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## **Daily Calendar Tuesday, February 9, 1999**

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**REGULAR COMMISSION BUSINESS MEETINGS**

February 18, 1999	10 am	San Francisco
March 4, 1999	10 am	San Francisco
March 18, 1999	10 am	San Francisco

**REGULAR COMMISSION ADMINISTRATIVE MEETINGS**

February 9, 1999	4 pm	San Francisco
February 16, 1999	4 pm	San Francisco
February 23, 1999	4 pm	San Francisco
March 2, 1999	4 pm	San Francisco
March 9, 1999	4 pm	San Francisco
March 16, 1999	4 pm	San Francisco
March 23, 1999	4 pm	San Francisco
March 30, 1999	4 pm	San Francisco

For further information contact the Public Advisor  
(415) 703-2074, E-mail: [public.advisor@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto:public.advisor@cpuc.ca.gov)

**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.*

February 16, 1999	1:30 pm	San Francisco
March 1, 1999	1:30 pm	San Francisco
March 15, 1999	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.

***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.

**SUBSCRIPTION INFORMATION**

***Subscription Notice for Draft Agenda Items***

In compliance with Public Utilities Code Section 311.5, parties who wish to subscribe to receive draft agenda items may do so by writing to the Public Utilities Commission; Attention: Poly Arca, Room 1003; 505 Van Ness Avenue; San Francisco, CA 94102; or by calling (415) 703-1798. The cost for a one-year subscription to the entire public agenda package (which excludes Executive Session materials) is \$1,000. You may also order a partial agenda package (energy agenda items only or telecommunication agenda items only) at the cost of \$500 per year. The package you receive via mail will include only those agenda items available at the time of the agenda distribution date, which is usually 10 to 12 days prior to the Commission meeting. If agenda items (including revisions) are not ready on the distribution date, they will be made available at no charge in the lobby outside the Commission Auditorium at 9:00 a.m. on the morning of the Commission meeting, but not earlier.

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

If an agenda item is held over to a subsequent Commission meeting, that agenda item and any revisions to that agenda item that were available on the morning of the initial Commission meeting (as well as any further available revisions) will be mailed in the Escutia package for the subsequent Commission meeting; the item and its revisions will also be available for viewing and photocopying in the Commission's Central Files Office and field offices as set forth above.

*Intervenors who have a financial hardship determination pending or granted shall be eligible to receive draft agenda item packets at no charge.*

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**COMMISSIONER OFFICE HOURS**

(For further information or to make an appointment, please contact Sandra Graham at (213) 897-3544).

<u>Date/Time</u>	<u>Commissioner</u>	<u>Location</u>
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NONE

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**PUBLIC MEETINGS & WORKSHOPS**

**Public Meeting - LIGB (revised - website)**

February 9 & 10, 1999  
10 am -4 pm

PG&E Energy Center  
851 Howard Street (between 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Streets)  
Green Room  
San Francisco

The Board will meet to discuss the following topics: report from the Chair; discussion of Draft ACR; discussion of LIGB response to working copy of draft Assigned Commissioner Ruling; discussion of 1999 tasks for the LIGB, including pilot projects and need assessment; 1998 audit; and review and approval of meeting minutes. An agenda for the meeting is being developed and can be obtained from the LIGB's website at . [www.ligb.org](http://www.ligb.org). The meeting is open to the public. For more information contact Sharon Weinberg at (510) 251-2888, extension 2025.

**Public Meeting**

February 10, 1999  
9:30 am - 3:30 pm

California Public Utilities Commission  
505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 3204  
(Corner of Van Ness and McAllister Street)  
San Francisco

The ULTS Marketing Board (ULTSMB) will hold its regular meeting to discuss the following: Review/Approve Meeting Minutes, Review/Approve Administrative Report and Action Items, Review/Approve Administrative Expenses, Review ULTSMB Correspondences, PUC Report and Action Items, Review/Approve Errors and Omissions Insurance, Review Previous Studies and Data, Announcements, Set Agenda Items for Future Discussion and Hear Public Comments. **Executive Session:** The ULTSMB will meet in Executive Session to discuss and render final approval of the Interim Marketing Program RFP and Contract, Review Marketing Program Timeline and Release Date, Brief the RFP Selection Committee, and Discuss the Bidder's Conference. This meeting is open to the public. The Board reserves the right to limit the time allocated to public comments and each speaker. If you would like to join the meeting by phone conference or in person, and/or receive a full meeting packet, please notify the ULTS Trust Office at (510) 452-2757.

