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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

**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 15, 1999	1:30 pm	San Francisco
March 29, 1999	1:30 pm	San Francisco
April 19, 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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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.

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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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Ness Avenue; San Francisco, CA 94102; or by calling (415) 703-1798. The subscription cost for the Daily Calendar is \$225 per year. The Biweekly Daily Calendar is \$50 per year. The Agenda is \$75 per year. Checks are to be made payable to the Public Utilities Commission.

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 Los Angeles
3/12/99, 9 am - 12 pm	Josiah L. Neeper	State Office Building 1350 Front Street, Room 4006 San Diego

PUBLIC MEETINGS & WORKSHOPS

Public Meeting

March 3, 1999

10 am – 2 pm (PST)

PG&E Energy Center

851 Howard Street (between 4th and 5th 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. 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

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

Workshop Notice

March 8, 1999

9:30 am

California Public Utilities Commission

505 Van Ness Avenue, Training Room

San Francisco

The Energy Division staff will conduct a workshop to address selected Demand Side Management reporting requirement issues. This location is wheelchair accessible. The workshop is open to the general public. For more information, contact Pamela Durgin in the Commission's Energy Division at (415) 703-1124.

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. 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 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

Public Meeting

March 9, 1999
7 pm

Isleton Community Center
208 Jackson Boulevard
Isleton

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Public Meeting

March 10, 1999
9 am - 12 pm

Hiram W. Johnson State Building
455 Golden Gate Avenue, Auditorium B-100
San Francisco
(Across from the Federal Building)

The ULTS Marketing Board (ULTSMB) will hold a mandatory Bidders' Conference for its interim marketing program. All prospective bidders **must** be in attendance. All questions addressed at the Bidders' Conference must be presented in writing; question cards will be available at the meeting. Attendees may also submit pre-prepared written questions upon registration.

Transcripts of the conference will be available at a cost. This location is accessible to people with disabilities. If special accommodations are needed, e.g. sign language interpreters, please call the ULTS TRUST office at (510) 452-2757 five working days in advance of the meeting. The ULTS will try to accommodate your request. Contact Terry Gray at (510) 452-2757 for additional information regarding the Bidders' Conference or to receive a copy of the RFP.

Public Meeting

March 10, 1999

12:30 pm – 5:30 pm

California Public Utilities Commission

505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 3212

San Francisco

Immediately following the ULTSMB Mandatory Bidders Conference, the ULTS Marketing Board will hold its regular meeting to discuss the following: Review/Approve Meeting Minutes, Review/Approve Administrative Report and Action Items, Review/Approve Expenses for February 1999, Review ULTSMB Correspondences, PUC Report and Action Items, Review/Approve Errors and Omissions Insurance, Announcements, Set Agenda Items for Future Discussion and Hear Public Comments. The Board will meet in **Executive Session** to respond to questions raised at the Bidders Conference. If the Board is unable to complete the responses by 5:30 p.m., the executive session will be continued (if necessary) on March 11th from 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

The general 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: California Board for Energy Efficiency

March 10, 1999

1 pm to 5 pm

Pacific Energy Center

851 Howard Street

San Francisco

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Public Meeting: California Board for Energy Efficiency

March 11, 1999
8:30 am to 3 pm

Pacific Energy Center
851 Howard Street
San Francisco

Teleconference Information:

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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.

Workshop Notice – REVISED AS OF 2/26/99

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

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

The Administrative Committee for the CHCF-A, CHCF-B, and CTF will conduct its next monthly meeting on March 24, 1999. The agenda for this meeting is (1) Introduction and Public Comments; (2) Approve Public Meeting Minutes of 2/17/1999; (3) Status of the selection of a Financial Institution(s) for Trusts for CHCF- B and CTF; (4) Status of the selection of a CPA firm for the Annual Audit of CHCF-A; (5) Review and approve CHCF-B claims and expenses; (6) Review and approve CHCF-A expenses; (7) Review and approve CTF expenses; (8) Status Report of the CTF Fund and Claims Process; and (9) Discussion of Relationship of CTF Program with Federal E-rate Program. For more information, please contact Public Program Branch at 415-703-1638.

