rate schedule. (effective TBD)
01/02/98	Energy 2056	PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Revised rates for Schedules (effective TBD)
01/05/98	Telecom 1	SECURFONE AMERICA, INC., Initial interexchange tariffs (effective TBD)

01/05/98	Telecom 1	WEIZ COMMUNICATIONS (MEDIA TELECOMMS), Initial interexchange tariffs (effective TBD)
01/06/98	Energy 1724E 2059G	PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Revised tariffs (effective TBD)
01/06/98	Energy 1281E	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON COMPANY, Supplemental membership for the California DSM Measurement Advisory Committee (effective TBD)
01/07/98	Energy 1278E	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON COMPANY, Affiliate Transaction Compliance Plan, effective 01/01/98 (effective TBD)
01/07/98	Energy 1279E	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON COMPANY, Removal of Edison's agreement with Union Oil Co. of Calif. (Unocal) from the Optional Pricing Adjustment Clause (OPAC) (effective TBD)
01/08/98	Energy 2662	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GAS COMPANY, Revise Daily Balancing Standby Rates for 12/97 (effective TBD)
01/08/98	Energy 2663	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GAS COMPANY, Retail and Wholesale Core Subscription Procurement and Reservation Charges for 01/98. (effective TBD)
01/08/98	Energy 2664	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GAS COMPANY, Core Monthly Pricing Revision (effective TBD)
01/08/98	Energy 171E	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA WATER COMPANY, Tariff sheets to establish an Independent System Operator and Power Exchange Implementation Delay Memorandum Account applicable to its Bear Valley Electric (B V E) District. (effective TBD)
01/08/98	Telecom 14	GENESIS COMMUNICATIONS INT'L INC., Reduce surcharges per T-16090 and T-16098 and revise language for deposits to include Balances owed to previous utilities central credit check system (effective TBD)
01/08/98	Telecom 15	GENESIS COMMUNICATIONS INT'L INC., Reduce surcharges per T-16090 and T-16098 and revise

		language for deposits to include balances owed to previous utilities central credit check systems (effective TBD)
01/08/98	Telecom 71	MCIMETRO ATS, INC. (WESTERN UNION ATS), Remove the Local Test Drive Promotions, which have expired (effective TBD)
01/08/98	Telecom 8	MGC COMMUNICATIONS INC, Revise language on ULTS to comply with ETC service requirements per T-16105 (effective TBD)
01/08/98	Telecom 49	OPTICOM (ONE CALL COMMUNICATIONS), Introduce a PSP surcharge (effective TBD)
01/08/98	Telecom 19201	PACIFIC BELL, Interconnection Agreement with Ameritech Communications International (effective TBD)
01/08/98	Telecom 16	TOUCH 1 COMMUNICATIONS INC., correct volume discount verbiage and add additional holidays to Holiday Rate Schedule (effective TBD)
01/08/98	Telecom 11	TOUCH 1 LONG DISTANCE, INC., Correct volume discount verbiage and add additional holidays to Holiday Rate Schedule (effective TBD)

ADVICE LETTER PROTESTS

To inquire about a protest, call the Energy Division (703-1093), Telecommunications Division (703-1889) or Water Division (703-2028). To obtain a copy of the protest, please direct your request to the protestor.

NONE

MISCELLANEOUS TRANSPORTATION ITEMS

January 12, 1998

Filings with Safety and Enforcement

NONE

ADJOURNMENTS * RESETTINGS * SUBMISSIONS

NONE

REMOVALS FROM CALENDAR

NONE

NEW SETTINGS

1/15/97 ALJ Rosenthal Comr Conlon	10:00 am A97-11-040	(PHC)-Pacific Bell, application to modify certain affiliate transaction rules as contained in D.87-12-067, D.92-07-072, and D.86-01-026 to facilitate the post-merger consolidation of support services, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
2/3/98 ALJ McVicar Comr Duque	7:00 pm A97-11-007	(PPH)Citizens Utilities Company of California, for a general rate increase of \$210,305 or 31.97% for the year 1998; \$34,846 or 4.0% for the year 1999; attrition revenue increase of 3.8% for the year 2000 in the Felton District, and
	A97-11-008	(PPH)-Citizens Utilities Company of California, for a general rate increase of \$481,362 or 38.3%, for the year 1998; no increase is being requested for 1999 and the attrition year 2000 in the Larkfield District, and
	A97-11-009	(PPH)-Citizens Utilities Company of California, for a general rate increase of \$1,400,275 or 9.0% for the year 1998; \$1,274,163 or 7.4% for the year 1999, an attrition revenue increase of 6.9% for the year 2000 in the Sacramento District, Felton Community Hall, 6191 Highway 9, Felton; (also February 4, 7:00 pm, Luther Burbank Center, Gold Room, 50 Mark West Springs Road, Santa Rosa; and February 5, 7:00 pm, Encina High School Cafeteria, 1400 Bell Street, Sacramento)