**Public Meeting - Technical Advisory Committee (REVISED AS OF 2/2/99)**

February 10, 1999  
9:30 am - 4 pm

Pacific Energy Center  
851 Howard Street, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor  
San Francisco

The Technical Advisory Committee for the California Board for Energy Efficiency will conduct a meeting. The following agenda items will be discussed: Comments on the 1/23/99 Revised Proposed Decision on Long-Term Program Administration, Comments on Detailed 1999 Nonresidential Program Descriptions Provided by Utilities to CBEE, CBEE Response to TAC Recommendations of 1/6/99, Informing CBEE of Marketing Efforts of ESCO's on 1998 SPC, Lunch: Outreach Discussion Group Meeting, Presentation by Gary Anderson on Rules for Bidding Load Management as an Ancillary Service. For more information contact Wm. Stevens Taber, Jr., Chairman, at (415) 457-7498.

**Workshop Notice**

February 10, 1999  
10 am - 5 pm

California Public Utilities Commission  
First Floor Training Room  
505 Van Ness

and if necessary

San Francisco

February 11, 1999  
9 am - 5 pm

Pursuant to Ordering Paragraph 11 in D.98-12-069, in Rulemaking (R) 93-04-003 and Investigation (I) 93-04-002, and R 95-04-043/I.95-04-044, the Telecommunications Division will direct a workshop to review the unbundled switching routing requests which Pacific Bell has denied on the basis of technical infeasibility. The purpose of the workshop is to determine which custom routing functions have already been tested and to review the outcome of the tests so that previous tests will not have to be repeated. For more information contact Telecommunications Division staff member Karen Jones at (415) 703-1955.

Parties are request to provide the Telecommunications Division and parties on the service list for this 271 proceeding with information on technical trials which have already been performed and the outcome of each test. The written information should include the specific routing function being tested, who performed the test, where and how it was performed, and the outcome. The information on technical trials is due Friday, January 29, 1999. Submittals should be sent either by e-mail or by overnight mail. Submittals must also be filed in the Docket Office.

To the extent that parties believe that any of the information on technical trials involves proprietary information, those parties should file a motion for confidential treatment pursuant to Resolution ALJ-164 by January 22, 1999.

**Public Meeting**

February 11, 1999  
10 am -4 pm

Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program  
1939 Harrison Street  
DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555  
Oakland

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

**Public Meeting**

February 17, 1999 (Wednesday)  
9:30 am – 12 noon

California Public Utilities Commission  
505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 3204  
(Corner of Van Ness and McAllister)  
San Francisco

The Administrative Committee of the California High Cost Fund A (CHCF-A), the California High Cost Fund B (CHCF-B), and the California Teleconnect Fund (CTF) will hold a meeting. Following is the agenda for the meeting:

Introduction and public comments

Approve public meeting minutes of 1/8/99

Status report on the selection of a financial institution for CHCF-B and CTF

Letter Request for the selection of a CPA firm for the annual audit of CHCF-A

Review and approve CHCF-B claims and expenses

Review and approve CTF expenses

Review and approve CHCF-A expenses

The contact person for this meeting is Angela Young at 415.703.2837.

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

February 17, 1999

1 pm to 5 pm

Pacific Energy Center

851 Howard Street

San Francisco

Teleconference Information:

This meeting is accessible by teleconference. To call in, dial: 1-888-550-5969. After the prompt, enter the access code followed by the pound sign.

To obtain the access code, please contact Elizabeth Gunn, Board Coordinator, at (415) 703-1956, or by e-mail at (egunn@cpuc.ca.gov).

The California Board for Energy Efficiency (CBEE) will meet to discuss the following topics: Commission Decision on Administrative Structures; Early 1999 Activities and Programs, Including Draft Resolution Extending Bridge Funding; Program Planning for 1999 and Utilities' November 16/17 Advice Letter Filings, Including Program Descriptions for Non-Residential Programs; Market Assessment and Evaluation (MA&E); Reporting Requirements; Response to Energy Division Letter; CBEE Work Plan and Schedule for 1999; Organizational Planning and Staffing; Board Compensation; CBEE Web Site Revisions; Updates and Status Reports from Committees; and Scheduling and Agenda Planning for Future Meetings. The meeting is open to the public. The contact person is Mark Thayer (619) 594-5510. For further information about the CBEE and this meeting consult the CBEE Web Page at ([www.cbee.org](http://www.cbee.org)).