Public Meeting

March 25, 1999
10 am - 4 pm

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

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
1939 Harrison Street
DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
Oakland*

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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DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
Oakland*

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Public Meeting

April 8, 1999
and
April 9, 1999

10 am - 4 pm

*Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
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Oakland*

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Public Meeting

April 23, 1999
10 am - 4 pm

*Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
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Oakland*

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Public Meeting

May 4, 1999
10 am - 4 pm

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DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
Oakland*

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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

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

NONE

NEW FILINGS

2/22/99	A99-02-031	Pacific Gas and Electric Company, City of Monterey, City of Morgan Hill, and City of Watsonville, for an order under Section 851 of the California Public Utilities Code Section 851 to sell and convey streetlight systems
2/23/99	C99-02-030	Cynthia A. McKean vs. El Portal Mobile Estates/Evans Management Services, for illegal charges for the replacement/upgrade of the park electrical system
2/26/99	A99-02-032	Southwest Gas Corporation and Oneok, Inc., for

authorization to implement the agreement and plan of
merger dated December 14, 1998

PETITIONS FOR MODIFICATION AND APPLICATIONS FOR REHEARING

NONE

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

3/1/99	I98-04-033	Commission Order Instituting Investigation, into the operations and practices of affiliated companies Future Net Inc. and Future Net Online, Inc. dba Future Electric Network and individuals Alan Setlin and Larry Huff; Presiding Officer's Decision of ALJ Bushey
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ADVICE LETTER FILINGS

NONE

MISCELLANEOUS TRANSPORTATION ITEMS

March 2, 1999

Filings with Rail Safety and Carriers Division

NONE

MISCELLANEOUS TELECOMMUNICATION MATTERS

March 2, 1999

NONE

ADJOURNMENTS * RESETTINGS * SUBMISSIONS

R93-04-003 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 March 2**

REMOVALS FROM CALENDAR

A.89-03-026 Stalder-Southern California Edison Company for certificate to construct and operate 220KV transmission line between Kramer substation and Victor Substation in San Bernardino County, **Hearing set for March 4, removed from calendar**

NEW SETTINGS

3/11/99	9:30 a.m.	(PHC)-McMullen Cabinet Manufacturing vs. Pacific Gas and Electric Company,
ALJ Ryerson	C.98-12-003	Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
Comr Neeper		
3/18/99	10:00 a.m.	(PHC)-Southern California Water District for approval pursuant to Public Utilities Code Sections 454 and 851 of a settlement agreement delineating water rights in the six basins and for authority to effect related ratemaking changes in its Claremont District,
ALJ Walker	A.98-12-036	Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
Comr Duque		

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

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.

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

3/2/99	9:00 a.m.	(EH) -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,
ALJ Walwyn	R.93-04-003	
Comr Bilas		(EH) -Investigation of the Commission's Own Motion into Open Access and Network Architecture Development of Dominant Carrier Networks, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also March 3-5)
Comr Duque	I.93-04-002	

3/2/99 ALJ McVicar Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. A.99-01-018	(PHC) -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, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
3/3/99 ALJ Kotz	10:00 a.m. R.99-02-001	(WS) -Rulemaking for Purposes of Implementing Certain Statutory Requirements Regarding Public Review and Comment for Specified Commission Decisions, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
3/4/99 ALJ Vieth Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A98-09-013	(EH) -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, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
3/4/99 ALJ Bennett Comr Bilas	9:00 a.m. C.97-09-030	(EH) -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, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also March 5)
3/4/99 ALJ Malcolm Comr Conlon Comr Neeper	11:00 a.m. R.96-11-004	(PHC) -Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking to develop standards for electric system reliability and safety pursuant to D96-09-073, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
3/4/99 ALJ Mattson Comr Neeper	1:00 p.m. A.98-11-024	(AH) -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, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
3/8/99 ALJ Bushey Comr Neeper	10:00 a.m. I.96-02-043	(PHC) -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, **Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**

3/10/99 10:00 a.m. (WS)-Order Instituting Rulemaking on the
ALJ Gottstein R.98-07-037 Commission's Proposed Policies and Programs
Comr Neeper Governing Energy Efficiency, Low-Income Assistance,
Renewable Energy and Research Development and
Demonstration, **Commission Courtroom, San
Francisco**

3/11/99 9:30 a.m. (PHC)-McMullen Cabinet Manufacturing vs. Pacific
ALJ Ryerson C.98-12-003 Gas and Electric Company,
Comr Neeper **Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**

3/11/99 10:00 a.m. (EH)-Application of A & M United Group, LLC, a
ALJ A.98-06-051 limited Liability Company, to acquire, and Isam M.
Rosenthal Alziq to transfer a passenger stage certificate of public
Comr Duque convenience and necessity and certain other assets,
pursuant to section 851, et seq, of the California Public
Utilities Code, **Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles
(also March 12)**

3/12/99 9:30 a.m. (EH)-Stereos R Us vs. General Telephone and
ALJ DeUlloa C.99-02-020 Electronics, **Pomona Unified School District, Board
Room Annex, 800 So. Garey Avenue, Pomona**

3/15/99 10:00 a.m. (EH)-Southern California Gas Company for authority
ALJ Gottstein A.96-03-031 to revise its rates effective January 1, 1997 in its
Comr Conlon Biennial Cost Allocation Proceeding for a total
reduction in annual revenues of approximately \$147.9
million (5.7%),
A.96-04-030 (EH)-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, **Commission Courtroom, San
Francisco (also 9:00 a.m., March 16-19)**

