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#### **REGULAR COMMISSION BUSINESS MEETINGS**

July 2, 1998	10 am	San Francisco
July 23, 1998	10 am	San Francisco
August 6, 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.

June 29, 1998	1:30 pm	San Francisco
July 20, 1998	1:30 pm	San Francisco
August 3, 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

To purchase Commission documents, there is a charge of 20 cents a printed page (postage prepaid) with a minimum purchase of \$2.00.

The **Payphone Service Enforcement Committee** submitted to the Executive Director of the Commission a proposed budget and a surcharge recommendation. Copies have been

served to the service list in I.88-04-029. Any protests must be made in writing and received within 20 days to the Director of the Telecommunications Division in Room 3210, 505 Van Ness Ave. in San Francisco, California 94102.

#### **GLOSSARY**

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

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

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agenda items available at the time of the agenda distribution date, which is usually 10 to 12 days prior to the Commission meeting. If agenda items (including revisions) are not ready on the distribution date, they will be made available at no charge in the lobby outside the Commission Auditorium at 9:00 a.m. on the morning of the Commission meeting, but not earlier.

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#### **COMMISSIONER OFFICE HOURS**

(For further information or to make an appointment, please contact Sandra Graham at

(213) 897-3544).

Date/Time Commissioner

**NONE** 

**Location** 

#### **PUBLIC MEETINGS & WORKSHOPS**

### Public Meetings: Public Policy Payphones

The Telecommunications Division will be holding Public Meetings on Public Policy Payphones seeking input from the public regarding the implementation of a statewide Public Policy Payphone Program in compliance with FCC orders. Public Policy Payphones are payphones made available to the general public in the interest of public health, safety and welfare at locations where there would not otherwise be a payphone. The schedule follows:

June 25, 1998 7 - 9 pm	City Council Chambers 2000 Main Street <b>Huntington Beach</b> , CA 92648
June 29, 1998	Fresno City Hall, City Council Chambers
7 - 9 pm	2600 Fresno Street

Contact Persons: Robert Weissman at 415-703-1989 or Linda Rochester at 415-703-2770.

Fresno, CA 93721

## **Public Meeting**

June 24, 1998	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
9 am - 12 noon	1939 Harrison Street
	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland

The <u>DDTP DATABASE CENTRALIZATION PROJECT</u> of the Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will hold a meeting. For more information about the meeting, or if you plan to attend the meeting and need sign language interpretation or real-time captioning, contact Elana Kalisher at (510) 874-1410/Voice or (510) 874-1411/TTY. <u>Environmental Reminder</u>: Please refrain from wearing perfumes or scents to DDTP meetings, because people with environmental illness or multiple chemical sensitivity must reduce their exposure in order to attend.

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9:30 - 3 pm	1314 7 <sup>th</sup> Street (7 <sup>th</sup> and Arizona Street)
	Santa Monica

The ULTS Marketing Board (ULTSMB) will hold its regular meeting to: Review/Approve Meeting Mintues, Review/Approve Administrative Report, Review/Approve Briefing from Meeting with Commissioner Knight and Possible Action Items for Interim Marketing, PUC Report, Review/Approve Response to PUC Teleconferencing Decision 98-04-067, Review/Approve RFP Contract, 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**

June 25, 1998	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
9 am - 12 noon	1939 Harrison Street
	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland

The <u>NATURAL DISASTERS SUB-COMMITTEE</u> of the Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will hold a meeting. For more information about the meeting, or if you plan to attend the meeting and need sign language interpretation or real-time captioning, contact Elana Kalisher at (510) 874-1410/Voice or (510) 874-1411/TTY. <u>Environmental Reminder</u>: Please refrain from wearing perfumes or scents to DDTP meetings, because people with environmental illness or multiple chemical sensitivity must reduce their exposure in order to attend.

#### Public Meeting PLEASE NOTE NEW DATE!

June 25, 1998	Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center
9:30 am - 4 pm	851 Howard Street
	(1 blk west of Moscone Center)
	San Francisco

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 .

