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Daily Calendar Tuesday, May 26, 1998

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ALJ Resolution ALJ 176-2993 regarding ratification of preliminary determinations of category and notice of is included in this calendar.



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REGULAR COMMISSION BUSINESS MEETINGS

June 4, 1998	10 am	San Francisco
June 18, 1998	10 am	San Francisco
July 2, 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.*

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| June 1, 1998 | 1:30 pm | San Francisco |
| June 15, 1998 | 1:30 pm | San Francisco |
| June 29, 1998 | 1:30 pm | San Francisco |

NOTICES

Delivery of Formal Pleadings for Filing

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

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.

Charge for Commission Documents

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GLOSSARY

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

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

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In addition, the Commission will make draft agenda items available for viewing and photocopying (at 20 cents per page) at the Commission's Central Files Office (Room 2002), 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, and in the Los Angeles, San Diego, and the following field offices: El Centro, Eureka, Sacramento and San Bernardino. Since the agenda package will be mailed to these locations, it will be available at these locations a day or two after the distribution date. These locations will not receive agenda items that are not ready on the distribution date.

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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>
6/12/98, 9 am - 12 pm	Josiah Neeper	State Office Building 1350 Front Street, Room 4006 San Diego

PUBLIC MEETINGS & WORKSHOPS

Public Meeting

<p>May 26, 1998 10 am - 4 pm</p> <p>Designated Conference Leader: Louise Perez/PG&E</p> <p>Reservation No. 4074787</p>	<p>Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center 851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone Center)</p> <p>San Francisco</p> <p>To join via teleconference: Dial: (212) 748-2858 Passcode: 3823526#</p>
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The Low Income Governing Board Advisory Committee (LIGBAC) will meet on the following agenda: Welcome and Introduction Chairperson's report, review meeting minutes, public comments, substitantiative program designs, and 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 RESCHEDULED MEETING - ORIGINALLY SET FOR 5/13/98

<p>May 27, 1998 9:30 am - 3 pm</p>	<p>California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 3204 (Corner of Van Ness Avenue and McAllister Street) San Francisco</p>
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The ULTS Marketing Board (ULTSMB) will hold its regular meeting to:
Review/Approval of Meeting Minutes, Review/Approval of Administrative Report and Expenses, Review/Approval of Market Study RFP, Review/Approval of Bidders Conference Sub-Committee and Meeting Items, PUC Report and take follow-up actions to Commissioner Knight's meeting, Anti-Smoking Marketing Campaign Update, Set future Agenda items for Discussion and hear Public comments.

If you would like to join the meeting by phone conference or in person, and/or receive a copy of the full agenda and meeting materials, please notify the ULTS Trust Office at (510) 452-2757.

Public Meeting: CARE and LIEE Committees of the Low Income Governing Board

<p>May 27, 1998 10 am - 1:30pm</p>	<p>Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center 851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone Center)</p>
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	<p>San Francisco</p> <p>To join via teleconference for the CARE Committee Dial (415) 904-8843 Pass Code 2368254# Reservation Number 4103965</p> <p>To join via teleconference for the LIEE Committee Dial (415) 904-8834 Pass Code 5844919# Reservation Number 4103851</p>
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Public Meeting: The Low Income Governing Board (LIGB)

<p>May 27, 1998 1:30 pm – 4 pm</p>	<p><i>Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center 851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone Center)</i> San Francisco</p> <p>To join via teleconference Dial (212) 293-3133 Pass Code 3146936# Reservation Number 417954</p>
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The LIGB will meet on the following agenda: Chairperson's report, receive public comments, review meeting minutes, address RHA proposal on R&D funding, discuss legal and contract issues, address budget planning/ financial status, receive report on Advisory Committee activities, receive report and recommendations from CARE and LIEE committees, discuss process for forwarding recommendations to Commission, develop agenda for next Board meeting, and schedule future meetings. This meeting is open to the public; materials may be requested at least 24 hours in advance by calling 415-703-2565 and leaving a fax number.

If necessary, immediately following the conclusion of the public meeting, the LIGB will hold an Executive Session (closed session) to discuss pending litigation regarding letters of agreement for outside consulting services, including the SPB's letter ruling of February 4, 1998, and the related case -- California State Employees Association et al. v. California State Personnel Board et al., Case No. 978CS03024 (Sacramento County Superior Court). The closed session is conducted pursuant to Government Code Sections 11126(e)(1), 11126(e)(2)(B)(i), and 11126(f)(6).

Public Meeting

<p>May 28, 1998 9:30 am - 2:30 pm</p>	<p>California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 4206 San Francisco</p>
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The Payphone Service Providers Enforcement Committee will conduct a monthly meeting. For more information, please contact Adam Thaler at (415) 703-1157.

CALIFORNIA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

**Workshop to Address ULTS Program Changes and
General Order 153 Revisions**

AGENDA

MAY 28, 1998

Morning

9:30 - 12:00

A. Opening Matters

1. Introductions
2. Purpose of the Workshop
3. Overview of Workshop Structure and Agenda

B. ULTS Program Changes Implemented To Date

Discussion of issues in Section A of *Telecommunication Division's (TD)*

Summary of Issues for ULTS OIR and General Order 153 Revisions

Lunch

12:00 - 1:15

Afternoon

1:15 - 4:30

C. Additional ULTS Program Changes

Discussion of issues in Section B of *TD's Summary of Issues for ULTS OIR and General Order 153 Revisions*

MAY 29, 1998

Morning

9:30 - 12:00

D. General Order (GO) 153 Revisions

Discussion of TD's *Proposed Draft of Revised GO 153*

Lunch

12:00 - 1:15

Afternoon

1:15 - 4:30

D. General Order (GO) 153 Revisions (Cont.)

E. Revised ULTS Monthly Report/Claims Form

Discussion of TD's proposed *ULTS Monthly Report and Claims Statement*

Workshop Notice

May 28 and 29, 1998 9:30 am - 4:30 pm	California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue Training Room San Francisco
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The Telecommunications Division will conduct a workshop to identify the scope of issues to be included in an order instituting rulemaking regarding the Universal Lifeline Telephone Service (ULTS) program changes and General Order 153 revisions, as per Resolution T-16128. Workshop-related documents which have been mailed to all telecommunications carriers, and parties in the service list of the Universal Service Proceeding (R.95-01-020/.95/01-021) and OII 83-11-05 on May 4, 1998, are available for downloading in the CPUC web site (www.cpuc.ca.gov). Interested parties may comment on these documents and on any other issues which they believe should be included in the OIR process and the revised GO 153, to the Director of the Telecommunications Division and to the service lists of the Universal Service Proceeding and OII 83-11-05, on or before **May 15, 1998**.