3/16/99 9:00 a.m. (EH)-Investigation on the Commission's Own Motion
ALJ McVicar I98-09-007 into the operations and practices of the Pacific Gas and
Comr Duque Electric Company in connection with Public Utilities
Comr Neeper Code Section 451, General Order 95, and other
applicable standards governing tree-line clearances,

**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
(also (EH) March 17-19, March 22-26, March 29-31, April 1-2)**

3/16/99 ALJ Gottstein Comr Duque	2:00 p.m. A.98-12-021	(PHC) -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., Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
3/16/99 ALJ Walker Comr Duque	2:00 p.m. A.98-12-028	(PHC) -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, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
3/16/99 ALJ Gottstein Comr Duque	3:00 p.m. A.98-12-038	(PHC) -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, Department of Motor Vehicles, Conference Room, 49 South Rosemead Boulevard, Pasadena
3/18/99 ALJ Walker Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A.98-12-036	(PHC) -Southern California Water District for approval pursuant to Public Utilities Code Sections 454 and 851 of a settlement agreement delineating water rights in the six basins and for authority to effect related ratemaking changes in its Claremont District, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
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, Council Chambers, 1900 Lake Tahoe Blvd., So. Lake Tahoe
3/22/99 ALJ Bushey Comr Neeper	1:30 p.m. R.97-08-001	(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,

	I.97-08-002	(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, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
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, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also March 23-24)
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, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
3/23/99 ALJ Vieth	10:00 a.m. C.99-02-028	(ECP)-Cheryl Duke vs. Pacific Bell, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
3/23/99 ALJ Barnett Comr Bilas	2:00 p.m. A.98-07-005 A98-10-012 A.98-10-031	(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, (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 ALJ Bushey Comr Duque	9:00 a.m. I.98-08-004	(EH)-Investigation on the Commission's own motion 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)**

3/25/99 9:30 a.m. (PHC)- Sereno Del Mar Water Company and Russian River Utility, for an order authorizing Sereno Del Mar Water Company to transfer and Russian River Utility to acquire the water system in Sonoma County, **Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**
ALJ Weiss A.98-07-046
Comr Duque

3/29/99 7:00 p.m. (PPH)-Apple Valley Recreation and Park District, 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)
ALJ Walker A.98-09-040
Comr Duque

3/30/99 10:00 a.m. (EH)-Dorothy Dominguez and Ralph A. Martinez vs. Great American Stageline for refusal to allow passengers to board, **Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles**
ALJ Bennett C.98-08-008
Comr Duque

3/31/99 9:30 a.m. (PHC)-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, (PHC)-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, **Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**
ALJ Econome C.93-07-046
Comr Bilas C.94-02-009

4/1/99 9:00 a.m. (EH)-Ralph Azevedo, Ronald Azevedo, and Albert Ferari, vs. Union Pacific Railroad Company and
ALJ Bushey C.98-09-011

Comr Neeper		California Northern Railroad Company for replacement and/or maintenance of fence line, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
4/5/99 ALJ O'Donnell	10:00 a.m. I.98-12-013	(EH) -Order Instituting investigation into the power outage that occurred on December 8, 1998 on Pacific Gas and Electric Company's electric system, Commission Auditorium, San Francisco
4/8/99 ALJ Patrick Comr Conlon	10:00 a.m. R.92-03-050	(PHC) -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, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
4/12/99 ALJ Vieth Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. A.99-01-006	(PHC) - Maria Avelar and Timothy Allen Wosick, dba Bottom Line Results Moving for a household goods carrier permit, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
4/16/99 ALJ Bushey Comr Knight	10:00 a.m. C.95-08-039	(PHC) -Bayside Village, The Fillmore Center, and North Point Apartments vs. Pacific Bell for failure to take responsibility for all building cross connects, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
4/28/99 ALJ O'Donnell Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. I.98-12-013	(PHC) -Order Instituting Investigation Into the Power Outage Which Occurred on December 8, 1998 on Pacific Gas & Electric Company's Electric System, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (EH) June 1-4, June 7-11)
4/29/99 ALJ Bennett Comr Neeper	9:00 a.m. A.98-05-053	(PHC) -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, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (EH) May 18-21, May 24-28)
4/30/99 ALJ Barnett Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A.98-11-023	(PHC) -Pacific Gas and Electric Company to establish performance-based ratemaking for electric and gas utility distribution service effective January 1, 2001, 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)

