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REGULAR COMMISSION BUSINESS MEETINGS

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REGULAR COMMISSION ADMINISTRATIVE MEETINGS

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March 23, 1999	4 pm	San Francisco
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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

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

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COMMISSIONER OFFICE HOURS

(For further information or to make an appointment, please contact 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: California Board for Energy Efficiency (CANCELLED AS OF 3/9/99)

March 11, 1999	Pacific Energy Center	
8:30 am to 3 pm	851 Howard Street	
	San Francisco	

Teleconference Information: This meeting is accessible by teleconference. To call in, dial: 1-888-550-5969. After the prompt, enter the access code followed by the pound sign. To obtain the access code, please contact Elizabeth Gunn, Board Coordinator, at (415) 703-1956, or by e-mail at egunn@cpuc.ca.gov

The California Board for Energy Efficiency (CBEE) will meet to discuss the following topics: Commission Decision on Administrative Structures; Early 1999 Activities and Programs, Including Draft Resolution Extending Bridge Funding; Program Planning for 1999 and Utilities' November 16/17 Advice Letter Filings, Including Program Descriptions for Non-Residential Programs; Market Assessment and Evaluation (MA&E); Reporting Requirements; Response to Energy Division Letter; CBEE Work Plan and Schedule for 1999; Organizational Planning and Staffing; Board Compensation; CBEE Web Site Revisions; Development of Program Planning for py2000; Preparation for March 10th Workshop; Status Report and Follow-up on Program Descriptions; Board Operations; Updates and Status Reports from Committees; and Scheduling and Agenda Planning for Future Meetings. The meeting is open to the public. The contact person is Mark Thayer (619) 594-5510. For further information about the CBEE and this meeting consult the CBEE Web Page at www.cbee.org

Public Meeting: California Board for Energy Efficiency

March 11, 1999	Pacific Energy Center	
10 am to 5 pm	851 Howard Street	
	San Francisco	

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Public Meeting: California Board of Energy

March 12, 1999 8:30 am to 12 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

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Public Meeting - LIGB (3RD REVISION AS OF 3/9/99)

March 16 and 17, 1999	PG&E Energy Center
<i>10 am</i> − <i>4 pm</i>	851 Howard Street (between 4 th and 5 th Streets)
	Green Room
	San Francisco

The Board will meet to discuss the following topics: Report by the Treasurer; Discuss the Board's budget issues for 1998 and 1999; Program year 1999 compliance oversight (utility presentations; Board follow-up with guidance, feedback and recommendations as appropriate); Ratification of Feb. 24th Policy Issues regarding ALJ workshop and 1999 LIGB Budget; Strategic planning to incorporate the ALJ's directives from March 10 meeting; Revise and resubmit program year 2000 LIEE and CARE recommendation for Commission approval; Issue requests for pilots for year 2000; Response to utility Technical Advice Letter filings regarding the needs assessment and outreach plan (if available – expected March 19); Discuss and provide feedback to utilities regarding standardization of annual reporting guidelines; Discuss and provide feedback to utilities regarding standardization of administrative cost treatment; Develop ideas for Energy Division Workshop likely to be scheduled in April, but held by May 4; Begin Phase 2 strategy and comments (scheduled to be due on or about June 4); Begin discussions regarding how to advance competitive bidding in 1999 and 2000 programs; Initiate request for utility joint proposal on uniform implementation of measures; Develop strategy regarding AEAP consideration of performance incentives and development of Board advice to the Commission; and Finalize and implement plans to increase public input; Discuss Bagley-Keene Requirements; Discussion and decision about issues to be included in the March 26, 1999 proposal about Board structure and operating procedures.

An agenda for the meeting is being developed and can be obtained from the LIGB's website at www.ligb.org This meeting is open to the public. The location is wheelchair accessible. For more information contact Sharon Weinberg at (510) 251-2888, extension 2025.

Workshop Notice

March 17, 1999	Pacific Gas & Electric Company
9 am	123 Mission Street
	Room 671
	San Francisco

The Energy Division staff will conduct a workshop to discuss to discuss the validating, editing and estimating rules (VEE) for direct access meter data. The workshop will consider whether a group should be formed to perform ongoing to (1) clarify the rules by adding examples, flow charts, and definitions; (2) review the interval and monthly VEE rules now that the market is operational; and (3) develop a change management procedure to consider changes to the permanent rules.

This workshop is being held Pursuant to D.98-12-080, Ordering Paragraph 7. The workshop is open to the public and is wheelchair accessible. For more information contact Steve Roscow of the Energy Division (phone: 415-703-1189).