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

1/13/98	9:30 am	NONE SCHEDULED
1/20/98	9:30 am	NONE SCHEDULED
1/27/98	9:30 am	NONE SCHEDULED

HEARINGS

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

(PHC) = Prehearing Conference

(EH) = Evidentiary Hearing

(PPH) = Public Participation Hearing

(IAM) = Initial Arbitration Meeting

(M) = Mediation

(OA) = Oral Argument

(WS) = Workshop

(FPH) = Full Panel Hearing

(AH) = Arbitration Hearing

1/12/98	10:00 am	(EH) -ARCO Products Company, Mobil Oil Corporation, Texaco Refining and Marketing Inc. vs. SFPP, L.P., for violation of Section 451 of the Public Utilities Code by charging rates that are not just and reasonable for the intrastate transportation of refined petroleum products, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also January 13-16 and 20-23, San Francisco)
ALJ Careaga	C97-04-025	
Comr Duque		

1/12/98	2:00 pm	(PHC) -Commission Instituting Investigation and Suspension of the Commission's own motion to tariff filed by Advice Letter Nos. 287 and 287-A of San Jose Water Company in Santa Clara County, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
ALJ McVicar	C97-08-004	
Comr Duque		

1/13/98 ALJ Patrick ALJ Stalder Comr Conlon	10:00 am A96-05-045	(EH) -Southern California Edison Company, for authority to freeze rates t their current levels by deferring a \$1.7 million rate decrease, plus interest to 1998, for a finding that 1/1/97 balances in the energy cost adjustment clause (ECAC) and electric revenue adjustment mechanism (ERAM) accounts are reasonable, for authority to set aside overcollection in the ECAC and ERAM accounts as of 12/31/96 to reduce the level of competition transition cost, for authority to revise its incremental energy rate, the energy reliability index and avoided capacity cost pricing, and for a review of the reasonableness of Edison's operations during the period from April 1, 1995, through March 31, 1996, and
	A97-05-050	(EH) -Southern California Edison Company, for review of the reasonableness of operations during the period from April 1 1996, through March 31, 1997 (Reasonableness Phase), Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also January 14, San Francisco)
1/13/98 ALJ Henderson Comr Neeper	10:00 am A96-10-022	(EH) -San Diego Gas & Electric Company, for annual energy cost adjustment clause for the period from 5/1/97 to 4/30/98, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
1/13/98 ALJ Bennett Comr Duque	2:00 pm A97-09-042	(PHC) -Koushan M. Ashia, for authority to operate as a passenger stage corporation between points in Monterey, Santa Cruz and Santa Clara Counties and the San Francisco, Oakland and San Jose International Airports, and to establish a zone of rate freedom Telephone Prehearing Conference
1/14/98 ALJ Barnett Comr Duque Comr Neeper	10:00 am A96-10-038	(OA) -Pacific Enterprises; Enova Corporation; Mineral Energy Company; B Mineral Energy Sub; and G Mineral Sub, for approval of a plan of merger of Pacific Enterprises and Enova Corporation with and into B Mineral Energy Sub (Newco Pacific Sub) and G Mineral Energy Sub (Newco Enova Sub), the wholly owned subsidiaries of a newly created holding company, Mineral Energy Company. (Oral Argument will be limited to clarifying the scope of potential settlement negotiations regarding merger savngs, which are required by ALJ Barnett's December 30, 1997 ruling.) Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

