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## ***Public Utilities Commission of the State of California***

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### **Daily Calendar** **Wednesday, February 24, 1999**

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**REGULAR COMMISSION BUSINESS MEETINGS**

March 4, 1999	10 am	San Francisco
March 18, 1999	10 am	San Francisco
April 1, 1999	10am	San Francisco

**REGULAR COMMISSION ADMINISTRATIVE MEETINGS**

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.*

March 1, 1999	1:30 pm	San Francisco
March 15, 1999	1:30 pm	San Francisco
March 29, 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.

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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.*

The cost to receive the agenda only, without copies of draft agenda items, remains at \$75 per year.

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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>
3/10/99, 9 am - 12 pm	Josiah L. Neeper	State Office Building 107 South Broadway, Room 5109 <b>Los Angeles</b>
3/12/99, 9 am - 12 pm	Josiah L. Neeper	State Office Building 1350 Front Street, Room 4006 <b>San Diego</b>

**PUBLIC MEETINGS & WORKSHOPS**

**Public Meeting**

February 24, 1999  
9:30 am -3:30 pm

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

The ULTS Marketing Board (ULTSMB) will hold its regular meeting to discuss the following: Review/Approve Meeting Minutes, Review/Approve Administrative Report and Action Items, Review ULTSMB Correspondences, PUC Report and Action Items, Review/Approve Errors and Omissions Insurance, Review Previous Studies and Data, Announcements, Set Agenda Items for Future Discussion and Hear Public Comments. The Board will meet in Executive Session to discuss the Interim Marketing Program RFP and Bidders Conference, Review Marketing Program Timeline, and to Brief the RFP Selection Committee.

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 Officer at (510) 452-2757.

**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**

February 24, 1999  
10 am -4 pm

Culver City Public Library  
4975 Overland Avenue  
Community Room  
**Culver City**  
Phone: 310-559-1676

The Low Income Governing Board (LIGB) will meet to discuss the following topics: Report from Chair; Monthly financial tracking report; Legislative report; Budget augmentation for technical and administrative consultants through June 30, 1999; LIGB budget, adoption of milestone, tasks and proposed budget; Outreach plans, pilots, budget, recommendations for public outreach, outreach to Native American and other communities; Needs assessment, decision for a adoption of proposed scope of work, methodology and budget; Legal counsel, Bagley-Keene, Advisory Committee and interagency agreement for transfer of website management; 1999 tasks for the LIGB; Information dissemination; Scheduling and agenda planning for future meetings; and Review of 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 - 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.

**Workshop Notice**

February 26, 1999

9 am – 5 pm

CPUC

First Floor Training Room

505 Van Ness Avenue

Continuation of workshop held on  
2/10 and 2/11/99

**San Francisco**

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--including routing options B and C and "2 PIC"--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.

**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 3, 1999

10 am – 2 pm (PST)

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: LIGB comments on the role, structure, purpose, and operations of the LIGB which will be submitted in preparation for the Program Planning Workshop on March 10, 1999. 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**

March 4, 1999

9 am - 5 pm

1924 East Deere Avenue

Santa Ana

The California Number Pooling Task Force will be holding a public meeting on March 4, 1999 at 1924 East Deere Avenue, Santa Ana, California. The California Number Pooling Task Force was established by the California Public Utilities Commission to examine the efficient use of numbering resources, including the feasibility of developing improved tools for conserving central office codes.