**Public Meeting**

February 17, 1999

1:30 pm -4 pm

California Public Utilities Commission

505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 3204

(Corner of Van Ness Avenue and McAllister Street)

San Francisco

The Universal Lifeline Telephone Service (ULTS) Administrative Committee will hold its regularly scheduled monthly meeting to address the following: Review/Approve Meeting Minutes, Review/Approve Telephone Claims, Review/Approve ULTS/ULTSMB Administrative Expenses and Authorize Administrative Transfer, PUC Report and Action Items, Review/Acceptance of the Amervest Report, Review/Approve Administrative Report and Action Items, set Agenda for future meetings, and Hear Public Comments. This meeting is open to the public. The Board reserves the right to limit the time allocated to public comments and each speaker. If you would like to join the meeting by phone conference and/or receive a meeting packet please notify the ULTS Trust Officer at (510) 452-2757.

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

February 18, 1999

8:30 am to 3 pm

Pacific Energy Center

851 Howard Street

San Francisco

Teleconference Information:

To obtain the access code, please contact Elizabeth Gunn, Board Coordinator, at (415) 703-1956, or by e-mail at [egunn@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto:egunn@cpuc.ca.gov).  
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**Public Meeting**

February 18, 1999  
9 am - 5 pm

California Public Utilities Commission  
505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 2009  
San Francisco

**Electric Education Trust  
Educational Efforts Subcommittee**

The Educational Efforts Subcommittee of the Electric Education Trust meets to prepare a draft report to comply with Decision 98-12-085. The contact person is William Schulte at (415) 703-2349.

**Public Meeting - Joint Sub-Committee Meetings**

February 22, 1999  
10 am - 4 pm

Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program  
1939 Harrison Street  
DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555  
Oakland

The IFB SUB-COMMITTEE and the SPEECH-TO-SPEECH 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**

February 23, 1999  
9:30 am - 2:30 pm

California Public Utilities Commission  
505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 4211  
(Corner of Van Ness Avenue and McAllister Street)  
**San Francisco**

The Payphone Service Providers Enforcement Committee will conduct a bi-monthly meeting. For more information, please contact Adam Thaler at (415) 703-1157.

**Public Meeting**

February 24, 1999  
10 am - 3 pm

California Public Utilities Commission  
505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 4206  
(Corner of Van Ness Avenue and McAllister Street)  
**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 - Joint Sub-Committee Meetings**

February 24, 1999 (Tentative)  
10 am - 4 pm

Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program  
1939 Harrison Street  
DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555  
**Oakland**

The INVITATION FOR BID (IFB) SUB-COMMITTEE and the SPEECH-TO-SPEECH 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 - NXX Code Lottery Workshop**

February 25, 1999  
9 am - 4 pm

State Building  
455 Golden Gate Avenue  
Conference Rooms 2 and 3  
**San Francisco**

The Telecommunications Division of the California Public Utilities Commission will be holding a third technical workshop on fine-tuning the NXX Code Lottery held each month at the CPUC. Decision 98-08-037 found there is a need for a fresh review of lottery procedures. In this third workshop, the lottery process will be reviewed to determine if there are ways to make the distribution of NXX codes among carriers more equitable, and more conducive to the development of competition. Specifically, the topic of increasing the percentage of initial codes assigned from the lottery from the current 60% to a higher amount will be explored. Participants should come prepared to address potential reform measures for the lottery, identify potential shortcomings and suggest ways to revise the lottery process to promote a more competitive market including potential revisions in the allocation between initial and growth codes. The Lottery Subcommittee will present their final Draft of the Pent-up Demand Form.

If you plan to attend the February 25, 1999 workshop please RSVP by February 23, 1999 to Mary Jo Borak, at 415/703-1879, Email: BOR@CPUC.CA.GOV or Risa Hernandez at 415/703-5331, Email: RHH@CPUC.CA.GOV

If specialized accommodations for the disabled are needed, call the Building Manager at (415) 703-4100 five working days in advance of the event.

**Public Meeting - TIME CHANGED**

February 25, 1999  
10 am - 3 pm

Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program  
1939 Harrison Street, Suite 555  
Oakland

The 711-SUB-COMMITTEE of the Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will hold a meeting to discuss relay access. 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**

February 25, 1999  
1 pm - 5 pm

State Building  
505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 3212  
San Francisco

The Telecommunications Division will conduct a workshop required by Ordering Paragraph 5 of Decision 98-12-023. As ordered, the subject of the workshop will be methods of determining the value of the post-NRF facilities that will convert to INC upon reconfiguration of the MPOEs on Irvine Apartment Communities' affected properties. Those attending the workshop should be prepared to propose a valuation method and to discuss alternative methods suggested. Pursuant to D.98-12-023, the Telecommunications Division will make a recommendation to the Commission based on the discussion in the workshop. For more information, please contact Lorann King at (415) 703-3473 or Mike Amato at (415) 703-1863.