1/14/98 ALJ Walwyn Comr Bilas	10:00 am R93-04-003 I93-04-002	(PHC) -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 (PHC) -Commission Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission's own motion into open access and network architecture development of dominant carrier networks, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
1/14/98 ALJ Ramsey Comr Conlon	10:00 am I91-08-029	(PHC) -Investigation on the Commission's own motion into the causes of recent derailments of Southern Pacific Transportation Company trains, compliance of Southern Pacific with applicable laws, rules, and regulations, the existence of any local safety hazards, and recommendations for improvements in state and federal laws or regulations, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
1/14/98 ALJ Bennett Comr Bilas	10:30 am C97-10-077	(ECP) -Whiskey Run Homeowners Association vs. Kirkwood Gas and Electric Company, for relief from the payment for electricity used by a commercial unit not associated with the homeowners association, Offices of Governmental Affairs, 1227 O Street, Fourth Floor, Sacramento
1/15/97 ALJ Rosenthal Comr Conlon	10:00 am A97-11-040	(PHC) -Pacific Bell, application to modify certain affiliate transaction rules as contained in D.87-12-067, D.92-07-072, and D.86-01-026 to facilitate the post-merger consolidation of support services, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
1/15/97 ALJ Patrick Comr Bilas	1:00 pm A97-11-012	(PHC) -Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for authority to increase the price of water delivered to the El Dorado Irrigation District from the El Dorado Project, effective in 1998 and 1999, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
1/16/98 ALJ Walker Comr Duque	7:00 pm C97-09-056	(PHC) -Marna An Powell and Donna M. Hufford vs. GTE Northwest, dba GTE West Coast, for enlargement of the 488 prefix to include a toll free one-way extended area service, Orick Community Center, 101 Swan Road, Orick

1/20/97 ALJ Ramsey Comr Knight	9:30 am A97-10-021	(PHC) -Citizens Telecommunications Company of California, Inc., for review of its new regulatory framework, Commission
1/20/98 ALJ Watson Comr Bilas	1:30 pm C97-11-034	(PHC) -Pac-West Telecomm, Inc. vs. Pacific Bell, for an order declaring that Pacific Bell is in breach of the agreement and for compensations, and for improper termination ISP calls, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
1/21/98 ALJ Garde Comr Bilas	7:00 pm A97-09-010	(PPH) -California Water Service Company, for a general rate increase to increase revenues by \$126,700, or 7.1%, in 1998 in the Selma District, Arts Center, 1045 Rose Avenue, Selma
1/22/98 ALJ Econome Comr Bilas	1:30 pm A97-03-002	(PHC) -Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for authority to revise its gas rates and tariffs to be effective 1/1/98, pursuant to D.89-01-040, D.90-09-089, D.91-05-029, D.93-12-058, D.94-07-024, and D.95-12-053, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (EH), for 10 am, January 26, San Francisco (also January 27-30 and February 2-6, San Francisco),
1/27/98 ALJ Stalder Comr Conlon	10:00 am A95-08-038	(EH) -San Jose Water Company, for authority to increase rates by \$3,867,000 or 4.16% in 1995; \$4,348,000 or 4.43% in 1996; and \$1,713,000 or 1.67% in 1997, in Los Gatos, Saratoga, Monte Sereno, Campbell, portions of San Jose, Cupertino and Santa Clara, and in territory within the County of Santa Clara surrounding and adjacent in these municipalities, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also January 28, San Francisco)
1/27/98 ALJ Garde Comr Bilas	7:00 pm A97-09-009	(PPH) -California Water Service Company, for a general rate increase to increase revenues by \$408,900, or 6.6%, in 1998; \$108,200, or 1.7%, in 1999; and by \$108,200, or 1.6%, in both 2000 and 2001, in the South San Francisco District, City of South San Francisco Municipal Services Building, 33 Arroyo Drive, South San Francisco