For information regarding visitor parking, special accommodations, and other meeting

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

March 4, 1999

10 am - 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](mailto: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 Commission Resolution Extending Bridge Funding; Program Planning for 1999 and Utilities' November 16/17 Advice Letter Filings, Including Program Descriptions; Market Assessment and Evaluation (MA&E); Reporting Requirements and February 11 ACR; 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; Administrative and Technical Services; 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.cbef.org](http://www.cbef.org)



**Public Meeting - DATE CHANGE AS OF 2/22/99**

March 8, 1999  
10 am - 4 pm

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

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.  
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**Public Meeting**

March 8, 1999  
7 pm

Hutchins Street Square  
Cottage-Pisano Room  
125 S. Hutchins Street,  
**Lodi**

The Environmental Review Team of the CPUC Energy Division is holding a scoping meeting on the Environmental Impact Report for Application 98-11-012. This application for a Certification of Public Convenience and Necessity has been submitted by Lodi Gas Storage, LLC. For more information on this project and/or public meeting please call 415-989-1446 ext. 85. Information is also available on the CPUC Web Site at: [www.cpuc.ca.gov/divisions/energy/environmental/info/lodi-gas.htm](http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/divisions/energy/environmental/info/lodi-gas.htm)

**Public Meeting**

March 9, 1999  
7 pm

Isleton Community Center  
208 Jackson Boulevard  
**Isleton**

The Environmental Review Team of the CPUC Energy Division is holding a scoping meeting on the Environmental Impact Report for Application 98-11-012. This application for a Certification of Public Convenience and Necessity has been submitted by Lodi Gas Storage, LLC. For more information on this project and/or public meeting please call 415-989-1446 ext. 85. Information is also available on the CPUC Web Site at: [www.cpuc.ca.gov/divisions/energy/environmental/info/lodi-gas.htm](http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/divisions/energy/environmental/info/lodi-gas.htm)

**Public Meeting**

March 19, 1999  
9 am - 2 pm

Los Angeles International Airport Hilton  
5711 West Century Boulevard  
**Los Angeles**  
(Consult Hotel Directory for Room Information.)

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 - Time Change (REVISED AS OF 2/10/99)**

March 17, 1999  
10 am - 4 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.

**Public Meeting – Administrative Committee – CHCF-A, CHCF-B, and CTF**

March 24, 1999  
9:30 am - 12:30 pm

California Public Utilities Commission  
505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 3212  
San Francisco

**AGENDA:** Introduction and Public Comments; Approve Public Meeting Minutes of 2/17/1999; Status of the selection of a Financial Institution(s) for Trusts for CHCF- B and CTF; Status of the selection of a CPA firm for the Annual Audit of CHCF-A; Review and approve CHCF-B claims and expenses; Review and approve CHCF-A expenses; Review and approve CTF expenses; Review and approve CTF expenses; Status Report of the CTF Fund and Claims Process; and Discussion of Relationship of CTF Program with Federal E-rate Program.

**Public Meeting**

March 25, 1999  
10 am - 4 pm

Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program  
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The OUTREACH 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**

March 26, 1999  
10 am - 4 pm

*Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program  
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The CALIFORNIA RELAY SERVICE 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**

April 6, 1999  
10 am - 4 pm

*Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program  
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**Public Meeting**

April 8, 1999  
and  
April 9, 1999  
  
10 am - 4 pm

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**Public Meeting**

April 23, 1999  
10 am - 4 pm

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**Public Meeting**

May 4, 1999  
10 am - 4 pm

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**Public Meeting**

May 13, 1999  
10 am - 4 pm

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**Public Meeting**

May 21, 1999  
10 am - 4 pm

*Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program  
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**NOTICE OF DRAFT RESOLUTIONS**

**(Pursuant to PU Code § 311(g))**

**NONE**

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**NEW FILINGS**

**NONE**

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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**

2/23/99            A95-10-024        In the Matter of the Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company (U 39 M) for Authorization to Implement a Plan of Reorganization Which will Result in a Holding Company Structure; **Proposed Decision of ALJ Econome**

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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.