**Public Meeting**

February 26, 1999  
10 am - 4 pm

Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program  
1939 Harrison Street  
DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555  
**Oakland**

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**

March 17, 1999  
10 am - 2 pm

Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program  
1939 Harrison Street  
DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555  
**Oakland**

The Video Relay Trials 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

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**NOTICE OF DRAFT RESOLUTIONS**  
**(Pursuant to PU Code § 311(g))**

**NONE**

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**NEW FILINGS**

2/3/99	A99-02-006	Yousif A. Ibrahim, dba Safety Airport Express, for authority to operate as a passenger stage corporation between points in San Francisco, Alameda and Contra Costa Counties and the San Francisco International Airports and to establish a zone of rate freedom (1861
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Poggi Street, No. 117-B, Alameda, CA 94501; (510) 521-6875)

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| 2/3/99 | A99-02-007 | Thelma J. Ayala, dba Monarca Transportation Services, for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to operate as a passenger stage corporation between Victorville and San Ysidro with service to and from the intermediate points of San Bernardino and Fontana (16056-C Valley Boulevard, Fontana, CA 92335; (909) 854-2648) |
| 2/5/99 | A99-02-008 | City of Montclair, for an order authorizing construction of a crossing at separated grades between Ramona Avenue and the tracks of the Union Pacific Railway Company, sometimes referred to as the Ramona Overhead (PUC No. B-516.9 and 3-34.5)   |
| 2/4/99 | A99-02-009 | San Francisco Thermal, LP, Thermal Ventures, Inc., NRG Energy, Inc., and North American Thermal Systems, LLC, for authority to transfer control of North American Thermal Systems, LLC from Thermal Ventures, Inc. to NRG Energy, Inc.  |

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**PETITIONS FOR MODIFICATION AND APPLICATIONS FOR REHEARING**

**NONE**

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

**NONE**

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**ADVICE LETTER FILINGS**

**NONE**

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**MISCELLANEOUS TRANSPORTATION ITEMS**

**February 9, 1999**

Filings with Rail Safety and Carriers Division

02/05/99      TCP 12357-A      Left Coast Transportation, Inc., dba Avalon  
Transportation Inc., Address: 888 Airport Blvd,  
Burlingame, CA 94010; Telephone: (650) 579-2677;  
Terminal Address: Same: Application filed for new  
Class A authority

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**MISCELLANEOUS TELECOMMUNICATION MATTERS**

**February 9, 1999**

**NONE**

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**ADJOURNMENTS \* RESETTINGS \* SUBMISSIONS**

A89-03-026      Stalder- Southern California Edison Company for  
certificate to construct and operate 220KV transmission  
line between Kramer substation and Victor Substation  
in San Bernardino County,  
**Evidentiary Hearing set for March 8, reset to  
March 4**

R97-10-016      Reed- Order Instituting Rulemaking on the  
I97-10-017      Commission's Own Motion into Monitoring  
Performance of Operations Support Systems.  
Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission's  
Own Motion into Monitoring Performance of  
Operations Support Systems, and related matter,  
**Workshop held and no report given**

I98-12-013      O'Donnell-Order Instituting investigation into the  
power outage that occurred on December 8, 1998 on  
Pacific Gas and Electric Company's electric system,  
**Prehearing Conference held and completed**

- A.97-06-021 Econome-Southern California Edison Company for authority to adopt a revenue-sharing mechanism for certain other operating revenues, **Prehearing Conference held and no report given**
- A98-11-031 Bushey-Red & White Ferries, Inc for an exemption from sections 816-830 and 851-854 of the California Public Utilities Code, **Prehearing Conference held and no report given**
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### REMOVALS FROM CALENDAR

NONE

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### NEW SETTINGS

3/4/99 10:00 a.m. **(EH)**-Application of California Water Service Company  
ALJ Vieth A98-09-013 (U 60 W), a corporation, for an order authorizing it to  
Comr Duque increase rates charged for water service in the East Lost  
Angeles district, **Commission Courtroom, LA**

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### 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