The agenda for the workshop will be posted in the Commission's web site by May 18, 1998. Please contact the following Telecommunications Division staff if you have any further questions: Joseph Abhulimen at (415) 703-1458, fax (415) 703-4405, e-mail jaa@cpuc.ca.gov or Zenaida Conway at (415) 703-2005, e-mail ztc@cpuc.ca.gov.

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Public Meeting PLEASE NOTE NEW TIMES!

May 28, 1998 10 am - 3 pm	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program 1939 Harrison Street DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555 Oakland
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The FINANCE SUB-COMMITTEE of the Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will hold a meeting. For more information about the meeting, or if you plan to attend the meeting and need sign language interpretation or real-time captioning, contact Elana Kalisher at (510) 874-1410 VOICE or (510) 874-1411 TTY. Environmental Reminder: Please refrain from wearing perfumes or scents to DDTP meetings, because people with environmental illness or multiple chemical sensitivity must reduce their exposure in order to attend.

Public Meeting

May 28, 1998 3 pm - 5 pm	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program 1939 Harrison Street DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555 Oakland
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The NATURAL DISASTERS SUB-COMMITTEE of the Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will hold a meeting. For more information about the meeting, or if you plan to attend the meeting and need sign language interpretation or real-time captioning, contact Elana Kalisher at (510) 874-1410 VOICE or (510) 874-1411 TTY. Environmental Reminder: Please refrain from wearing perfumes or scents to DDTP meetings, because people with environmental illness or multiple chemical sensitivity must reduce their exposure in order to attend.

Public Meeting PLEASE NOTE: NEW DATE!

<p>May 29, 1998 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 Elana Kalisher at (510) 874-1410 VOICE or (510) 874-1411 TTY. Environmental Reminder: Please refrain from wearing perfumes or scents to DDTP meetings, because people with environmental illness or multiple chemical sensitivity must reduce their exposure in order to attend.

Workshop Notice

<p><i>Revenue Cycle Services Working Group - Plenary meeting:</i></p> <p>May 29, 1998 1:00 p.m.</p>	<p><i>Southern California Gas Company</i> 9240 East Firestone Blvd. Downey</p>
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The Utilities Safety Branch of the Consumer Services Division will convene a plenary meeting of the Revenue Cycle Services Working Group (R. 98-01-011, Rulemaking On The Commission's Own Motion To Assess And Revise The Regulatory Structure Governing California's Natural Gas Industry).

The purpose of this meeting is: 1) to discuss the progress of the five subcommittees (the Legal Committee, the Metering and Demarcation Committee, the Customer Information Committee, the Meter Reading Committee, and the After Metering Services Committee); 2) to prepare for the June 5, 1998 briefing to the Assigned ALJ in this matter; and 3) to prepare for the June 11, 1998 roundtable discussion.

This workshop is open to the public and the facilities are wheelchair accessible. For further information or to suggest agenda topics, contact Raffy Stepanian at (213) 897-3334 or e-mail rst@cpuc.ca.gov, or Sunil K. Shori at (415) 703-2407 or e-mail sks@cpuc.ca.gov.

Public Meeting

<p>June 2, 1998</p>	<p><i>Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center</i></p>
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9:30 am - 4 pm	851 Howard Street (1 blk west of Moscone Center) San Francisco
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The California Board for Energy Efficiency will meet to discuss the status of administrative, legal and technical services to CBEE and CBEE comments as required; the status of legislation impacting energy efficiency issues and CBEE comments if necessary; the status of the RFP for independent administration and associated Commission decisions; issues related to utility assets and liabilities and verification and other reporting requirements; the Technical Advisory Committee and CBEE operational matters; a review of 1998 energy efficiency programs including research RFPs; and planning for 1999 energy efficiency programs and research necessary to aid that planning process. The contact person is Sara Myers, (415) 387-1904. For further details about CBEE and this meeting consult the CBEE Web Page at www.cbee.org.

Public Meeting

June 2, 1998 10 am - 4 pm	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program 1939 Harrison Street DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555 Oakland
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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 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

June 2, 1998 10 am - 4 pm Designated Conference Leader: Dennis Guido/PG&E Reservation No. 4074787	Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center 851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone Center) San Francisco To join via teleconference: Dial: (212) 293-3180 Passcode: 3823526#
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Public Meeting

<p><i>June 3, 1998</i> <i>10 am - 3 pm</i></p>	<p><i>California Public Utilities Commission</i> <i>505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 4206</i> San Francisco</p>
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The TDD Placement Interim Committee will conduct a monthly meeting. For more information, please contact Adam Thaler at (415) 703-1157

Public Meeting: CARE and LIEE Committees of the Low Income Governing Board

<p><i>June 3, 1998</i> <i>10 am - 4 pm</i></p>	<p><i>Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center</i> <i>851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone Center)</i> San Francisco</p> <p>To join via teleconference for the CARE Committee Dial (415) 904-8843 <i>Pass Code 2368254#</i> <i>Reservation Number 4103965</i></p> <p>To join via teleconference for the LIEE Committee Dial (415) 904-8834 <i>Pass Code 5844919#</i> <i>Reservation Number 4103851</i></p>
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Public Meeting

<i>June 4, 1998</i> <i>9 am - 3 pm</i> Electric Education Trust Outreach Subcommittee	<i>Advocates for Consumer Equity</i> <i>Conference Room</i> <i>225 West Hospitality Lane, Suite 200</i> San Bernardino
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The Outreach Subcommittee of the Electric Education Trust (EET) meets to prepare an implementation work-plan for receiving public input into the design of the EET's CBO grant program. The contact person is Geoffrey Meloche at (415) 703-3372.