June 25, 1998	Carson Conference Center
9 am - 5 pm	Carson Community Center
Electric Education Trust	801 East Carson Street
Administrative Committee	Carson

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 PLEASE NOTE: AN ADDITIONAL DATE HAS BEEN ADDED!

June 25, 1998	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
1 pm - 5 pm	1939 Harrison Street
	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
and	Oakland
June 26, 1998 10 am - 4 pm	

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**

June 26, 1998	Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center
9:30 am - 4 pm	851 Howard Street
	(1 blk west of Moscone Center)
	San Francisco

The Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) to the California Board for Energy Efficiency (CBEE) will meet to discuss the status of the California Board for Energy Efficiency; the meeting will include a discussion of the Board's activities, the status of administrative support, the schedule for the new administrator, and how a transition to a new administrator can occur in 1999. There will be a discussion of proposed recommendations to the CBEE on Program Classification, Cost-effectiveness, Capability of Market Transformation, and Market Assessment; a discussion of the status of 1998 energy efficiency programs; a discussion of energy efficiency programs for 1999, including market segments and market actors; a discussion of TAC report to the California Board for Energy Efficiency; and discussion of future activities.

The contact person the Chair of the TAC Wm. Stevens Taber, Jr. at 415-457-1848. For further details about CBEE and this meeting consult the CBEE Web Page at www.cbee.org.

## **Public Meeting**

June 29, 1998	Pacific Gas and Electric Company
9 am - 5 pm	77 Beale Street, Room 301B
	(between Market and Mission)
	San Francisco

The Revenue Cycle Services Safety Working Group (R.98-01-011, Rulemaking on the Commission's Own Motion to Assess and Revise the Regulatory Structure Governing California's Natural Gas Industry) will meet to discuss the draft report outline, Report of the Natural Gas Revenue Cycle Services Safety Working Group, sections 2.3.3.5, and 4 through 8.5, as prepared by ORA with comments from parties provided as of June 15, then revised by SCG. The process for drafting the report will also be discussed. Time permitting, the previously distributed safety issue tables and the Legal Committee draft work product will be discussed, as will committee structure and next steps. The workshop is open to public and is wheelchair accessible. For more information, contact Barbara Hale (Ph:415-703-3200, fax: 415-703-1723; e-mail:bar@cpuc.ca.gov).

### Public Meeting PLEASE NOTE NEW TIME!

June 30, 1998	Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center
10 am - 5 pm	851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone
	Center)
Designated Conference Leader:	San Francisco
Dennis Guido/PG&E	To join via teleconference:
	Dial: (212) 293-3180
Reservation No. 4074787	Passcode: 3823526#

As provided for in Public Utilities Commission D.97-09-117, one or more LIGB Advisory Committee members may be participating in this meeting via teleconference. Members of the public may participate in the meeting by calling **the above number** on the day of the meeting. If you experience difficulty in trying to access this conference call, please contact Confertech at 1-800-252-5150.

The Low Income Governing Board Advisory Committee (LIGBAC) will meet on the following agenda: Welcome and Introduction Chairperson's report, review meeting minutes, public comments, substitutiative program designs, other business. These meetings are open to the public. You can get the materials for this meeting by phoning the LIGBAC at 415 703-2565 and leaving a message with your name, phone and fax number at least 24 hours in advance of the meeting time.

June 30, 1998 1:30 pm - 4:30 pm	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program 1939 Harrison Street DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland

The <u>Finance Sub-Committee</u> of the Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will hold a meeting. For more information about the meeting, or if you plan to attend the meeting and need sign language interpretation or real-time captioning, contact Elana Kalisher at 510 874-1410/Voice or 510.874.1411/TTY.