2/9/99 9:30 a.m. NONE SCHEDULED

2/16/99 9:30 a.m. NONE SCHEDULED

2/23/99 9:30 a.m. NONE SCHEDULED

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**FINAL ORAL ARGUMENT**

**NONE**

**HEARINGS**

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

**(PHC) = Prehearing Conference**

**(EH) = Evidentiary Hearing**

**(PPH) = Public Participation Hearing**

**(IAM) = Initial Arbitration Meeting**

**(M) = Mediation**

**(FOA) = Final Oral Argument**

**(WS) = Workshop**

**(FPH) = Full Panel Hearing**

**(AH) = Arbitration Hearing**

**(CA) = Closing Argument**

2/9/99 9:30 a.m. **(WS)**-Order Instituting Rulemaking on the  
ALJ Reed R.97-10-016 Commission’s Own Motion into Monitoring  
ALJ Walwyn Performance of Operations Support Systems.  
Comr Bilas I.97-10-017 **(WS)**-Order Instituting Investigation on the  
Commission’s Own Motion into Monitoring  
Performance of Operations Support Systems,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also  
February 10-11)**

2/9/99 2:00 p.m. **(PHC)**-Order Instituting Rulemaking to establish  
ALJ Econome R.97-04-011 standards of conduct governing relationship between  
Comr Bilas energy utilities and their affiliates,  
Comr Knight I.97-04-012 **(PHC)**- Order Instituting Rulemaking to establish  
standards of conduct governing relationship between  
energy utilities and their affiliates,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**

2/10/99 9:00 a.m. **(PHC)**- Southern California Water Company for  
ALJ Walker A.98-09-040 authority pursuant to Public Utilities Code Section 454  
Comr Duque to restructure the water rates of its Barstow, Calipatria-  
Niland, Claremont, Desert, Orange County, San Dimas,  
San Gabriel and Wrightwood Districts into region wide  
tariffs, **Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**

2/10/99 10:00 a.m. **(EH)**-County of Riverside Department of  
ALJ Bennett C.97-03-034 Environmental Health vs. Spring Crest Water and

Comr Neeper		Power Company, for failure to comply with minimum water quality and quantity requirements as contained in Title 22 of the California Code of Regulations, <b>County Administrative Center, Hearing Room-2d Floor, 82675 Highway 111, Indio</b>
2/11/99 ALJ Bushey Comr Duque Comr Neeper	9:00 a.m. R.97-10-049	<b>(OA)</b> -Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion to set rules and to provide guidelines for the Privatization and Excess Capacity as it relates to investor owned water companies, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
2/11/99 ALJ Econome Comr Bilas	9:30 a.m. A.98-11-012	<b>(PHC)</b> -Lodi Gas Storage, LLC for a certificate of public convenience and necessity for construction and operation of gas storage facilities, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
2/11/99 ALJ Rosenthal Comr Neeper	1:00 p.m. A.98-04-001	<b>(PHC)</b> -City of Palmdale to construct Blackbird Drive a public street across the railroad tracks of the Union Pacific Railroad Company and the Metropolitan Transportation authority in the City of Palmdale, County of Los Angeles, <b>Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles</b>
2/11/99 ALJ Bennett Comr Knight	10:00 a.m. C97-09-024	<b>(EH)</b> -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 <b>Riverside County, Board Room. 4080 Lemon St., 14<sup>th</sup> Floor, Riverside</b>
2/17/99 ALJ Rosenthal Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A98-06-051	<b>(PHC)</b> -A&M United Group, LLC, a Limited Liability Company, to acquire and Isam M. Alziq to transfer a passenger stage certificate of public convenience and necessity and certain other assets, pursuant to section 851 et. seq. of the California Public Utilities Code, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
2/17/99 ALJ DeUlloa Comr Neeper	1:30 p.m. A.98-08-001	<b>(PHC)</b> -In the matter of the application of Airporter, Inc., doing business as Santa Rosa Airporter, to amend and modify its passenger stage certificate #9023, by removing the "reservation only restrictions" for five listed cities in Marin County, and to expand its authorized services to all points in the cities of Novato, Marinwood, Terra Linda, San Rafael, Corte Madera,



and Mill Valley for both routes  
1 (SFO) and 2 (Oak), with retention of the current “Half  
Mile proximity restriction” within these cities,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**

2/18/99 9:30 a.m. (EH)-Pacific Gas and Electric Company for  
ALJ Barnett A.98-04-016 authorization to sell the El Dorado Hydroelectric  
Comr Conlon Project to El Dorado Irrigation District, **Commission  
Courtroom, San Francisco**

2/18/99 1:00 p.m. (PHC)-Randall Welty vs. Southern California Edison  
ALJ DeUlloa C.98-10-038 Company for incorrect billing,  
Comr Neeper **Pomona Unified School District, Education Center,  
Room 116, 800 South Garey Avenue, Pomona**