09/28/98	Telecom 18	MEDIAONE TELECOMMS OF CALIF, INC., service area map representing where MediaOne will be expanding its facilities - based local exchange service in CA. ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
10/21/98	Telecom 3	EZ TALK COMMUNICATIONS, L.L.C., reduce rates for one time activation ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
11/17/98	Telecom 108	MCI METRO ACCESS TRANSMISSION SERVICES, ULTS ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
02/18/99	Telecom 3	SPEER VIRTUAL MEDIA, LTD., surcharge ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
02/19/99	Energy 1366E	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON COMPANY, Removal of the Devers-Palo Verde 2 surcharge and an equal offsetting credit to the generation charge. ( <b>anticipated effective 04/01/99</b> )
02/19/99	Energy 1367E	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON COMPANY, Notice of proposed construction of 66kV power line and substation in the city of Lancaster. ( <b>anticipated effective 03/31/99</b> )

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02/19/99	Telecom 152	GTE COMMUNICATIONS CORP., Add New Service-Make Text Changes ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
02/19/99	Telecom 57	ICG TELECOM GROUP, INC., Introduction of Plan D-EOS/DS-3 Pricing Components, Modification of Rates for Maintenance Visit Charges, Introduction of rates for Plan C and Plan D InterLATA Transport Routes ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
02/19/99	Telecom 69	NEXTLINK OF CALIFORNIA, INC., G.O. 96A Contract ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
02/19/99	Telecom 20048	PACIFIC BELL, Amendment No. 3 to the IC Agreement with Electric Lightwave, Inc. ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
02/19/99	Telecom 20049	PACIFIC BELL, Modification of an Express Contract for DDD, VPP, and Calling Card ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
02/19/99	Telecom 20050	PACIFIC BELL, Customer Specific Modification of a Contract for Custom 8 Service ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
02/19/99	Telecom MEMO 60	PACIFIC BELL, MN to Extend the "It's Easy 8 with 877" Promotion through 5/31/1999-Original Advice Letter No. 19766 (JJS) ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
02/19/99	Telecom 16	TEL-SAVE, INC., Tariff Revision ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
02/19/99	Telecom 256-A	THE SISKIYOU TELEPHONE COMPANY, <b>Supplements A.L.No.256</b> , custom Calling Service Additions ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
02/19/99	Telecom 257	THE SISKIYOU TELEPHONE COMPANY, ISDN service ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
02/19/99	Water 1054-W-A	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA WATER COMPANY, <b>Supplements A.L.No.1054-W</b> , [Arden-Cordova District]Rate increase pursuant to Decision 98-12-070, dated December 17, 1998. ( <b>anticipated effective 01/31/99</b> )
02/19/99	Water 1055-W-A	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA WATER COMPANY, <b>Supplements A.L.No.1055-W</b> , [Bay Point District]Rate increase pursuant to Decision 98-12-070, dated December 17, 1998. ( <b>anticipated effective 01/31/99</b> )
02/19/99	Water 1056-W-A	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA WATER COMPANY, <b>Supplements A.L.No.1056-W</b> , [Claremont District]Rate

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		increase pursuant to Decision 98-12-070, dated December 17, 1998. ( <b>anticipated effective 01/31/99</b> )
02/19/99	Water 1057-W-A	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA WATER COMPANY, <b>Supplements A.L.No.1057-W</b> , [Los Osos District]Rate increase pursuant to Decision 98-12-070, dated December 17, 1998. ( <b>anticipated effective 01/31/99</b> )
02/19/99	Water 1058-W-A	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA WATER COMPANY, <b>Supplements A.L.No.1058-W</b> , [Santa Maria District]Rate increase pursuant to Decision 98-12-070, dated December 17, 1998. ( <b>anticipated effective 01/31/99</b> )
02/22/99	Energy 1153E 1139G	SAN DIEGO GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Direct access and energy usage information forms. ( <b>anticipated effective 03/30/99</b> )
02/22/99	Telecom 638-A	CITIZENS TELECOMMUNICATIONS CO. OF CA., <b>Supplements A.L.No.638</b> , surcharges ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
02/22/99	Telecom 40-A	CITIZENS TELECOMS. CO. OF GOLDEN STATE, <b>Supplements A.L.No.40</b> , surcharges ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
02/22/99	Telecom 40-A	CITIZENS TELECOMS. CO. OF TUOLUMNE, <b>Supplements A.L.No.40</b> , surcharges ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
02/22/99	Telecom 282	EVANS TELEPHONE COMPANY, add new caller id enhancement ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
02/22/99	Telecom 8970	GTE CALIFORNIA INCORPORATED, ICB Contract ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
02/22/99	Telecom 20053	PACIFIC BELL, Customer Specific Contract for DS3, HICAP, FRS and ATM Service ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
02/22/99	Telecom 20054	PACIFIC BELL, Remove Reference to Rejected Advice Letter and Correct COPT Rates ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
02/22/99	Telecom 442	ROSEVILLE TELEPHONE COMPANY, promotional campaign ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
02/22/99	Telecom 256	THE PONDEROSA TELEPHONE COMPANY, non-recurring charge promotional waiver ( <b>effective TBD</b> )