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## **Public Meeting**

July 1, 1998	Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center
8:30 am - 3 pm	851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone
	Center)
Designated Conference Leader:	San Francisco
Dennis Guido/PG&E	To join via teleconference:
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## **Public Meeting**

July 1, 1998	California Public Utilities Commission
9:30 am - 10:30 pm	505 Van Ness Avenue, Roon 3212
	(Corner of Van Ness and McAllister)
	San Francisco

The Interim Administrative Committee will hold a meeting. The purpose of the meeting is to consider whether to submit reply comments on tax issues and other matters that parties raised in their opening comments filed on June 19, 1998, regarding the Assigned Commissioner's Ruling Proposing Method for Implementing the CHCF-B and Associated Rate Reductions to address tax issues and other. The contact person for this meeting is Brian Roberts at (415).703-2334.

July 1, 1998	California Public Utilities Commission

10 am - 3 pm	505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 4206
	San Francisco

The TDD Placement Interim Committee will conduct a monthly meeting. For more information, please contact Adam Thaler at (415) 703-1157.

## **Public Meeting**

July 7, 1998	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
10 am - 4 pm	1939 Harrison Street
	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland

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

July 7, 1998	Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center
9:30 am - 4 pm	851 Howard Street
	(1 blk west of Moscone Center)
and	San Francisco
July 8, 1998	
9 am to 2 pm	

The California Board for Energy Efficiency will meet to discuss the status of administrative and technical services to CBEE; the Interim Opinion: Policy Rules and Request for Proposals for Energy Efficiency Program Administrators (D. 98-04-063); the Interim Opinion: Extension of Interim Administrators for Energy Efficiency and Low Income Programs in R.94-04-031/I.94-04-032; the status of Assembly Bill 2461 and related legislation; CBEE program planning for 1999; Interim Administrators second quarterly status report; and updates on and the status of the RFP for independent administration and associated Commission decisions, CBEE work plans and schedules, issues related to utility assets and liabilities, verification and other reporting requirements, and the Technical Advisory Committee and Board operational matters. The contact person is Sara Myers, (415) 387-1904. For further details about CBEE and this meeting consult the CBEE Web Page at www.cbee.org .

If necessary, immediately following the conclusion of the public meeting, the CBEE 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

July 8, 1998	California Energy Commission
9 am - 5 pm	1516 Ninth Street
Electric Education Trust	Sacramento

The Administrative Committee of the Electric Education Trust (EET) meets to develop a near-term education plan for electric restructuring and an implementation work plan for a CBO grant program. The contact person is William Schulte at (415) 703-2349.

## **Public Meeting**

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

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

July 14, 1998   Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center
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10 am - 5 pm	851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone
	Center)
Designated Conference Leader:	San Francisco
Dennis Guido/PG&E	To join via teleconference:
	Dial: (212) 293-3180
Reservation No. 4074787	Passcode: 3823526#

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## **Public Meeting**

July 15, 1998	Pacific Gas and Electric Company Energy Center
8:30 am - 3 pm	851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone
	Center)
Designated Conference Leader:	San Francisco
Dennis Guido/PG&E	To join via teleconference:
	Dial: (212) 293-3180
Reservation No. 4074787	Passcode: 3823526#

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July 21, 1998	West Bay Conference Center
9 am - 5 pm	1290 Fillmore Street

Electric Education Trust	San Francisco

The Administrative Committee of the Electric Education Trust (EET) meets to develop and implement a near-term education plan for electric restructuring and to prepare an implementation work plan for a CBO grant program. The contact person is William Schulte at (415) 703-2349.

## **Public Meeting**

July 22, 1998	California Public Utilities Commission	
Lottery begins at 1:30 pm	505 Van Ness Avenue, Training Room	
	San Francisco	

LOTTERY FOR TELEPHONE NUMBER PREFIX ASSIGNMENTS IN THE 209, 213/323, 310, 408/831, 415, 510/925, 619, 714/949, 805, 818/626, 909, AND 916/530 NUMBERING PLAN AREAS

The Telecommunications Division of the California Public Utilities Commission will be conducting a lottery to determine allocations of central office codes (NXXs) in the 209, 213/323, 310, 408, 415, 510/925, 619, 714/949, 805, 818/626, 909, and 916/530 area codes pursuant to the provisions of D.96-09-087. Applications should be submitted to the California Code Administrator prior to the close of business on JULY 14, 1998. For information on the lottery process, call (415) 703- 1879. If specialized accommodations for the disabled are needed, call the Public Advisor at (415) 703-2032 five working days in advance of the event.