Public Meeting

<i>June 10, 1998</i> <i>9:30 am - 4 pm</i>	<i>Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center</i> <i>851 Howard Street</i> <i>(1 blk west of Moscone Center)</i> San Francisco
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The California Board for Energy Efficiency will meet to discuss the status of administrative, legal and technical services to CBEE and CBEE comments as required; the status of legislation impacting energy efficiency issues and CBEE comments if necessary; the status of the RFP for independent administration and associated Commission decisions; issues related to utility assets and liabilities and verification and other reporting requirements; the Technical Advisory Committee and CBEE operational matters; a review of 1998 energy efficiency programs including research RFPs; and planning for 1999 energy efficiency programs and research necessary to aid that planning process.

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

Public Meeting

<i>June 11, 1998</i> <i>9 am - 5 pm</i> Electric Education Trust Administrative Committee	<i>Holiday Inn Ontario</i> <i>Ontario Room</i> <i>3400 Shelby Street</i> Ontario
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The Administrative Committee of the Electric Education Trust (EET) meets to develop an implementation work plan for a CBO grant program. The contact person is William Schulte at (415) 703-2349.

Public Meeting

<i>June 11, 1998</i> <i>9:30 am - 3:30 pm</i>	<i>Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program</i> <i>1939 Harrison Street</i>
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	<i>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 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

<i>June 16, 1998 10 am. -3 pm</i>	<i>California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 4206 San Francisco</i>
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The TDD Placement Interim Committee will conduct a monthly meeting. For more information, please contact Adam Thaler at (415) 703-1157.

Public Meeting

<i>June 16, 1998 10 am - 4 pm</i>	<i>Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center 851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone Center) San Francisco</i>
<i>Designated Conference Leader:</i>	<i>To join via teleconference:</i>
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Public Meeting

<i>June 23, 1998 9:30 am - 2:30 pm</i>	<i>California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 4206 San Francisco</i>
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The Payphone Service Providers Enforcement Committee will conduct a monthly meeting. For more information, please contact Adam Thaler at (415) 703-1157.

Public Meeting

<p><i>June 24, 1998</i> <i>9:30 am - 4 pm</i></p>	<p><i>Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center</i> <i>851 Howard Street</i> <i>(1 blk west of Moscone Center)</i> <i>San Francisco</i></p>
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The contact person is Sara Myers, (415) 387-1904. For further details about CBEE and this meeting consult the CBEE Web Page at www.cbef.org.

Public Meeting

<p><i>June 25, 1998</i> <i>9 am - 5 pm</i> <i>Electric Education Trust</i> <i>Administrative Committee</i></p>	<p><i>Carson Conference Center</i> <i>Carson Community Center</i> <i>801 East Carson Street</i> <i>Carson</i></p>
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The Administrative Committee of the Electric Education Trust (EET) meets to design a CBO grant program and consider other matters related to consumer education about electric restructuring. The contact person is William Schulte at (415) 703-2349.

Public Meeting

<p><i>June 26, 1998</i> <i>10 am - 4 pm</i></p>	<p><i>Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program</i> <i>1939 Harrison Street</i> <i>DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555</i> <i>Oakland</i></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 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

<i>June 30, 1998</i> <i>10 am - 4 pm</i>	<i>Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center</i> <i>851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone</i> <i>Center)</i>
<i>Designated Conference Leader:</i>	<i>San Francisco</i>
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NEW FILINGS

5/14/98	A98-05-032	FaciliCom International, L.L.C., for registration as an interexchange carrier telephone corporation
5/15/98	A98-05-033	Southern California Edison Company, for approval of contract amendments necessitated by industry restructuring between Southern California Edison Company and AES Placerita, Brea Power Partners, Kern River Cogeneration Company, Midway Sunset Cogeneration, OLS-Camarillo, OLS-Chino, Ontario Cogeneration, Sycamore Cogeneration, and Watts Cogeneration
5/18/98	A98-05-034	Southern California Edison Company, for authority to lease available land to Everest Storage, LLC at three separate sites on transmission line rights of way
5/19/98	A98-05-036	Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for authority to permit Tele-Vue Systems, Inc. to use certain PG&E optical

		fibers, cables, poles and other facilities
5/21/98	A98-05-035	Diamond Link, Inc., for registration as an interexchange carrier telephone corporation
A98-05-037	A98-05-037	Island Navigation Company, Inc., dba Catalina Island Water Transportation Co., for authority to increase rates of fare and for an ex parte interim order authorizing the same (P.O. Box 1314, Avalon, CA 90704)

PETITIONS FOR MODIFICATION AND APPLICATIONS FOR REHEARING

NONE

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

5/22/98	A91-11-024	In the Matter of the Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company for authority to Increase its Rates and Charges for Electric, Gas and Steam Service, Effective January 1, 1993. (U 902-E); Draft Decision of ALJ Patrick
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ADVICE LETTER FILING

To inquire about this filing, call the Rail Safety and Carriers Division (703-1832).
To protest this filing, mail the original letter/telegram to the Chief of the Rail Safety and Carriers Division, to be received no later than 20 days after the date the Advice Letter was filed.

05/19/98	Rail Safety and Carriers Division	Red & White Ferries, Inc.(VCC-81); Adds temporary emergency ferry service between San Francisco and points in the north bay during an emergency affecting the operation of the Golden Gate Bridge (effective MAY 26, 1998)
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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.