1/30/98 ALJ Walker Comr Duque	7:00 p.m. C97-09-05 4	(PHC) -Robert W. Merwin vs. Citizens Communications, for arbitrary definition of service areas, Jean Harvie Community Center, 14273 River Road, Walnut Grove
2/3/98 ALJ Garde Comr Bilas	10:00 am I97-07-014	(PHC) -Commission Order Instituting Investigation for the purpose of establishing a list for the fiscal year 1998-99 and 1999-2000 of existing and proposed crossings at grade of city streets, county roads, or state highways in need of separation, or projects effecting the elimination of grade crossings by removal or relocation of streets or railroad tracks, or existing separations in need of alterations or reconstruction in accordance with Section 2452 of the streets and highways code, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
2/3/98 ALJ Malcolm Comr Duque	10:00 am A95-12-043 C96-02-002	(EH) -Pacific Bell, for authority to increase and restructure certain rates of its Integrated Services Digital Network services, and (EH) -Compaq Computer Corporation and Intel Corporation vs. Pacific Bell, for unjust and unreasonable rates and charges and practices, and inadequate service for its Integrated Services Digital Network service, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
2/3/98 ALJ McVicar Comr Duque	7:00 pm A97-11-007 A97-11-008 A97-11-009	(PPH) Citizens Utilities Company of California, for a general rate increase of \$210,305 or 31.97% for the year 1998; \$34,846 or 4.0% for the year 1999; attrition revenue increase of 3.8% for the year 2000 in the Felton District, and (PPH) -Citizens Utilities Company of California, for a general rate increase of \$481,362 or 38.3%, for the year 1998; no increase is being requested for 1999 and the attrition year 2000 in the Larkfield District, and (PPH) -Citizens Utilities Company of California, for a general rate increase of \$1,400,275 or 9.0% for the year 1998; \$1,274,163 or 7.4% for the year 1999, an attrition revenue increase of 6.9% for the year 2000 in the Sacramento District, Felton Community Hall, 6191 Highway 9, Felton; (also February 4, 7:00 pm, Luther Burbank Center, Gold Room, 50 Mark West Springs Road, Santa Rosa; and February 5, 7:00 pm, Encina High School Cafeteria, 1400 Bell Street, Sacramento)

2/5/98 ALJ Wetzell Comr Conlon	1:00 pm A97-09-049	(PHC) -San Diego Gas & Electric Company, for a permanent gas procurement performance-based ratemaking mechanism, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
2/10/98 ALJ Malcolm Comr Bilas	10:00 am A97-10-014 A97-10-015 A97-10-024	(PHC) -Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for recovery of 1996 capital additions costs, and, (PHC) -San Diego Gas & Electric Company, for competition transition charge recovery of 1996 capital additions, and (PHC) -Southern California Edison Company, for authority to recover capital additions to its fossil generating facilities made between 11/1/96 AND 12/31/96, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (EH) for 10 am, March 9, San Francisco (also March 10-13, San Francisco)
2/12/98 ALJ Bushey Comr Duque	C97-11-018	(PHC) -Brooks Fiber Communications of Fresno, Inc., Brooks Fiber Communications of Stockton, Inc., Brooks Fiber Communications of Bakersfield, Inc., Brooks Fiber Communications of San Jose, Inc., and Brooks Fiber Communications of Sacramento, Inc. vs. Pacific Bell, for unreasonable and unlawful anti-competitive activities, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
2/18/98 ALJ Garde Comr Neeper	9:30 am A96-12-050	(EH) -Tel-Save, Inc. of Pennsylvania, dba The Phone Company, for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to operate as a reseller of local exchange service, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also February 19, San Francisco)
2/24/98 ALJ Garde Comr Bilas	10:00 am C97-02-015	(EH) -Utility Audit Company, Inc., vs. Southern California Gas Company, for improper billing resulting in overcharges to customers of the Le Parc Simi Valley Homeowners Association, Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles
3/9/98 ALJ Bennett Comr Duque Comr Neeper	10:00 am A97-06-011	(EH) -CABAC, Inc., for authority to operate as an “on-call passenger stage corporation pursuant to Section 1031 of the California Public Utilities Code between points in Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino and Ventura Counties and Los Angeles International, Burbank, Long Beach, John Wayne and