2/18/99 2:00 p.m. (PHC)-Pacific Gas and Electric Company for authority  
ALJ Minkin A.99-01-016 to establish post-transition period electric ratemaking  
ALJ Malcolm mechanisms,  
Comr Duque A.99-01-019 (PHC)-San Diego Gas & Electric Company for  
authority to implement Post Rate Freeze Ratemaking  
Mechanism  
A99-01-034 (PHC)-Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E)  
to: (1) Propose a Method to Determine and Implement  
the End of the Rate Freeze; and (2) Propose  
Ratemaking Mechanisms Which Should Be In Place  
After the End of the Rate Freeze Periods, **Commission  
Courtroom, San Francisco, (also (EH) April 26,  
August 9)**

2/19/99 9:00 a.m. (PHC)-Pacific Bell vs. Pac-West Telecomm, Inc. for  
ALJ Vieth C.98-11-025 violation of interconnection agreement,  
Comr Neeper **Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**

2/19/99 10:00 a.m. (PHC)-Southern California Edison Company and San  
ALJ O’Donnell A.98-12-025 Diego Gas and Electric Company for the nuclear  
Comr Duque decommissioning cost triennial proceeding to set  
contribution levels for the companies’ nuclear  
decommissioning trust funds and address other related  
issues, **Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**

2/22/99 10:00 a.m. (AH)-Petition by Pacific Bell (U 1001 C) for arbitration  
ALJ Mattson A.98-11-024 of an interconnection agreement with Pac-West  
Comr Neeper Telecomm, Inc. (U 5266 C) pursuant to Section 256(b)  
of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, **Commission  
Courtroom, San Francisco (also February 23-24)**

2/22/99 ALJ Walwyn Comr Bilas Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. R.93-04-003  I.93-04-002	<b>(EH)</b> -Rulemaking on the Commission's Own Motion to Govern Open Access to Bottleneck Services and Establish a Framework for Network Architecture Development of Dominant Carrier Networks, <b>(EH)</b> -Investigation of the Commission's Own Motion into Open Access and Network Architecture Development of Dominant Carrier Networks, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also February 23-26)</b>
2/23/99 ALJ Malcolm Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A.99-01-011	<b>(PHC)</b> -Pacific Gas and Electric Company to recover costs recorded in the catastrophic event memorandum account effective January 1, 2000, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
2/23/99 ALJ Wright	10:00 a.m. C.99-01-040	<b>(ECP)</b> -Rodney George vs. Sprint PCS <b>State Office Building, 1350 Front Street, B103, San Diego</b>
2/23/99 ALJ Bushey Comr Neeper	1:00 p.m. C.98-06-016	<b>(PHC)</b> -The Utility Consumer's Action Network (UCAN), vs. MCI Metro Access Transmission Services (MCI Metro), Inc., <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
2/24/98 ALJ Econome Comr Bilas	9:30 a.m. C.93-07-046  C.94-02-009	<b>(PHC)</b> -Utility Audit Company, Inc., vs. Southern California Gas Company for charging excessive rates for gas service relating to the multi-family sites and master meter accounts listed in complaint, <b>(PHC)</b> -Utility Audit Company, Inc., vs. Southern California Gas Company for three years of overcharges relating to multi-family sites and master meter accounts; requests refunds plus interest, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
2/24/99 ALJ DeUlloa Comr Neeper	1:30 p.m. C.98-10-025	<b>(PHC)</b> -James D. Korn vs. Pacific Bell for acting as billing and/or collection agent for other companies; and for slamming practices, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
2/25/99 ALJ Bushey Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A98-07-043	<b>(EH)</b> -Application of RIDESHARE PORT MANAGEMENT, L.L.C. dba PRIME TIME SHUTTLE, to provide on-call door-to-door passenger stage service to the extent required to enter into a concessionaire agreement with Los Angeles International Airport,