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| 05/20/98 | Telecom 1415 | AT&T COMMUNICATIONS OF CALIFORNIA, INC, introduce a service contract for ACCUNET Spectrum of Digital Services (effective TBD) |
| 05/20/98 | Telecom 1416 | AT&T COMMUNICATIONS OF CALIFORNIA, INC, to Grandfather the following services: AT&T One Line WATS and WATS/800 Services (effective TBD) |
| 05/20/98 | Telecom 1417 | AT&T COMMUNICATIONS OF CALIFORNIA, INC, proposal to decrease CustomNet Simply Better Pricing Option Inbound IntraLATA Switched rates (effective TBD) |
| 05/20/98 | Telecom 217 | CALIFORNIA OREGON TELEPHONE CO., request a SuperTruck Service (identical to Pacific Bell) (effective TBD) |
| 05/20/98 | Telecom 18-A | MGC COMMUNICATIONS INC, Supplements A.L.No.18, Converting Local Exchange tariff to Schedules AA-1-G-1 (effective TBD) |
| 05/20/98 | Telecom 19322-A | PACIFIC BELL, Supplements A.L.No.19322, Interconnection Agreement with Navigator Telecommunications, L.L.C. (effective TBD) |
| 05/20/98 | Telecom 19440 | PACIFIC BELL, to file Amendment No. 4 to The Local Interconnection Agreement with Associated Group Inc dba Associated Comms of Los Angeles dba Teligent (effective TBD) |
| 05/20/98 | Telecom 19441 | PACIFIC BELL, to request Express Contract for HiCap Service (effective TBD) |
| 05/20/98 | Telecom 30 | QWEST COMMUNICATIONS CORP (SO. PACIFIC), introduce several new rate plans;revisions to intrastate tariff (effective TBD) |
| 05/20/98 | Telecom 34 | TCG LOS ANGELES, to introduce two new products |

(effective TBD)		
05/20/98	Telecom 32	TCG SAN FRANCISCO, introduce new service, change name of TCG Centrex Service to PrimeNBX and decrease various PrimeNBX service (effective TBD)
05/20/98	Telecom 33	TELEPORT COMMS. GROUP SAN DIEGO INC., introduce two new products, decrease various PrimeNBX prices and change name of TCG Centrex Service to PrimeNBX (effective TBD)
05/21/98	Energy 1099E	SAN DIEGO GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Renewable Balancing Account, Establishment of (anticipated effective 06/30/98)
05/21/98	Energy 574	SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION, Adjustment of the income criteria for establishing eligibility for the CARE Program. (anticipated effective 06/01/98)
05/21/98	Telecom 8678-D	GTE CALIFORNIA INCORPORATED, Supplements A.L.No.8678, CentraNet Contract Amendment (effective TBD)
05/21/98	Telecom 8696-D	GTE CALIFORNIA INCORPORATED, Supplements A.L.No.8696, Request approval of a Private Branch Exchange and Direct Inward Dialing Contract (effective TBD)
05/21/98	Telecom 8719-A	GTE CALIFORNIA INCORPORATED, Supplements A.L.No.8719, GTE - CLEC and Edwards AFB contract (effective TBD)
05/21/98	Telecom 18144-B	PACIFIC BELL, Supplements A.L.No.18144, Centrex grandfathering project (effective TBD)
05/21/98	Telecom 19443	PACIFIC BELL, revise Winback-PBX Trucks (effective TBD)
05/21/98	Telecom 19444	PACIFIC BELL, requests a Customer Specific Contract for DDD, VPP and Zone 3 Service (effective TBD)
05/21/98	Telecom 19445	PACIFIC BELL, requests a Express Contract for ADN and HiCap Service (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.

05/20/98	Energy 1309E	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON COMPANY, Modification of Existing Line and Service Extension Rules Pursuant to Decision Nos. 97-12-098 and 97-12-099. Protest by Utility Design, Inc..
05/20/98	Energy 1092E 1	SAN DIEGO GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Revision of Existing Line and Service Extension Rules pursuant to Decision s 97-12-098 and 97-12-099. Protest by Utility Design, Inc..
05/20/98	Energy 1765E 2	PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Revisions to tariffs in compliance with Decision 97-12-098 and Decision 97-12-099. Protest by Utility Design, Inc..
05/20/98	Energy 2708	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GAS COMPANY, Submission of Revised Line Extension Rules. Protest by Utility Design, Inc.

MISCELLANEOUS TRANSPORTATION ITEMS

May 26, 1998

Filings with Rail Safety and Carriers Division

NONE

ADJOURNMENTS * RESETTINGS * SUBMISSIONS

R93-04-003 I93-04-002	McKenzie-Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion to govern open access to bottleneck services, etc., and related matter, Evidentiary Hearing held and continued to 10 am, May 26, San Francisco
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REMOVALS FROM CALENDAR

NONE

NEW SETTINGS

6/3/98 ALJ Bennett Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. C97-11-014	(PHC) -Joanne Carey vs. Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for failure to cease its unsafe practice of allowing fumigation personnel to terminate gas services at a structure being fumigated Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
6/26/98 ALJ Mattson Comr Knight	9:30 a.m. A98-02-003	(OA) -Pacific Bell, for a third triennial review of the regulatory framework adopted in D89-10-031 Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
7/6/98 ALJ Ryerson Comr Duque	1:00 p.m. C98-02-044	(E-H) -Utility Audit Company, Inc. vs. Southern California Gas Company Edison for overcharging Parkwest Apartments; seeking order for Southern California Gas Company to make refunds to Parkwest Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles

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

5/26/98	9:30 am	NONE SCHEDULED
6/2/98	9:30 am	NONE SCHEDULED
6/9/98	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 **(OA) = Oral Argument**
(EH) = Evidentiary Hearing **(WS) = Workshop**
(PPH) = Public Participation Hearing **(FPH) = Full Panel Hearing**
(IAM) = Initial Arbitration Meeting **(AH) = Arbitration Hearing**
= Mediation