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### 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.

02/18/99	Telecom 20006	PACIFIC BELL, 175-T EIS Collocation-Add 5 Phase 2 Wire Centers, make a Minor Correction <b>Protest by AT&amp;T Comms. of Calif. and MCI WorldCom.</b>
02/18/99	Telecom 1612	AT&T COMMUNICATIONS OF CALIFORNIA, INC, Introduces a Customer Access Selection Charge (CASC) for Terrestrial 1.544 Mbps and Terrestrial 45 Mbps Local Channel <b>Protest by First World Comms., NEXTLINK CA &amp; ICG.</b>
02/22/99	Energy 1149E	SAN DIEGO GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, 1999 EDRA Refund Plan. <b>Late filed protest by Office of Ratepayer Advocates.</b>
02/22/99	Energy 1129E	SAN DIEGO GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Energy Service Provider - Non Discretionary Energy Service Fees <b>Late filed protest by Enron Corporation.</b>
02/22/99	Energy 1811E	PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Revisions to electric rate schedule E-ESP, Services to Energy Service Providers. <b>Late filed protest by Enron Corporation.</b>

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### MISCELLANEOUS TRANSPORTATION ITEMS

**February 24, 1999**

Filings with Rail Safety and Carriers Division

02/18/99	TCP 12131-B	Desert Enterprises, Inc., DBA Desert Safari., Address: P. O. Box 4316, Palm Springs, CA 92263; Telephone: (760) 770-9191; Terminal Address: 30796 Fatima Way, Cathedral City, CA 92234: Application filed for new Class B authority
02/18/99	TCP 12382-A	Gweat U.S.A. Enterprises Inc., DBA Great Wall Travel Inc., Address: 301 W. Valley Blvd, #203, Sangabriel,

CA 91776; Telephone: (626) 282-9188: Terminal  
Address: same Application filed for new Class A  
authority

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**MISCELLANEOUS TELECOMMUNICATION MATTERS**

**February 24, 1999**

**NONE**

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**ADJOURNMENTS \* RESETTINGS \* SUBMISSIONS**

- A.98-11-024 Mattson-Petition by Pacific Bell (U 1001 C) for arbitration of an interconnection agreement with Pac-West Telecomm, Inc. (U 5266 C) pursuant to Section 256(b) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996,  
**Arbitration Hearing held and continued to February 24**
- R.93-04-003 Walwyn-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,  
**Evidentiary Hearing held and continued to February 24**
- A.99-01-011 Malcolm-Pacific Gas and Electric Company to recover costs recorded in the catastrophic event memorandum account effective January 1, 2000,  
**Prehearing Conference held and no report given**
- C.99-01-040 Wright-Rodney George vs. Sprint PCS  
**ECP held and completed**
- C.98-06-016 Bushey-The Utility Consumer's Action Network (UCAN), vs. MCI Metro Access Transmission Services (MCI Metro), Inc.,  
**Prehearing Conference held and no report given**
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**REMOVALS FROM CALENDAR**