#### Public Meeting PLEASE NOTE: NEW LOCATION!

July 24, 1998 10 am - 4 pm	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program Holiday Inn/Santa Barbara-Goleta 5650 Calle Real Goleta
	Directions: (805) 964-6241 Room: Inquire at reception desk

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

## **Public Meeting**

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

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#### **Public Meeting**

August 13, 1998	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
9:30 am - 3:30 pm	1939 Harrison Street
	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland

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

## **Public Meeting**

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

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

6/9/98	C98-06-036	Edith W. Albright vs. Southern California Gas Company, for improper charges of gas services
6/16/98	A98-06-012	Amended - City of Sacramento, for an order authorizing the construction of a bike path crossing at separated grades of the Union Pacific Railroad at Mile Post 90.34, Martinez Subdivision, in the City of Sacramento; Adds the second crossing
6/18/98	A98-06-035	Eagle Telecom Inc., dba Ron Jaworski Communications, for registration as an interexchange carrier telephone corporation pursuant to the provisions of the Public Utilities code section 1013
6/22/98	I95-04-044	Amended - Petition #106, RCN Telecom Services of California, Inc., for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide facilities-based and resold competitive local carrier services; Amends description of the proposed services; identification of franchises and health and safety permits; public convenience and necessity statement; estimated costs; and environmental assessment

## PETITIONS FOR MODIFICATION AND APPLICATIONS FOR REHEARING

#### **NONE**

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

6/18/98 C97-04-025 ARCO Products Company, Mobil Oil Corporation, and

Texaco Refining and Marketing, Inc., complainants vs. SFPP, L.P., defendant; **Proposed decision of ALJ** 

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#### **ADVICE LETTER FILINGS**

#### **NONE**

# MISCELLANEOUS TRANSPORTATION ITEMS June 24, 1998

Filings with Rail Safety and Carriers Division

#### **NONE**

#### ADJOURNMENTS \* RESETTINGS \* SUBMISSIONS

	completed
	related matters, Prehearing Conference held and
A98-05-024	adjust its existing ratemaking capital structure, and
A98-05-021	increase its authorized return on common equity, to
A98-05-019	Barnett-San Diego Gas and Electric for authority to

#### REMOVALS FROM CALENDAR

#### **NONE**

NEW SETTINGS		
7/10/98 ALJ Galvin Comr Conlon	1:30 p.m. A98-04-048	(PHC)-Pacific Bell for authority to categorize residence inside wire repair as a category III service, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

## 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

6/30/98	9:30 am	NONE SCHEDULED
7/7/98	9:30 am	NONE SCHEDULED
7/30/98	1:30 p.m.	Pacific Enterprises; Enova Corporation; Mineral Energy

A96-10-038

Company; B Mineral Energy Sub; and G Mineral Sub, for approval of a plan of merger of Pacific Enterprises and Enova Corporation, Motion of the assigned ALJ to determine whether the Commission should (i) issue a temporary restraining order to prevent the sale by Southern California Gas Company (SoCalGas) of its options to purchase the California facilities of Kern River Gas Transmission Company and Mojave Pipeline Company to an entity or entities not affiliated with the merged company (the Options) and/or reopen D.98-03-073.