5/26/98	10:00 am	(EH) -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
ALJ McKenzie	R93-04-003	(EH) -Commission Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission's own motion into open access and network architecture development of dominant carrier networks, and related matter,
Comr Duque	I93-04-002	Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also May 27-29, and June 1-5, San Francisco)
5/26/98	10:00 am	(EH) -Pacific Gas and Electric Company, to identify cost savings for revenue cycle services provided by other entities and to propose credits for end-use customers in such circumstances, and
ALJ Malcolm	A97-11-004	(EH) -Southern California Edison Company, to identify cost savings for revenue cycle services provided by other entities and to propose net avoided-cost credits for end-use customers in such circumstances for implementation on 1/1/99, and,
Comr Duque	A97-11-011	(EH) -San Diego Gas & Electric Company, to identify cost savings for revenue cycle services provided by other entities and to propose credits for end-use customers in such circumstances for implementation no later than 1/1/99, Phase 2, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco; (also May 27-29, and June 1-5, San Francisco (OA) for 10:00 am, June 16, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco)
5/26/98	10:00 am	(EH) -Southern California Edison Company, for an order approving termination agreement for termination of Interim Standard Offer No. 4 Power Purchase Agreement
ALJ Gottstein	A97-12-043	
Comr Duque		

		with Harbor Cogeneration Company, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also May 27-29, San Francisco (OA) July 14, San Francisco)
5/27/98 ALJ Bennett Comr Neeper	10:00 am I98-02-025	(PHC) -Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission's own motion into the operations, marketing and sales practices of GTE California's Foreign Language Assistance Center, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
5/27/98 ALJ Ryerson Comr Conlon	9:00 a.m. A97-12-017	(PHC) -Los Alamitos Race Course, for an order authorizing pedestrian-bikeway crossings at grade at the track of the Union Pacific Railroad Company in the City of Cypress Council Chambers, 22 Civic Center Plaza, Santa Ana
5/27/98 ALJ Ryerson Comr Conlon	10:00 am C97-05-003	(PHC) Norman Phillips vs. Southern Pacific Transportation Company, for rehabilitation of nine crossings in Orange County, pursuant to GO 72-B, Council Chambers, 22 Civic Center Plaza, Santa Ana,
5/27/98 ALJ Ryerson Comr Bilas	2:00 pm A97-05-049	(PHC) -Airport Cruiser to transfer and Buslink Corp to acquire the passenger stage certificate and for finding of revocation of PSC-5877 error, City of Santa Ana, Council Chambers, 22 Civic Center Plaza, Santa Ana
5/27/98 ALJ Ryerson Comr Bilas	2:00 pm A97-11-006	(PHC) -Preferred Transportation, Inc., dba SuperShuttle, for authority to extend its existing passenger stage certificate to include: scheduled service over the most direct routes from points in communities in Orange County, on the one hand, and Los Angeles International Airport and Orange County Airport, on the other hand (1430) South Anaheim Boulevard, Anaheim Council Chambers, 22 Civic Center Plaza, Santa Ana
5/28/98 ALJ Gottstein Comr Neeper	2:00 pm A98-05-001 A98-05-005	(PHC) -Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for approval of demand-side management shareholder incentives for 1997 program year accomplishments, and second claim for incentives for 1996 program year accomplishments, and (PHC) -San Diego Gas & Electric Company, to increase its gas and electric revenue requirements to reflect its accomplishments for demand-side management program years 1996 and 1997 in the 1998 annual earnings

		assessment proceeding, and (PHC) -Southern California Edison , for approval of A98-05-013 demand-side management shareholder incentives for 1997 program year accomplishments and the second installment of shareholder incentives for the 1996 program year, and (PHC) -for authority to increase its gas revenue A98-05-018 requirements to reflect its accomplishments for demand- side management program years 1994, 1995, and 1996, in the 1997 annual earnings assessment proceeding, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
6/1/98 ALJ Weiss Comr Neeper	2:00 pm A98-03-024	(PPH) -Apple Valley Ranchos Water Company, for authority to increase rates by \$1,295,453 or 15.1% in 1999; \$279,216 or 2.8% in 2000; by \$280,577 or 2.7% in 2001, Town Council Chambers, 14900 Apple Valley Road, Apple Valley (also 7:00 pm, Apple Valley)
6/1/98 ALJ Ramsey Comr Bilas	10:00 am A97-07-008	(EH) -Landmark Communications, Inc., for certificate of public convenience and necessity to resell interLATA and intraLATA telecommunications services, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also June 2-5, San Francisco)
6/3/98 ALJ Bennett Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. C97-11-014	(PHC) -Joanne Carey vs. Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for failure to cease its unsafe practice of allowing fumigation personnel to terminate gas services at a structure being fumigated Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
6/8/98 ALJ Stalder Comr Neeper	10:00 am R87-11-012	(PHC) -Commission Rulemaking to revise time schedule for rate case plan and fuel offset proceedings, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
6/8/98 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 pints in Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino and Ventura Counties and Los Angeles International, Burbank, Long Beach, and John Wayne an Ontario Airports, San Pedro Harbor, and the Los Angeles Amtrack Terminal, and for a zone of rate freedom for its tariff rates, Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles (also June 9-12 and June 17-19, Los Angeles)