**NONE**

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**NEW SETTINGS**

3/16/99 ALJ Walker Comr Duque	2:00 p.m. A.98-12-028	<b>(PHC)</b> -Elk Grove Water Works for an order authorizing it to increase rates for water service for its total service area and approving its planned water filtration plant installation, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
3/17/99 ALJ Wright	10:00 a.m. C.99-02-022	<b>(ECP)</b> -Rebecca Neiderlander and Michael Turmon vs. Airtouch Cellular, <b>Department of Motor Vehicles, Conference Room, 49 South Rosemead Boulevard, Pasadena</b>
3/23/99 ALJ Vieth	10:00 a.m. C.99-02-028	<b>(ECP)</b> -Cheryl Duke vs. Pacific Bell, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>

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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

2/23/99	9:30 a.m.	NONE SCHEDULED
3/2/99	9:30 a.m.	NONE SCHEDULED
3/9/99	9:30 a.m.	NONE SCHEDULED

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**FINAL ORAL ARGUMENT**

3/1/99 ALJ Minkin Comr Neeper	10:00 a.m. A.98-01-014	<b>(FOA)</b> -Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company (SDG&E) for authority to implement a distribution performance-based ratemaking mechanism, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
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**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**

2/24/99 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 25)**

2/24/99 10:00 a.m. **(EH)**-Rulemaking on the Commission’s Own Motion to  
ALJ Walwyn R.93-04-003 Govern Open Access to Bottleneck Services and  
Comr Bilas Establish a Framework for Network Architecture  
Comr Duque Development of Dominant Carrier Networks,  
I.93-04-002 **(EH)**-Investigation of the Commission’s Own Motion  
into Open Access and Network Architecture  
Development of Dominant Carrier Networks,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also  
February 25-26)**

2/24/99 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**

2/24/99 1:30 p.m. **(PHC)**-James D. Korn vs. Pacific Bell for acting as  
ALJ DeUlloa C.98-10-025 billing and/or collection agent for other companies; and  
Comr Neeper for slamming practices,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**

2/25/99 10:00 a.m. **(EH)**-Application of Rideshare Port Management,  
ALJ Bushey A98-07-043 L.L.C. dba Prime Time Shuttle, to provide on-call door-  
Comr Duque to-door passenger stage service to the extent required

		to enter into a concessionaire agreement with Los Angeles International Airport, <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>
3/1/99 ALJ Minkin Comr Neeper	10:00 a.m. A.98-01-014	<b>(FOA)</b> -Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company (SDG&E) for authority to implement a distribution performance-based ratemaking mechanism, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</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, SF</b>
3/4/99 ALJ Stalder Comr Duque	9:00 a.m. A.89-03-026	<b>(EH)</b> -Southern California Edison Company for 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>
3/8/99 ALJ Bushey Comr Neeper	10:00 a.m. I.96-02-043	<b>(PHC)</b> -Investigation on the Commission's own motion into the operations, practices, and conduct of Communication Telesystems International and Edward S. Soren, President of Communication Telesystems International to determine whether they have complied with the laws, rules, regulations and applicable tariff provisions governing the manner in which California consumers are switched from one long distance company to another, and other requirements for long distance carriers, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
3/10/99 ALJ Gottstein Comr Neeper	10:00 a.m. R.98-07-037	<b>(WS)</b> -Order Instituting Rulemaking on the Commission's Proposed Policies and Programs Governing Energy Efficiency, Low-Income Assistance, Renewable Energy and Research Development and Demonstration, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
3/11/99	10:00 a.m.	<b>(EH)</b> -Application of A & M United Group, LLC, a

ALJ Rosenthal Comr Duque	A.98-06-051	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, Los Angeles (also March 12)</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. 198-09-007	<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>
3/16/99 ALJ Gottstein Comr Duque	2:00 p.m. A.98-12-021	<b>(PHC)</b> -Application of Southern California Edison Company for order approving termination agreement for termination of a negotiated power purchase agreement between Southern California Edison Company and O'Brien California Cogen Limited., <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
3/16/99 ALJ Walker Comr Duque	2:00 p.m. A.98-12-028	<b>(PHC)</b> -Elk Grove Water Works for an order authorizing it to increase rates for water service for its total service area and approving its planned water filtration plant installation, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
3/16/99 ALJ Gottstein Comr Duque	3:00 p.m. A.98-12-038	<b>(PHC)</b> -Southern California Edison Company for order approving Amendment No.2 to power purchase agreement between Edison and Colmac Energy, Inc.,