	A.98-09-001	<b>(EH)</b> -Application of Xpress Management Systems L.L.C. to provide on-call door-to-door passenger stage service to the extent required to enter into a concessionaire agreement with Los Angeles World Airport (LAX), <b>Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles (also February 26)</b>
2/25/99 ALJ Weiss Comr Duque	1:00 p.m. A.98-11-003	<b>(PHC)</b> -Southern California Water Company for a certificate of public convenience and necessity pursuant to California Public Utilities Code Section 1001 to extend its West Orange County System to the Bolsa Chica Planned Community,
	A.98-11-015	<b>(PHC)</b> -Southern California Water Company (U 133 W) for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity pursuant to California Public Utilities Code Section 1001 to Operate and Maintain a Wastewater System to Provide Service to the Bolsa Chico Planned Community, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
2/25/99 ALJ DeUlloa Comr Neeper	1:30 p.m. C.98-11-027	<b>(PHC)</b> -Reuben Bercovitch and Blanche Bercovitch vs. Sempra Energy, <b>State Office Building, 1350 Front St., B102, San Diego</b>
3/2/99 ALJ McVicar Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. A.99-01-018	<b>(PHC)</b> -Antone Sylvester Tug Service, Inc., for a certificate of public convenience and necessity as a common carrier of property by vessel between points in the Los Angeles, Long Beach, and Redondo Beach Harbor areas on the one hand, and on the other points on Santa Catalina Island, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
3/3/99 ALJ Kotz	10:00 a.m. R.99-02-001	<b>(WS)</b> -Rulemaking for Purposes of Implementing Certain Statutory Requirements Regarding Public Review and Comment for Specified Commission Decisions, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
3/4/99 ALJ Vieth Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A98-09-013	<b>(EH)</b> -Application of California Water Service Company (U 60 W), a corporation, for an order authorizing it to increase rates charged for water service in the East Lost Angeles district, <b>Commission Courtroom, LA</b>
3/4/99	9:00 a.m.	<b>(EH)</b> -Southern California Edison Company for

ALJ Stalder Comr Duque	A.89-03-026	certificate to construct and operate 220KV transmission line between Kramer substation and Victor Substation in San Bernardino County, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also March 5, March 8-10)</b>
3/4/99 ALJ Bennett Comr Bilas	9:00 a.m. C.97-09-030	<b>(EH)</b> -Energy Alternatives vs. Pacific Gas and Electric Company for failure to conduct an open and fair bidding process with respect to the awarding of the Energy Partners program administrative contract for 1997, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also March 5)</b>
3/4/99 ALJ Malcolm Comr Conlon Comr Neeper	11:00 a.m. R.96-11-004	<b>(PHC)</b> -Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking to develop standards for electric system reliability and safety pursuant to D96-09-073, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
03/15/99 ALJ Gottstein Comr Conlon	10:00 a.m. A.96-03-031	<b>(EH)</b> -Southern California Gas Company for authority to revise its rates effective January 1, 1997 in its Biennial Cost Allocation Proceeding for a total reduction in annual revenues of approximately \$147.9 million (5.7%),
	A.96-04-030	<b>(EH)</b> -San Diego Gas & Electric Company for authority to revise its rates effective January 1, 1997 in its Biennial Cost Allocation Proceeding for an approximately \$42 million decrease over presently authorized revenues, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also 9:00 a.m., March 16-19)</b>
3/16/99 ALJ McVicar Comr Duque Comr Neeper	9:00 a.m. I98-09-007	<b>(EH)</b> -Investigation on the Commission's Own Motion into the operations and practices of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company in connection with Public Utilities Code Section 451, General Order 95, and other applicable standards governing tree-line clearances, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (EH) March 17-19, March 22-26, March 29-31, April 1-2)</b>
3/22/99 ALJ Bushey Comr Neeper	1:30 p.m. R.97-08-001	<b>(OA)</b> -Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion to consider adoption of rules applicable to interexchange carriers for the transfer of customers including establishing penalties for unauthorized transfer,
	I.97-08-002	<b>(OA)</b> -Investigation on the Commission's own motion to

consider adoption of rules applicable to interexchange carriers for the transfer of customers including establishing penalties for unauthorized transfer,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**

3/22/99 10:00 a.m. (EH)-Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E)  
ALJ Patrick A.98-05-014 to report on the valuation process for certain  
Comr Duque A.98-05-022 (EH)-Pacific Gas and Electric Company to report  
assessments of inventory balances and to address  
appraisal of retained generation assets,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco  
(also March 23-24)**

3/23/99 9:00 a.m. (OA)- Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking on the  
ALJ Weissman R.98-01-011 Commission's own motion to assess and revise the  
Comr Bilas regulatory structure governing California's natural gas  
industry, **Commission Courtroom, San Francisco,  
(also (EH) March 29-31, April 1-2)**