6/8/98 ALJ Stalder Comr Duque	3:00 p.m. A89-03-026	(PHC) -Southern California Edison Company. Certificate to construct and operate 220KV transmission line between Kramer substation and Victor substation in San Bernardino Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
6/9/98 ALJ Malcolm Comr Knight	10:00 am A97-12-048	(EH) -Southern California Gas Company, for authority to unbundle core interstate pipeline transportation, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco also June 10 and 11, San Francisco)
6/9/98 ALJ Walker Comr Knight	10:00 am C98-02-020	(EH) -Irvine Apartment Communities, Inc., by and through its agent, CoxCom Inc., dba Cox Communications Orange County and Cox California Telecom, Inc. vs. Pacific Bell, for violation of tariff obligations and failure to comply with request to reconfigure existing wiring and to install a cross-connect facility, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also June 10-12, San Francisco)
6/11/98 ALJ Bushey Comr Neeper	10:00 am I98-03-039	(PHC) -Commission Order Instituting Investigation into the operations, practices and conduct of America's Tele-Network Corp. (ATN), John W. Little, president of ATN, and Geri Clary, Controller of ATN, to determine whether the corporation or its principals have violated Rule 1 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure or have violated the laws, rules and regulations governing the manner in which California consumers are switched from one long-distance carrier to another, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
6/12/98 ALJ Barnett	12:30 pm C98-03-055	(ECP) -Rodney W. Lucas and LaDonna M. Lucas vs. Southern California Gas Company, for refund of the overbilled amount of \$194.91, Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles
6/15/98 ALJ Ryerson Comr Bilas	10:00 am I97-06-036	(EH) -Commission Order Instituting Investigation, on the Commission's own motion, into the operations and practices of Elite Moving and Storage, Inc. and its chairman, John Small and its President, Chad Price, as individuals, respondents, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco, (also June 16-17, San Francisco)
6/15/98	1:30 pm	(PHC) -Richard L. Steiner vs. Southern California Gas

ALJ Weissman Comr Conlon	C96-08-028	Company, and Palm Springs Mobilehome Properties, dba Sahara Mobilehome Park, for overcharges and rate discrimination, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
6/16/98 ALJ Bushey Comr Neeper	9:00 am I98-04-033	(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
6/16/98 ALJ Walker Comr Duque	2:00 pm A98-03-029 A98-03-030 A98-03-031 A98-03-032 A98-03-033 A98-03-034	(PHC) -Southern California Water Company, for authority to increase rates by \$661,700 or 34/51% in 1999; by \$249,000 or 9.71% in 2000; and by \$258,800 or 9.19% in 2001 in the Desert District, and related matters, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
6/17/98 ALJ Malcolm Comr Knight	11:00 am C94-12-042	(EH) -Credit Bureau Northern California vs. U.S. Sprint Communications Company, for failure to comply with the terms of Agreement; to refund service charges of over \$20,000 and sign up rebate of \$10,000, Council Chambers, City of Sonoma, 177 First Street, Sonoma
6/19/98 ALJ Ryerson Comr Neeper	10:00 am C97-10-059	Utility Resource Management Group on behalf of the Las Virgenes Unified School District vs. Southern California Edison Company, for overbilling due to erroneous classification as TOU-8 instead of I-6 Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles
6/22/98 ALJ Kenney Comr Neeper	10:00 a.m. C98-04-004	(PHC) -The Utility Consumers Action Network vs. Pacific Bell, for unlawful and deceptive sales programs and practices Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
6/25/98 ALJ Walker Comr Neeper	1:30 pm A96-03-007	(PHC) -Pacific Bell Communications, for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide InterLATA and IntraLATA telecommunications services, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
6/26/98 ALJ Mattson Comr Knight	9:30 a.m. A98-02-003	(OA) -Pacific Bell, for a third triennial review of the regulatory framework adopted in D89-10-031 Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

6/29/98 ALJ McVicar Comr Duque	9:00 am A97-11-007 A97-11-008 A97-11-009	(EH) -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 (EH) -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 ((EH)) -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, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
7/6/98 ALJ Galvin Comr Neeper	10:00 am C97-12-041	(EH) -Reliable Payphone Company vs. Pacific Bell, for refusal to transfer payphone ANI's to New LEC; for fraudulent representations; for unlawful or improper termination of service; for improper late charges; for unlawful retaliation, Room B-107, State Office Building, 1350 Front Street, San Diego (also July 7-8, San Diego)
7/6/98 ALJ Ryerson Comr Duque	1:00 p.m. C98-02-044	(E-H) -Utility Audit Company, Inc. vs. Southern California Gas Company Edison for overcharging Parkwest Apartments; seeking order for Southern California Gas Company to make refunds to Parkwest Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles
7/22/98 ALJ Econome Comr Neeper	9:30 am A95-10-024	(PHC) -Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for authorization to implement a plan of reorganization which will result in a holding company structure, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco; (EH) for 10 am, July 27, San Francisco (also July 28-31; August 3-7 and 10-14) (Closing Argument before Assigned Commissioner for 9 am, October 15, San Francisco)

8/3/98 ALJ Galvin Comr Conlon	10:00 am A98-02-017	(PHC) -Pacific Bell, for authority to categorize business inside wire repair, interexchange carrier directory assistance, and limited call control service as Category III services, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also August 4-7, San Francisco)
8/3/98 ALJ Barnett Comr Knight	A95-05-049 A94-05-044 A93-05-044	(EH) -Southern California Edison Company, for authority to revise its energy cost adjustment bill factors, its electric revenue adjustment billing factors, its low-income rate assistance, and its base rate levels effective 1/1/1996; to revise the incremental energy rate, the energy reliability index, and avoidable capacity cost pricing, etc., and related matters , Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also August 4 and 5, San Francisco)
8/10/98 ALJ Minkin Comr Neeper	10:00 am A98-01-014	(EH) -San Diego Gas & Electric Company, for authority to implement a distribution performance ratemaking mechanism, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also August 11-14,, 17-21, and September 14-16, San Francisco (PPH) for September 23 and 24 with places to be announced
9/28/98 ALJ Pulsifer Comr Conlon	10:00 am R95-04-043 I95-04-044	(EH) -Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion into competition for local exchange service, and (EH) -Investigation on the Commission's own motion into competition for local exchange service, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also September 29 and 30, and October 1 and 2, San Francisco)

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.