**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**

3/17/99 ALJ Wright	10:00 a.m. C.99-02-022	(ECP)-Rebecca Neiderlander and Michael Turmon vs. Airtouch Cellular, <b>Department of Motor Vehicles, Conference Room, 49 South Rosemead Boulevard, Pasadena</b>
3/19/99 ALJ DeUlloa Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A.99-01-037	(PHC)-Mountain Utilities for authority among other things, to more precisely define its revenue requirement and increase rates and charges for electric services, <b>Council Chambers, 1900 Lake Tahoe Blvd., So. Lake Tahoe</b>
3/22/99 ALJ Bushey Comr Neeper	1:30 p.m. R.97-08-001  I.97-08-002	(OA)-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, (OA)-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, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
3/22/99 ALJ Patrick Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A.98-05-014  A.98-05-022	(EH)-Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) to report on the valuation process for certain generation-related assets pursuant to D.97-11-074, (EH)-Pacific Gas and Electric Company to report assessments of inventory balances and to address appraisal of retained generation assets, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also March 23-24)</b>
3/23/99 ALJ Weissman Comr Bilas	9:00 a.m. R.98-01-011	(OA)- Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion to assess and revise the regulatory structure governing California's natural gas industry, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
3/23/99 ALJ Vieth	10:00 a.m. C.99-02-028	(ECP)-Cheryl Duke vs. Pacific Bell, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
3/23/99 ALJ Barnett Comr Bilas	2:00 p.m. A.98-07-005  A98-10-012	(PHC)-San Diego Gas and Electric Company and Southern California Gas Company for approval of a gas transmission service tariff, (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 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 California subscribers for telecommunications services the subscribers never authorized, **Commission Courtroom, San Francisco, (also March 26, March 29-31, April 1)**
- 3/29/99 7:00 p.m. **(PPH)**-Apple Valley Recreation and Park District,  
 ALJ Walker A.98-09-040 13467 Navajo Road, Apple Valley, **(also March 30, City of Barstow Council Chambers, 220 East Mountain View, Barstow; March 31, Morongo Valley Elementary School, 10951 Hess Blvd., Morongo Valley; April 1, Fremont School, 501 West Main Street, Calipatria; April 19, Wrightwood Country Club, 1387 Oriole Road, Wrightwood; April 20, Senior Citizen Community Bldg., 201 East Bonita Avenue, San Dimas; April 21, Claremont City Hall Council Chambers, 207 Harvard Avenue, Claremont; April 22, Stanton City Hall Council Chambers, 7800 Katella Avenue, Stanton)**
- 3/30/99 10:00 a.m. **(EH)**-Dorothy Dominguez and Ralph A. Martinez vs.  
 ALJ Bennett C.98-08-008 Great American Stageline for refusal to allow passengers to board, **Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles**
- 3/31/99 9:30 a.m. **(PHC)**-Utility Audit Company, Inc., vs. Southern

ALJ Econome Comr Bilas	C.93-07-046  C.94-02-009	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>
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>
4/28/99 ALJ O'Donnell Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. I.98-12-013	<b>(PHC)</b> -Order Instituting Investigation Into the Power Outage Which Occurred on December 8, 1998 on Pacific Gas & Electric Company's Electric System, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (EH) June 1-4, June 7-11)</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	10:00 a.m.	<b>(PHC)</b> -Pacific Gas and Electric Company to establish