3/23/99 2:00 p.m. (PHC)-San Diego Gas and Electric Company and  
ALJ Barnett A.98-07-005 Southern California Gas Company for approval of a gas  
Comr Bilas transmission service tariff,  
A98-10-012 (PHC)-Southern California Gas Company for authority  
to revise its rates effective August 1, 1999 in its biennial  
cost allocation proceeding,  
A.98-10-031 (PHC)-Application of San Diego Gas & Electric  
Company for Authority to revise its gas rates effective  
August 1, 1999, in its biennial cost allocation  
proceeding.  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also  
(second PHC) 10:00 a.m., (EH) 1:30 p.m., April 5,  
(EH) April 6-9, April 12-16, April 19-23, April 26-  
30)**

3/25/99 9:00 a.m. (EH)-Investigation on the Commission's own motion  
ALJ Bushey I.98-08-004 into the operations, practices, and conduct of Coral  
Comr Duque Communications, Inc. (Coral) and Michael Tinari,  
President of Coral; William Galo, Senior Vice President  
of Coral; Devon Porcella, Vice President of Sales and  
Operations of Coral; Neal Deleo, Vice President  
Finance and MIS of Coral to determine whether the  
corporation or its principals have operated within  
California without having a certificate to operate from  
the Commission and whether they have charge

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		California subscribers for telecommunications services the subscribers never authorized, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco, (also March 26, March 29-31, April 1)</b>
3/30/99 ALJ Bennett Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. C.98-08-008	<b>(EH)</b> -Dorothy Dominguez and Ralph A. Martinez vs. Great American Stageline for refusal to allow passengers to board, <b>Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles</b>
4/1/99 ALJ Bushey Comr Neeper	9:00 a.m. C.98-09-011	<b>(EH)</b> -Ralph Azevedo, Ronald Azevedo, and Albert Ferari, vs. Union Pacific Railroad Company and California Northern Railroad Company for replacement and/or maintenance of fence line, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
4/5/99 ALJ O'Donnell	10:00 a.m. I.98-12-013	<b>(EH)</b> -Order Instituting investigation into the power outage that occurred on December 8, 1998 on Pacific Gas and Electric Company's electric system, <b>Commission Auditorium, San Francisco</b>
4/8/99 ALJ Patrick Comr Conlon	10:00 a.m. R.92-03-050	<b>(PHC)</b> -Order Instituting Rulemaking on the Commission's Own Motion to consider the line extension rules of electric and gas utilities; and compliance with Ordering Paragraph 6 of D.98-09-070, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
4/16/99 ALJ Bushey Comr Knight	10:00 a.m. C.95-08-039	<b>(PHC)</b> -Bayside Village, The Fillmore Center, and North Point Apartments vs. Pacific Bell for failure to take responsibility for all building cross connects, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
4/29/99 ALJ Bennett Comr Neeper	9:00 a.m. A.98-05-053	<b>(PHC)</b> -Application of the Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) for Review of the Reasonableness of Southern California Edison Company's Operations During the Period from April 1, 1997 through December 31, 1997, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (EH) May 18-21, May 24-28)</b>
4/30/99 ALJ Barnett Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A.98-11-023	<b>(PHC)</b> -Pacific Gas and Electric Company to establish performance-based ratemaking for electric and gas utility distribution service effective January 1, 2001, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco, (also (EH) August 9-13, August 16-20, August 23-27, August 30-31, September 1-3, September 6-10, September</b>

**13-17, September 20-24, September 27-30, October 1)**

5/24/99 ALJ Galvin Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A98-07-020 A.98-07-029	<b>(EH)</b> -In the Matter of the Application of Pacific Bell a corporation, for Authority to Categorize Centrex as a Category III Service, <b>(EH)</b> -In the Matter of the Application of Pacific Bell a corporation, for Authority to Categorize Toll-Free (8XX) and Business MTS IntraLATA Toll Services as Category III Services, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also May 25-28, June 1-4)</b>
6/14/99 ALJ Barnett Comr Conlon Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. A.97-12-039	<b>(EH)</b> -San Diego Gas & Electric Company for authority to sell electrical generation facilities and power contracts, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also June 15-18)1</b>
6/14/99 ALJ Minkin Comr Duque Comr Conlon	10:00 a.m. A98-09-003 A98-09-008 A98-09-009	<b>(PHC)</b> -Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for Review and Recovery of the Costs and Revenues in the Transition Cost Balancing Account (U 39 E), <b>(PHC)</b> -Application of Southern California Edison Company to Review and Recovery Transition Cost Balancing Account Entries from January 1, 1998 through June 30, 1998 and Various Generation-Related Memorandum Account Entries, <b>(PHC)</b> -Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company in the Annual Transition Cost Proceeding Regarding the Transition Cost Balancing Account (TCBA), <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (EH) June 21-25, June 28-30, July 1-2, July 5-8, (CA) 9:00 a.m., July 9</b>

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