Administrative Law Judge Robert Barnett, Presiding

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

6/24/98 ALJ Kotz Comr Duque	10:00 am A97-03-052	(PHC)-California-American Water Company, for a certificate that the present ad future public convenience and necessity requires applicant to construct and operate the 24,000 acre-foot Carmel River Dam and Reservoir in the Monterey Division and to recover all present and future costs in
	A98-05-008	connection therewith in rates, and (PHC)-California-American Water Company, for authority to establish a balancing account for costs related to mandatory conservation in the Monterey
	A98-05-009	Division, and (PHC)-California-American Water Company, for an order authorizing it to increase its rates for water
	A98-05-010	service in its Monterey Division, and (PHC)-California-American Water Company, for an order imposing a more torium on all new or expended
	A98-05-011	order imposing a moratorium on all new or expanded water service connections in the Monterey Division, and
		(PHC)-California-American Water Company, for an order authorizing adoption of Rule No. 14.2 and Tariff Schedule Nos. MO-8A and MO-8B, Conference Center, Hyatt Regency Hotel, 1 Old Golf Course Road, Monterey
6/24/98 ALJ Malcolm Comr Duque	10:00 am A97-11-004 A97-11-011 A97-12-012	(EH)-Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company, to identify by other entities and to propose credits for end-use customers in such circumstances for implementation no later than January 1, 1997, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
6/24/98 ALJ Bennett Comr Bilas	1:00 pm C.97-11-014	(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
6/25/98 ALJ Minkin Comr Bilas	10:00 am A98-05-004 A98-05-006 A98-05-015	(PHC)-Pacific Gas and Electric Company, to establish the eligibility and seek recovery of certain electric industry restructuring implementation costs as provided for in Public Utilities Code Section 376, and (PHC)-San Diego Gas & Electric Company, for (1) a determination of eligibility for recovery under Public

		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, and (PHC)-Southern California Edison Company, to address restructuring implementation costs pursuant to Public Utilities Code Section 376, in compliance with Ordering Paragraph 18 of D.97-11-074, 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 R98-03-040	(CA)-Pacific Bell, for a third triennial review of the regulatory framework adopted in D89-10-031, and (CA)-Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion, into the third triennial review of the regulatory framework adopted in D89-10-031 for GTE California Incorporated and Pacific Bell.,  Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
6/26/98 ALJ Barnett	10:00 am C98-05-042	(ECP)-Doreen Charles vs. GTE California Incorporated, for overpayment in the amounts of \$2,158.09 and \$365.00, Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles
6/26/98 ALJ Weissman Comr Knight	10:30 a.m. R98-01-011	(PHC-Discovery Conference)-Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion to assess and revise the regulatory structure governing California's natural gas industry Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

6/29/98 ALJ McVicar Comr Duque	9:00 am A97-11-007 A97-11-008	(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 o 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
6/29/98 ALJ Ryerson Comr Bilas	10:00 am I98-02-026	(EH)-Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission's own motion into the operations and practices of Paradise Movers LLC, and its chief executive officer, James Shiloh, Veteran's Affairs Building, 1227 O Street, Fourth Floor, Sacramento (also June 30, Sacramento)
6/29/98 ALJ Walwyn Comr. Knight	10:30 a.m. A97-03-004	(FOA)-Final Oral Argument in the Matter of Application of Pacific Bell (U 1001 C), a corporation for approval of rate reductions to offset the explicit subsidy support ordered in Decision 96-10-066.  Commission Auditorium, San Francisco
6/30/98 ALJ Bennett Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. C97-08-036	(PHC)-Lynda Dabrowski vs. MCI Telecommunications Corporation, for raising rates on collects calls from California prisons, Planning & Development Services Department, 1231 I Street, Room 102, Sacramento
6/30/98 ALJ Careaga Comr Conlon	1:30 p.m. A98-01-015	(PHC)-Application of Southern California Gas Company for authority pursuant to Public Utilities Code Section 851 to sell its storage field in Montebello, California Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
7/1/98 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 July 2 and 3, San Francisco)
7/6/98 ALJ Ryerson Comr Duque	1:00 p.m. C98-02-044	(EH)-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
7/7/98 ALJ Bennett Comr Duque	10:00 am 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, etc., Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles (also July 8- 10, Los Angeles)
7/7/98 ALJ Kotz Comr Conlon-	1:30 pm C96-05-010	(EH)-Alfred Sacker vs. Southern Pacific Lines, for repair of rail crossings n the City of Whittier, to make them safe and usable, Whittier Community Center Theatre, 7630 South Washington Avenue, Whittier
7/8/98 ALJ Weiss Comr Neeper	1:00 p.m. C98-04-057	(EH)-Ronald D. Johnson vs. Big Hill Water Company for overpayment and account verification Council Chambers, City Hall, 94 N. Washington Street, Sonora
7/10/98 ALJ Galvin Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. R97-10-018	(PHC)-Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking, on the Commission's own motion to design and implement a program that provides for publicly available telecommunications device capable of servicing the needs of the deaf or hearing impaired in existing buildings, structures, facilities, and public accommodations
7/10/98 ALJ Galvin Comr Conlon	1:30 p.m. A98-04-048	Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (PHC)-Pacific Bell for authority to categorize residence inside wire repair as a category III service, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
7/13/98 ALJ Malcolm Comr Duque	9:30 am A97-11-004 A97-11-011 A97-12-012	(CA)-Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company, to identify by other entities and to propose credits for end-use customers in such circumstances for implementation no later than January 1, 1997, and related matters,