ALJ Barnett Comr Duque	A.98-11-023	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 13-17, September 20-24, September 27-30, October 1)</b>
5/3/99 ALJ O'Donnell Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A.98-12-025	<b>(PHC)</b> -Southern California Edison Company and San Diego Gas and Electric Company for the nuclear decommissioning cost triennial proceeding to set contribution levels for the companies' nuclear decommissioning trust funds and address other related issues, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also 9:30 a.m., May 4-7)</b>
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>
5/24/99 ALJ Walker Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A.98-09-040	<b>(EH)</b> -Application of the Southern California Water Company for authority pursuant to Public Utilities Code Section 454 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, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also May 25-28)</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)</b>
6/14/99	10:00 a.m.	<b>(PHC)</b> -Application of Pacific Gas and Electric

ALJ Minkin	A98-09-003	Company for Review and Recovery of the Costs and Revenues in the Transition Cost Balancing Account (U 39 E),
Comr Duque	A98-09-008	(PHC)-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,
Comr Conlon	A98-09-009	(PHC)-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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#### 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**

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#### NOTICE OF ALL-PARTY MEETINGS (PU Code § 1701.3(c) )

**NONE**

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#### NOTICE OF EX PARTE COMMUNICATIONS

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2/1/99            A97-06-021            Southern California Edison Company, for authority to adopt a revenue-sharing mechanism for certain other operating revenues

**Summary:** On January 27, 1999, Southern California Edison (“SCE”) representatives engaged in oral ex parte communications at CPUC with Commissioner Neepser. Present were SCE’s John P. Hughes and Bruce Foster along with Tom Thompson of the Office of Ratepayer Advocates (“ORA”). SCE and ORA jointly initiated the meeting. SCE stated the method of sharing gross revenues was preferable to a net method since ratepayers would be guaranteed a revenue “stream” even if SCE shareholders were losing money on a given enterprise. SCE further stated the settlement in the proceeding is consistent with prior Commission decisions on revenue sharing mechanisms. SCE additionally made the point that hearings were unnecessary. The meeting concluded with SCE and ORA urging approval of the settlement as soon as possible.

**Filer: Southern California Edison Company**

**Contact: Anthony Archer**

**Phone: (626) 302-3104**

2/2/99            I87-11-033            Commission investigation into alternative regulatory frameworks for local telecommunications exchange carriers

**Summary:** On January 29, 1999, three (3) Pacific Bell (“PacBell”) representatives met with and engaged in oral ex parte communications at CPUC with Commissioner Neepser and his advisor, Fassil Fenikile. The PacBell representatives were Bill Blase, Jim Young, and David Discher. PacBell initiated the contact. Notwithstanding the recent Supreme Court decision in AT&T v Iowa Utilities Board, Mr. Young stated there are four (4) reasons why the Commission need not change its existing decision requiring simultaneous inter LATA and intraLATA entry. The four (4) reasons stated were (a) the timing issue may be subject to further consideration by the Eighth Circuit, (b) § 271 confers on states the right to address timing, (c) preemption applies only to state rules inconsistent with the Act, and (d) simultaneous entry was the basis for the parties’ settlement and cannot now be changed by some of those same parties.

**Filer: Pacific Bell**

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2/2/99            A98-07-026            Southern California Edison Company, to consolidate authorized rates and revenue requirements; verify residual competition transition charge revenues; review and dispose of amounts in various balancing and memorandum accounts; verify regulatory balances transferred to the transition cost balancing account on 1/1/98; and propose rate recovery for Santa Catalina Island Diesel fuel costs

- A98-07-003 Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for verification, consolidation, and approval of costs and revenues in the Transition Revenue Account
- A98-07-006 San Diego Gas & Electric Company, for approval of consolidated changes in 1999 authorized revenue and revised rate components; the CTC rate component and associated headroom calculations, RGTCOMA balances; credit computations, disposition of various balancing/memorandum accounts; and electric revenue allocation and rate design changes