- A97-06-012 Ontario Airports, San Pedro Harbor, and the Los Angeles Amtrak Terminal, and for a zone of rate freedom for its tariff rates, and
(EH)-B.A.D.D.J., Inc., for authority to operate as an “on-call” passenger stage corporation pursuant to Section 1031 of the California Public Utilities Code between points in Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, Santa Barbara and Ventura Counties, on the one hand, and Los Angeles International, Burbank, Long Beach, John Wayne, Ontario, Santa Barbara and Oxnard Airports, San Pedro Harbor, and the Los Angeles Amtrak Station, on the other, and for a zone of rate freedom for its tariff rates, and
- A97-06-013 **(EH)**-AMRAT, Inc., for authority to operate as an “on-call” passenger stage corporation pursuant to Section 1031 of the California Public Utilities Code between points in Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino and Ventura Counties and Los Angeles International, Burbank, Long Beach, John Wayne and Ontario Airports, San Pedro Harbor, and the Los Angeles Amtrak Terminal, and for a zone of rate freedom for its tariff rates; and
- A97-07-041 **(EH)**-Rideshare Port Management LLC, dba Prime Time Shuttle, for authority to operate as a passenger stage corporation between points in Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, Santa Barbara and Ventura Counties, on the one hand, and Los Angeles International, Burbank, Long Beach, John Wayne, Ontario, Palm Springs, Santa Barbara, and Oxnard Airports, San Pedro Harbor, and the Los Angeles Amtrak Station, on the other hand, and for a zone of rate freedom for its tariff rates, and
- A97-09-031 **(EH)**-David Regwan, dba Prime Time Shuttle of Ventura, Orange and Los Angeles Counties, to sell, and AMRAT, Inc., a California Corporation, to purchase, the Passenger Stage Certificate granted by D.90-03-066 in Application 89-08-029, pursuant to Sections 854 and 1036(b) of the California Public Utilities Code, and establish a zone of rate freedom,
Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles (also March 10 and 11, Los Angeles)

3/16/98 ALJ Bushey Comr Knight	9:00 am C96-12-043	(EH) -U.S. Long Distance, Inc. vs. Pacific Bell, for losses in excess of \$100,000 due to defendants improper administration of billing and collection services edit called "scan and reject edit," Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also March 17-18, San Francisco)
3/23/98 ALJ Patrick Comr Knight	7:00 pm, A97-04-043	(PPH) -Pacific Gas and Electric, for a permit to construct the Vasona Substation pursuant to General Order 131-D, Town Hall, 110 East Main Street, Los Gatos)
3/30/98 ALJ Patrick Comr Bilas	10:00 am A97-03-015	(EH) -Southern California Gas Company, for approval of a long-term gas transmission service contract with Distribudora de Gas Natural de Mexicali, s. de R.L. de C.V., Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also March 31, and April 1-3, San Francisco)
4/6/98 ALJ Patrick Comr Knight	10:00 am A97-04-043	(EH) -Pacific Gas and Electric, for a permit to construct the Vasona Substation pursuant to General Order 131-D, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also April 7 and 8, San Francisco)
4/17/98 ALJ Walwyn Comr Duque	10:00 am C97-03-049	(PHC) -California Cable Television Association vs. Pacific Bell, for offering and promoting the bundled offering of the basic exchange service and Internet service in violation of due procedures and without authorization, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
4/21/98 ALJ Careaga Comr Neeper	10:00 am C96-01-019	The City of Vernon vs. The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway, for non-compliance with zoning, 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***

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NOTICE OF EX PARTE COMMUNICATIONS

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1/8/98 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 January 5, 1998, Jana Corey, Director, Regulatory Relations for Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E), left a telephone message for Jim Hendry, advisor to Cmmr. Conlon. Corey stated that for exemptions to the Competition Transition Charge (CTC), D97-12-039 clearly holds that if a “direct transaction requires standby service through the use of transmission or distribution facilities owned by the utility, the exemption does not apply.” Corey stated that the central requirement of standby service is the use of the utility’s transmission and distribution facilities to be available at all times to provide power. Corey stated that Section 369 unambiguously makes transactions relying on utility transmission or distribution facilities subject to CTC obligation.

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Summary: On January 5, 1998, Jana Corey, Director - Regulatory Relations for Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E), spoke with Julie Halligan, advisor to Cmmr. Bilas. Corey stated that for exemptions to the Competition Transition Charge (CTC), D97-12-039 clearly holds that if a “direct transaction requires standby service through the use of transmission or distribution facilities owned by the utility, the exemption does not apply.” Corey stated that the central requirement of standby service is the use of the utility’s transmission and distribution facilities to be available at all times to provide power. Corey stated that Section 369 unambiguously makes transaction relying on utility transmission or distribution facilities subject to CTC obligation.

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1/8/98 R95-04-043 Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion into

I95-04-044 competition for local exchange service and
Investigation on the Commission's own motion into
competition for local exchange service.