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		Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
7/13/98 ALJ McVicar Comr Duque	2:00 p.m. A98-05-037	(PHC)-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 Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
7/14/98 ALJ Gottstein Comr Duque	9:00 am A97-12-043	(OA)-Southern California Edison Company, for an order approving termination agreement for termination of Interim Standard Offer No. 4 Power Purchase Agreement with Harbor Cogeneration Company,  Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
7/14/98 ALJ Weiss Comr Duque	9:30 a.m. A98-03-020	(EH)-Dominguez Water Company, Russian River Management Company, dba Rancho del Paradiso Water Company, and Phillip, Janet, Jesse and Gaye Guidotti, for an ex parte order authorizing the acquisition of substantially all of the utility assets of Rancho Del Paradiso Water Company by Dominguez Water Company
	A98-03-021	(EH)-Application of Dominguez Water Company (U-330-W), Russian River Management Company dba Armstrong Valley Water Company (U-107-W) and Phillip, Janet, Jesse and Gaye Guidotti for an ex parte order authorizing the acquisition of substantially all of the utility assets of Armstrong Valley Water Company by Dominguez Water Company Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
7/15/98 ALJ Weiss Comr Duque	9:30 a.m A98-02-028	(EH)-Dominguez Water Corporation, Lucerne Water Company, and Robert and Nadine Strauss, for an order authorizing the acquisition of substantially all of the utility assets of Lucerne Water Company by Dominguez Water Corporation, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
7/16/98 ALJ Walwyn Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. C98-03-053	(PHC)-MCI Telecommunications Corporation vs. Pacific Bell for violations of provisions of the PU Code, the Telecommunications Act of 1996, sections of Title 47 of the Code of Federal Regulations, and the California Unfair Business Practices Act. Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

7/17/98 ALJ O'Donnell Comr Neeper	10:00 a.m A98-03-015	(PHC)-Application of Coral Communications, Inc., dba Florida Coral Communications, Inc. for registration as an Interexchange Carrier Telephone Corporation pursuant to the provisions of Public Utilities Code Section 1013 and Commission Decision 97-06-107, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
7/20/98 ALJ Weiss Comr Duque	9:30 a.m. C98-01-032	(EH)-Eric Diesel vs. Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for failure to comply with a California Public Utilities Commission decision and for failure to exercise good faith in installing power lines on complainant's property, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also July 21-24
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	(EH)-Pacific Bell, for authority to categorize business inside wire repair, interexchange carrier directory assistance, and limited call control service as Category III services, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also August 4-7, San Francisco)
8/3/98 ALJ Barnett Comr Knight	10:00 a.m. A95-05-049 A94-05-044 A93-05-044	(EH)-Southern California Edison Company, for authority to revise its energy cost adjustment bill factors, its electric revenue adjustment billing factors, its low-income rate assistance, and its base rate levels effective 1/1/1996; to revise the incremental energy rate, the energy reliability index, and avoidable capacity cost pricing, etc., and related matters, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also August 4 and 5, San Francisco)