5/3/99 ALJ O'Donnell Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A.98-12-025	(PHC) -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, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also 9:30 a.m., May 4-7)
5/24/99 ALJ Galvin Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A98-07-020 A.98-07-029	(EH) -In the Matter of the Application of Pacific Bell a corporation, for Authority to Categorize Centrex as a Category III Service, (EH) -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, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also May 25-28, June 1-4)
5/24/99 ALJ Walker Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A.98-09-040	(EH) -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, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also May 25-28)
6/3/99 ALJ Mattson Comr Neeper	10:00 a.m. A.98-12-005	(PHC) -In the matter of the joint application of GTE Corporation ("GTE") and Bell Atlantic 98-12-005 Control of GTE's California Utility Subsidiaries to Bell Atlantic, which will occur indirectly as a result of GTE's merger with Bell Atlantic, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco, (also (EH) June 7-11, June 14-18, June 21-25)
6/14/99 ALJ Barnett Comr Conlon Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. A.97-12-039	(EH) -San Diego Gas & Electric Company for authority to sell electrical generation facilities and power contracts, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also June 15-18)
6/14/99 ALJ Minkin	10:00 a.m. A98-09-003	(PHC) -Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for Review and Recovery of the Costs and

Comr Duque		Revenues in the Transition Cost Balancing Account (U
Comr Conlon		39 E),
	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,
	A98-09-009	(PHC)-Application of San Diego Gas & Electric
		Company in the Annual Transition Cost Proceeding
		Regarding the Transition Cost Balancing Account
		(TCBA),
		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

NOTICE OF DENIAL OF REQUEST FOR EX PARTE MEETING

On September 20, 1996, the Commission adopted Resolution ALJ 169 regarding the "Filing of Notice of Denial of Request for Ex Parte Meeting". The resolution implements an interim procedure whereby a party whose written request for an ex parte meeting with a Commissioner has been denied will be allowed to file a notice of such denial. Copies of Resolution ALJ 169 are available from the Commission's Central Files Office at 505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 2002, San Francisco; telephone (415) 703-2045. Copies of tendered notices are available in the Central Files Office for review and/or reproduction under existing procedures. They are also available from the filing party who is under the obligation to provide copies of the notice without delay.

NONE FILED

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

NONE

NOTICE OF EX PARTE COMMUNICATIONS

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2/3/99 A96-03-007 Pacific Bell, for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide InterLATA and IntraLATA and local exchange telecommunications services.

Summary: On January 29, 1999, Dan Jacobsen of Pacific Bell ("PacBell") initiated a telephone call to Fassil Fenekile, advisor to Commissioner Neeper. Mr. Jacobsen told Fassil Fenekile that PacBell service representatives do not have access to carrier billing details for the big three IXC's and only refer carrier billing information to carry out billing tasks as requested by carriers. He also said the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC") was aware that BOC's have access to carrier billing information and that the FCC has ruled that the service representatives should not be denied access to information. FCC's rulings, according to Mr. Jacobsen, merely held that such information should be safeguarded.

Filer: Pacific Bell

Contact: Lila Tam

Phone: (415) 542-3820

2/24/99 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.

 A98-07-003 Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for verification, consolidation, and approval of costs and revenues in the Transition Revenue Account.

 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.

Summary: LATE FILED. On February 10, 1999, Commonwealth Energy Corp. ("Commonwealth") representatives conducted three (3) meetings at CPUC with commissioners and conveyed oral communications in each. Frederick M. Bloom and Norman A. Pedersen met in order with: (a) Commission President Bilas, (b) Commissioner Duque and advisor Michelle Cooke, and (c) Commissioner Neeper and advisor David Gamson. The content of the communication was the same in each meeting. Mr. Bloom provided information about Commonwealth, which is headquartered in Tustin and has

offices in San Diego and Palm Desert. He stated the following. Commonwealth is the largest energy service provider (“ESP”) in California in terms of customers, over 40,000. The company recently announced it is converting all of its customers to green power while continuing to offer the same discount from utility distribution company (“UDC”) commodity charges that it is currently offering. The green power market is a “niche” market in which ESP’s can survive as a result of California Energy Commission credits. There has been a rapid exodus of ESP’s from the conventional retail electricity market. That is because of the difficulty in competing with UDC commodity prices, currently reflected in the “PX energy credit.” These prices are based on the wholesale Power Exchange price with no mark up to cover UDC overhead expenses associated with procurement. It is critical that PUC address retail UDC commodity pricing if the Commission is interested in developing meaningful retail competition for conventional power.

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- 2/24/99 A99-01-016 Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for authority to establish post-transition period electric ratemaking mechanisms
- A99-01-019 San Diego Gas & Electric Company, for authority to implement post rate freeze ratemaking mechanism
- A99-01-034 Southern California Edison Company, to propose a method to determine and implement the end of the rate freeze; and propose ratemaking mechanisms which should be in place after the end of the rate freeze period

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