Summary: On January 5, 1998, Lynn Mowery, Director - Regulatory Relations for Pacific Bell (PacBell), spoke with Tim Sullivan, advisor to Cmmr. Duque. Also present was Robert Mazique, Senior Counsel for PacBell. Mowery stated that the Commission's proposed decision regarding competition in midsize local exchange carrier territory presumes an affiliate structure that is not part of our current nor planned operations. Mazique stated that the restrictions in this order are not placed on any other company nor in any other territory in which PacBell currently operates.

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Summary: On January 5, 1998, Lynn Mowery, Director - Regulatory Relations for Pacific Bell (PacBell), spoke with Jose Jimenez, advisor to Cmmr. Conlon. Mowery stated that the Commission's proposed decision regarding competition in midsize local exchange carrier territory presumes an affiliate structure that is not part of our current or future operations. Mowery stated that the restrictions in this order are not placed on any other company nor in any other territory in which PacBell currently operates.

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1/8/98 A97-12-004 Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for an order granting
PG&E permission to use natural gas-based financial
instruments to manage gas costs associated with natural
gas purchased for utility electric generation
A97-12-005 Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for an order granting
PG&E permission to use gas-based financial instruments
to manage the impact of Natural Gas Prices on the Cost
of Electricity under existing power purchase agreements

Summary: On January 5, 1998, Jana Corey, Director, Regulatory Relations, for Pacific Gas & Electric Company (PG&E), met with Cmmr. Duque, in San Francisco. Also present were: Michelle Cooke, advisor to Cmmr. Duque; Junona Jonas, Vice President, Gas and Electric Supply, PG&E; and Ann Kozlovsky, Manager, Power Generation Fuels, PG&E. Materials (attached to notice), consisting of a two page handout titled "Gas-Based Price Risk management," were used. Jonas stated that PG&E recently filed two applications that would allow PG&E to manage price risk associate with (1) gas purchases for utility electric generation and (2) existing electric payment obligations. Jonas stated that these applications seek authority to use gas-base financial instruments only, not electricity-based financial instruments. Jonas stated that neither application requests authority to hedge power exchange prices.

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1/8/98 C97-11-034 Pac-West Telecomm, Inc. vs. Pacific Bell, for an order declaring that Pacific Bell is in breach of the Agreement and for compensations, and for improper termination ISP calls

Summary: On January 8, 1998, Robert Mazique, Senior Counsel for Pacific Telesis, met with Cmmr. Bilas, in San Francisco. Also present were: Lester Wong, advisor to Cmmr. Bilas; Bill Blase, Vice President-Regulatory, for Pacific Bell (PacBell); Jim Calloway, President-Public Affairs, Pacific Telesis (PacTel); and David Discher, Senior Counsel, PacTel. Mazique stated that internet provider service (ISP) traffic and internet service are jurisdictionally interstate, not local, traffic. Mazique stated that the interstate nature of ISP traffic is well established by FCC decision and court decision. Mazique asserted that if ISP traffic were not interstate in nature, the FCC could not regulate it, and that in a recent pleading filed with the FCC, the Commission itself referred to ISP traffic as interstate. Mazique stated that internet communications do not end at the ISPs server, instead they continue from the end user to the server of the web site at the ultimate destination of the call, which may be interstate or international, and that is the source of the FCC's jurisdiction. Mazique stated that the co-carrier agreement between Pacific and Pac-West provides for reciprocal compensation for the exchange of local traffic only. Mazique stated that compensation for interstate traffic is provided through a subsequent meet point billing agreement, and that Pacific and Pac-West never negotiated compensation for ISP traffic. Mazique stated that Pac-West never mentioned in negotiations that it intended to claim reciprocal compensation for ISP traffic and Pacific never intended for the reciprocal compensation provisions in the Agreement to apply to ISP traffic. Mazique stated that Pac-West claims to provide lower-priced services than PacBell and to relieve PacBell of traffic. Mazique stated that Pac-West can afford to offer lower priced services to ISPs because it wants Pacific to pay it for the termination of ISP traffic on its network. Mazique stated that Pac-West also avoids sharing the cost of providing local toll services by rating calls as local when in reality they travel more than 12 miles and should be rated as toll calls. Mazique stated that Pac-West does not relieve Pacific of traffic, Pac-West communications travel over Pacific's facilities before reaching Pac-West and Pac-West traffic causes problems for Pacific's network.

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