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8/10/98 ALJ Weiss Comr Neeper	10:00 am A98-03-024	(EH)-Apple Valley Ranchos Water Company, for authority to increase rates by \$1,295,453 or 15.1% in 1999; \$279,216 or 2.8% in 2000; by \$280,577 or 2.7% in 2001, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also, August 11-14)
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
8/17/98 ALJ Stalder Comr Duque	9:00 am A89-03-026	(EH)-Southern California Edison Company, for a certificate to construct and operate a 220 kV transmission line between Kramer substation and Victor substation in San Bernardino Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also August 18-21, San Francisco).
8/17/98 ALJ Barnett Comr Bilas	11:00 a.m. C98-04-019	(PHC)-Utility Reform Network and Office of Ratepayer Advocates vs. Southern California Edison Company, for violation of the affiliate transaction rules, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
8/24/98 ALJ Bennett ALJ Knight	10:00 am C97-09-024	(EH)-Snow Valley, Inc., vs. Southern California Edison Company, for unjust, unreasonable and discriminatory rates and charges, for improper charges for construction of a power substation, City Hall, 3900 Main Street, Third Floor Conference Room, Riverside (also August 25, Riverside)

9/14/98 ALJ Bushey Comr Neeper	10:00 am 198-03-039	(EH)-Commission Order Instituting Investigation into the operations, practices and conduct of Americans Tele-Network Corporation (ATN) John W. Little, President of ATN, and Geri Clary, Controller of ATN, to determine whether the corporation or its principals have violated Rule 1 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure or have violated the laws, rules and regulations governing the manner in which California consumers are switched from one long distance carrier to another,  Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also September 15 and 16, San Francisco)
9/28/98 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**

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Summary: On June 10, 1998, Jack Leutza, Director of the Commission's Telecommunications Division, met with Cmmr. Knight in San Francisco. Also present were: Dave Shantz, Hassan Mirza and Joseph Abhulimen, senior members of the Telecommunications Division; and Barbara Perkins, Chair, Gary Beckman, a member, and Terry Wilson-Gray, Executive Director, of the Universal Lifeline Telephone Service Marketing Board (Board). Written material (attached to the notice) was used. Referring to the RFP contract, the Board suggested a goal oriented general RFP with or without a proforma contract attached.

Filer: ORA-Thayer Contact: Susie Toy Phone: (415) 703-1858

6/19/98	R95-04-043	Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion into
		competition for local exchange service and
	195-04-044	Investigation on the Commission's own motion into
		competition for local exchange service.

**Summary:** On June 4, 1998, David A. Jones, Legislative Representative for the League of California Cities (League), sent a letter to Cmmrs. Bilas, Conlon, Duque, Knight and Neeper, ALJ Pulsifer, and John Leutza, Director of Commission Telecommunications Division. The letter notes that several parties to the Commission's Rights-of-Way proceeding have urged the Commission to assert jurisdiction over disputes between local authorities and competitive local carriers regarding access to publicly-owned facilities and rights-of-way. League urged the Commission not to take any action based upon anecdotal evidence without giving the League and its members an opportunity to respond. The letter is attached to the notice.

Filer: League of California Cities

Contact: Mimi Sharpe Phone: (916) 658-8200

6/22/98 A96-06-049 Southern California Gas Company, for authority to offer

on a tariffed basis, a new service consisting of the installation of automatic earthquake gas shut-off valves

owned by other persons.

Summary: On June 17, 1998, Claudine Swartz, State Regulatory Relations Manager for Southern California Gas Company (SoCalGas), contacted James Hendry, adv. to Cmmr. Conlon, at the Commission's offices two times. Swartz stated that SoCalGas supported the draft decision because it adopts SoCalGas' proposal to tighten conditions on independent contractors allowed to install valves for customers and valve vendors on SoCalGas' side of the meter. She said that the utility does not care if the Commission keeps the docket open for six months, as long as the newly established rules do not automatically sunset six months after adoption. Swartz agreed that similar issues can be and are being considered under proceeding R98-01-011. Swartz stated that SoCalGas has been able to limit cost increases to contractors by proposing focused safety inspection of valve installations, and by planning to schedule valve installation inspections on routes.

Filer: Southern California Gas Company

Contact: Artemis Manos Phone: (213) 895-5236