**Summary:** On January 28, 1999, representatives of three (3) organizations met with Ann Watson, advisor to Commission President Bilas, and conveyed oral ex parte communications. The representatives were William H. Booth of the California Large Energy Consumers Association (“CLECA”), Keith McCrea of the California Manufacturers Association (“CMA”), and Bruce Foster of Southern California Edison (“Edison”). Edison initiated the meeting, and CLECA filed the Notice of Ex Parte Communication on behalf of the attendees. Mr. Booth stated CLECA’s concerns regarding the issue of reallocating responsibility for payment of transition costs among the several customer classes. He further stated that in accordance with AB 1890, transition costs should be allocated among the customer classes based on allocation of non-economic generation costs contained in the June 1996 rates approved by PUC. He said the Legislature in its hearings leading to AB 1890 rejected proposals recently offered by the Office of Ratepayer Advocates (“ORA”) to allocate costs using generation marginal costs. Instead, Mr. McCrea stated, the Legislature adopted the allocation used in the June, 1996 rates, i.e. full EPMC.

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- 2/16/99 A98-01-008 Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for authority to sell Hunters Point, Potrero, Pittsburg, and Contra Costa Power Plants and Geysers geothermal power plant and related assets.

**Summary:** On February 10, 1999, Gordon Smith, President and Chief Executive Officer of Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E), had a telephone conversation with Cmmr. Bilas. Also present were: Kristel Frank, Director, Regulatory Relations, and Joseph Malkin, outside counsel, for PG&E. A copy of page three from PG&E’s January 4, 1999, “Reply to Protest and Response to Compliance Filing” was sent to Cmmr. Bilas via facsimile transmission. Referring to page three of PG&E’s reply to the Office of Ratepayer Advocates’ response to PG&E’s compliance filing, Malkin stated it contains information about the share of divested utility generation owned by the new buyers in California. In addition, Malkin indicated that the information shows that Southern Energy owns less of the divested generation than either AES or Houston Industries, and that there are five non-utility generators that each own approximately 15 percent of the divested generation.

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**Summary:** On February 10, 1999, Kristel Frank, Regulatory Relations, Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E), met with Dorothy Duda, advisor to Cmmr. Bilas, in San Francisco. Frank stated that there are no market power concerns related to the sale of PG&E's fossil power plants to Southern Energy, and that the Commission should not delay approving the sale. Frank noted that after the sale is complete, Southern Energy will not be the largest holder of generation in California; that PG&E still owns approximately 9,000 MW of undivested generation. Frank indicated that the earlier power plant auctions have resulted in other independent power producers with a greater share in generation. Frank stated further that the Delta and Portero plants are subject to the must-run contracts; therefore they cannot exercise market power because they are needed for reliability. In addition, Frank stated that the 30-day notice provision, under Hart-Scott-Rodino, has been waived because the U.S. Department of Justice has determined that there are no market power concerns regarding this sale. Frank stated that the other provisions also exist to protect against the exercise of market power. Finally, Frank pointed out that Federal Energy Regulatory Commission will only grant authorization for a power plant owner to sell at market-based rates if the applicant does not have market power.

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2/16/99            A98-05-022            Pacific Gas and Electric Company, to report assessments of inventory balances and to address appraisal of retained generation assets

**Summary:** On February 9, 1999, Les Guliasi, Manager, Regulatory Relations, Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E), wrote a letter (attached to the notice) to Cmmr. Duque, Cmmr. Bilas and Cmmr. Neep. Attached to the letter was a presentation (attached to the notice) titled, "The Future of PG&E's Hydro System".

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2/18/99            A98-06-051            Isam M. Alziq to transfer and A & M United Group, L.L.C. to acquire a certificate of public convenience and necessity and certain other assets pursuant to sections 851 et seq. of the California Public Utilities Code

**Summary:** On February 17, 1999, Carol Dumond, attorney for the Rail Safety and Carriers Division (RSCD), met with ALJ Rosenthal in San Francisco. Dumond indicated that, even if Applicant proved fit to hold a certificate of public convenience and necessity, RSCD would continue to object to the transfer of this particular certificate on the grounds stated in its motion of February 11, 1999.

**Filer: Rail Safety and Carriers Division**

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