5/20/98 A97-12-005 Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for authority to decrease its rate and charges for electric and gas service and increase rates and charges for pipeline expansion service- test year 1996 general rate case consolidated with I9502015

Summary: On May 15, 1998, Les Guliasi, Regulatory Relations, Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E), communicated with James Hendry, adv. to Cmmr. Conlon, in San Francisco. Eric Eisenman, Director, Regulatory Relations, PG&E, was also present. Eisenman stated that the draft decision would reduce PG&E's hedging limits in proportion to PG&E's divestiture of its fossil fuel generating plants. Eisenman also expressed concern with language in the draft order stating that the requested hedging transactions have the potential to influence the market-clearing price in an anti-competitive fashion.

Filer: Pacific Gas and Electric Company

Contact: Heidi Holzhauser

Phone: 415-972-5611

5/21/98 A97-07-015 Southwest Gas Corporation, to modify the terms and conditions of the certificate of public convenience and necessity granted in D95-04-075 to provide natural gas service in areas of El Dorado, Nevada, and Placer Counties.

Summary: On May 18, 1998, Stanley W. Hulett, representative of Southwest Gas Corporation (Southwest), communicated with David M. Gamson, adv. to Cmmr. Neeper. The discussion addressed the status of the alternate decision that was being prepared by Cmmr. Neeper's office. On May 19, 1998, Stanley W. Hulett of Southwest, met with David M. Gamson, adv. to Cmmr. Neeper, Cmmr. Conlon, and Cmmr. Bilas in three separate telephone calls. With Gamson, Hulett was advised that the decision to offer the alternate decision had been reconsidered because of outstanding procedural questions regarding the settlement agreement and factual questions regarding local citizens' participation in the process, and that the alternate decision would be available for use, if another Commissioner decides to offer an alternate decision. With Cmmr. Conlon, the discussion involved a request to the Commissioner that the draft decision to be held to permit the Company to continue to solicit support for an alternate decision. With Cmmr. Bilas, Southwest requested that the draft decision to be held to permit the Company to clear up the confusion regarding the events surrounding the application, the settlement agreement, and overall procedural process.

Filer: Southwest Gas Corp.

Contact: Keith Brown

Phone: (702) 876-7157

Summary: On May 20, 1998, Stanley W. Hulett, representative of Southwest Gas Corporation (Southwest), communicated with Cmmrs. Bilas and Conlon in two separate telephone calls. Hulett asked Cmmr. Bilas whether the draft decision would be held from the May 21, 1998 agenda. The call with Cmmr. Conlon was to confirm Cmmr. Conlon's decision to sponsor an alternate decision supporting the settlement agreement and that such a decision would also address providing service to remaining areas of Truckee that would not be served in Phase III, as envisioned in the settlement agreement.

Filer: Southwest Gas Corp.

Contact: Keith Brown

Phone: (702) 876-7157

Summary: On May 19, 1998, Christopher A. Hilen, attorney for Southwest Gas Corporation (Southwest), communicated with David M. Gamson, adv. to Cmmr. Neeper. Hilen was advised that the decision to offer the alternate decision on May 21, 1998, had been reconsidered because of outstanding procedural questions regarding the settlement agreement and factual questions regarding local citizens' participation in the process. The discussion also involved: (1) identifying the parties to the original cost cap settlement in A94-01-021; (2) discussing whether the cost cap was at issue I A93-12-042, and (3) whether this application would impact the settlement agreement in A93-12-042.

Filer: Southwest Gas Corp.

Contact: Keith Brown

Phone: (702) 876-7157

5/22/98

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

Summary: C. Petheram, Case Manager of Pacific Bell, submits notice of the following ex parte communication. On April 29, 1998 through May 19, 1998, Marin J. Barab, Beverly Hills Chamber of Commerce; Ray Haugh, Ray Haugh Insurance Agency; Leslie T Himes, Chatsworth Chamber of Commerce; Roger Hemme, Board of Lancaster Chamber of Commerce; Warren Schmuki, Bell Chamber of Commerce; Gary Negrete, La Mirada Chamber of Commerce; Russell E. Griffith, Encinitas North Coast Chamber of Commerce; Ave Beringer, Downtown Association of San Francisco; South Orange County Chamber of Commerce Resolution, sent letters to Cmmr. Bilas and copies to Cmmrs. Conlon, Duque, Knight, Neepner and Executive Director, Wesley Franklin. The letters (attached to the notice) were in support of Pacific Bells entry into the long distance market.

Filer: Pacific Bell

Contact: Lila Tam

Phone: (415) 542-9268

- 5/22/98 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 May 19, 1998, Jana Corey, Director - Regulatory Relations, Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E), telephoned David Gamson, adv. to Cmmr. Neepner. James Hendry, adv. to Cmmr. Conlon and Antonio Alvarez, Director of Risk Management, Gas and Electric Supply, PG&E, were also present. Corey stated that the draft decision would reduce PG&E's hedging limits in proportion to its divestiture of its fossil-fuel generating plants. Corey also stated that PG&E should be allowed to use gas-based financial instruments until the end of the rate freeze. Alvarez expressed concern with language in the draft order stating that the requested hedging transactions have the potential to influence the market-clearing price in an anti-competitive fashion. He stated that PG&E believes that there is no basis to conclude that the use of gas-based hedging could influence PX price or lead to anticompetitive effects on the PX.

Filer: Pacific Gas and Electric Company

Contact: Heidi Holzhauser

Phone: (415) 972-5611

RESOLUTION REGARDING RATIFICATION OF PRELIMINARY DETERMINATIONS OF CATEGORY

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

5/21/98 ALJ - 176-2993 Ratification of preliminary determinations of category for proceedings initiated by application. The preliminary determinations are pursuant to Article 2.5, Rules 4 and 6.1 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure. (See also Rule 63.2(c) regarding notice of assignment.)
Adopted. The preliminary determination schedule is shown below.

PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION SCHEDULES

Resolution ALJ 176-2993 (5/21/98)

ASSIGNMENTS

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A98-04-063	Telecom Resources, Inc., for registration as an interexchange carrier telephone Corporation	* RATESETTING	RATESETTING	NO
A98-04-064	Business Technology Systems, Inc., for registration as an interexchange carrier telephone corporation	*RATESETTING	RATESETTING	NO
A98-04-065	George W. Goldthorpe, for exemption from the Moratorium on new water service connections in the Montara-Moss Beach District as set out in D86-05-078	RATESETTING	RATESETTING	YES
A98-04-066	Mini-Bus Systems, Inc., dba SuperShuttle San Gabriel for Carl Melvin to sell his shares and Fazi Bostajani to exercise his option to purchase said share of stock, pursuant to section 851 of PU code	RATESETTING	RATESETTING	NO

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DUQUE	WALKER
CONLON	ROSENTHAL

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A98-05-004	Pacific Gas and Electric Company, to establish the eligibility and seek recovery of certain electric industry restructuring implementation costs as provided for in Public Utilities Code Section 376	RATESETTING	RATESETTING	YES	BILAS	CRAGG/ MINKIN
A98-05-006	San Diego Gas & Electric Company, for (1) a determination of eligibility for recovery under Public Utilities Code section 376 of certain cost categories and activities, (2) a finding of reasonableness of the costs incurred through 12/31/97, (3) approval of an audit methodology for verifying the eligibility of section 376 costs for recovery from 1998 through 2001, and (4) approval of a section 376 balancing account mechanism to recover eligible costs	RATESETTING	RATESETTING	YES	BILAS	CRAGG/ MINKIN
A98-05-007	Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for authority to adopt a revenue-sharing mechanism and other prerequisites for new non-tariffed products and services	RATESETTING	RATESETTING	YES	BILAS	WEISSMAN

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A98-05-008	California-American Water Company, for authority to establish a balancing account for costs related to mandatory conservation in Monterey Division	RATESETTING	RATESETTING	YES	DUQUE	KOTZ
A98-05-009	California-American Water Company, for an order authorizing it to increase its rates for water service in its Monterey Division	RATESETTING	RATESETTING	YES	DUQUE	KOTZ
A98-05-010	California-American Water Company, for an order imposing a moratorium on all new or expanded water service connections in Monterey Division	RATESETTING	RATESETTING	YES	DUQUE	KOTZ
A98-05-011	California-American Water Company, for an order authorizing adoption of Rule No. 14.2 and tariff schedule Nos. MO-8A and MO-8B	RATESETTING	RATESETTING	YES	DUQUE	KOTZ
A98-05-013	Southern California Edison Company, for approval of demand-side management shareholder incentives for 1997 program year accomplishments and the second installment of shareholder incentives for the 1996 program year	RATESETTING	RATESETTING	YES	NEEPER	GOTTSTEIN

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A98-05-014	Southern California Edison Company, to report on the valuation process for certain generation-related assets pursuant to D97-11-074	QUASI-LEGISLATIVE AND RATESETTING (BIFURCATED)	RATESETTING	YES	CONLON	CAREAGA
A98-05-015	Southern California Edison Company, to address restructuring implementation costs pursuant to Public Utilities Code section 376, in compliance with Ordering Paragraph 18 of D97-11-074	RATESETTING	RATESETTING	YES	BILAS	CRAGG/ MINKIN
A98-05-016	National Telephone Company, Inc., for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to offer local exchange access telephone service	RATESETTING	RATESETTING	NO	KNIGHT	O'DONNELL
A98-05-017	Red & White Ferries, Inc., for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to establish and operate scheduled and on-call vessel common carrier service between the Aircraft Carrier Hornet docked in Alameda on the one hand and San Francisco Ferry Building Pier 1/2 and Fisherman's Wharf Ferry Terminal Pier 43 1/2 on the other hand	RATESETTING	RATESETTING	NO	DUQUE	MCVICAR

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A98-05-018	Southern California Gas Company, for authority to increase its gas revenue requirements to reflect its accomplishments for demand-side management program years 1994, 1995, and 1996 in the 1997 annual earnings assessment proceeding	RATESETTING	RATESETTING	YES	NEEPER	GOTTSTEIN
A98-05-019	San Diego Gas and Electric Company, for authority to increase its authorized return on common equity, to adjust its existing ratemaking capital structure, to adjust its authorized embedded costs of debt and preferred stock, to decrease its overall rate of return, and to revise its electric distribution and gas rates accordingly	QUASI-LEGISLATIVE	RATESETTING	YES	BILAS	BARNETT
A98-05-020	American Farm Bureau, Inc., dba The Farm Bureau Connection, for registration as an interexchange carrier telephone corporation	* RATESETTING	RATESETTING	NO	N/A	EXAMINER LEUTZA

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A98-05-021	Pacific Gas and Electric Company, Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for authority to establish its authorized rates of return on common equity for electric distribution and gas distribution, and establish its unbundled rates of return for calendar year 1999 for electric distribution and gas distribution	RATESETTING	RATESETTING	YES	BILAS	BARNETT
A98-05-022	Pacific Gas and Electric Company, to report assessments of inventory balances and to address appraisal of retained generation assets	RATESETTING	RATESETTING	YES	CONLON	CAREAGA
A98-05-024	Southern California Edison Company, or 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	QUASI-LEGISLATIVE	RATESETTING	YES	BILAS	BARNETT
A98-05-026	LDI Solutions, Inc., for a certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to resell local exchange telecommunications services	RATESETTING	RATESETTING	NO	KNIGHT	O'DONNELL

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A98-05-027	San Gabriel Valley Water Company, for authorization to (1) obtain debt capital not to exceed \$30,000,000, and (2) obtain exemption from the competitive bidding rule	RATESETTING	RATESETTING	NO	N/A	EXAMINER EVANS
A98-05-028	FreeCall, Inc., for registration as an interexchange carrier telephone corporation	*RATESETTING	RATESETTING	NO	N/A	EXAMINER LEUTZA
A98-05-029	Ponderosa Water Company, Inc., to sell the water system in Tuolumne County to Tuolumne Utilities District	RATESETTING	RATESETTING	NO	DUQUE	WALKER

* NDIEC Registration Application