Public Meeting - Time Change (SECOND REVISON - AS OF 3/8/99)

March 17, 1999	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
10 am - 3 pm	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

March 17, 1999	California Public Utilities Commission
1:30 pm	505 Van Ness Avenue
	Training Room
	San Francisco

LOTTERY FOR TELEPHONE NUMBER PREFIX ASSIGNMENTS IN THE 209/559, 213/323, 310, 408/831, 415, 510, 619, 650, 707, 714, 760, 805, 818, AND 909 NUMBERING PLAN AREAS

The Telecommunications Division of the California Public Utilities Commission will be conducting a lottery to determine allocations of central office codes (NXXs) in the 209/559, 213/323, 310, 408/831, 415, 510, 619, 650, 707, 714, 760, 805, 818, and 909 area codes pursuant to the provisions of D.96-09-087. Applications should be submitted to the California Code Administrator prior to the close of business on March 9, 1999. All companies applying for central office codes must have a Jeopardy COCUS (Central Office Code Utilization Survey) on file with the California Code Administrator. For information on the Jeopardy COCUS filing, call (925) 363-8736. For information on the lottery process, call (415) 703- 1879. If specialized accommodations for the disabled are needed, call the Public Advisor at (415) 703-2032 five working days in advance of the event. Companies who wish to have a sealed envelope prepared for them on an ongoing basis containing their confidential letter designations for each NPA lottery drawing, should submit such a request in writing prior to the close of business on March 9, 1999 to: Mary Jo Borak, Telecommunications Division, California Public Utilities Commission, 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94102.

Public Meeting

March 17, 1999	California Public Utilities Commission
1:30 am to 4 pm	505 Van Ness Avenue,
	Room 3204
	San Francisco

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

Public Meeting

March 19, 1999	Los Angeles International Airport Hilton
9 am - 2 pm	5711 West Century Boulevard
	Los Angeles
	(Consult Hotel Directory for Room Information.)

The <u>EQUIPMENT PROGRAM ADVISORY COMMITTEE</u> of the Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will hold its regular monthly meeting. For more information about the meeting, or if you plan to attend the meeting and need sign language interpretation or real-time captioning, contact Elana Kalisher at

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

Public Meeting

March 22, 1999	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
10 am - 12 pm	1939 Harrison Street
	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland

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

Workshop Notice

March 23 & 24, 1999	California Public Utilities Commission
9 am – 4 pm	505 Van Ness Avenue
	Room 4000
	San Francisco

The Energy Division staff will conduct a workshop to discuss the findings and recommendations of three reports Pursuant to the December 16, 1998, Assigned Commissioners' Ruling Establishing Category and Providing Scoping Memo in Compliance with Article 2.5 SB 960 Rules and Procedures, Ruling Paragraph 1. The reports are: "Agreed Upon Special Procedures Audit of Transition Cost Balancing Accounts and Headroom Revenues for Pacific Gas and Electric Company, Southern California Edison Company, and San Diego Gas & Electric Company", prepared by Mitchell & Titus, LLP, and issued on December 31, 1998.

"Report on Energy Division's Review of Southern California Edison Company's Transition Cost Balancing Account Expenses and its Compliance with Commission Decisions and the California Public Utilities Code", issued on February 26, 1999.

"Report on Energy Division's Review of San Diego Gas & Electric Company's Transition Cost Balancing Account Expenses and its Compliance with Commission Decisions and the California Public Utilities Code", issued on February 26, 1999.

The workshop is open to the public and Room 4000 is wheelchair accessible. For more information contact Mark Kent Bumgardner of the Energy Division (phone: 415-703-2887, or e-mail MBumgardner@CPUC.CA.Gov). A complete copy of the Notice of Workshop may be obtained from the Commission's website at: http://162.15.5.2:80/wk-group/dai/lp/

Public Meeting: California Board for Energy Efficiency MA&E Briefing

March 24, 1999	Sempra Energy Building
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9 am - 12:30 pm	101 Ash Street	
	San Diego, California	

The California Board for Energy Efficiency (CBEE) will meet to hold a briefing for CBEE members and the public on four state-level Market Assessment and Evaluation (MA&E) projects scheduled to produce final reports by mid-April, 1999. Projects to be covered at the briefing will include: (1) an evaluation of the 1998 Non-Residential SPC program; (2) a baseline study on residential attitudes on energy efficiency issues among California residents; (3) a scoping study on existing baseline data on energy efficiency markets in California, with recommendations for further baseline data collection activities; and (4) a scoping study on priorities and methods for tracking of the market share held by energy efficiency measures, with recommendations for specific market share tracking activities. The briefing will be organized by project, with the lead contractor for each project providing a 20-minute long presentation on the draft final results of the project, followed by up to 20-25 minutes of questions, answers, and discussion on that project. Members of the CBEE's Technical Services Consulting team will facilitate. The meeting is open to the public. The contact person is Mark Thayer (619) 594-5510. For further information about CBEE consult the CBEE Web Page at www.cbee.org.

Workshop Notice - REVISED AS OF 2/26/99

March 24, 1999	California Public Utilities Commission
9:30 am - 12:30 pm	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	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
10 am - 4 pm	1939 Harrison Street
	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland

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

Public Meeting

March 26, 1999	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
10 am - 4 pm	1939 Harrison Street
	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland

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

Public Meeting

April 6, 1999	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
10 am - 4 pm	1939 Harrison Street
	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland

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

Public Meeting

April 8, 1999	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
and	1939 Harrison Street
April 9, 1999	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland
10 am - 4 pm	
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The <u>EQUIPMENT PROGRAM ADVISORY COMMITTEE</u> of the Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will hold its regular monthly meeting. For more information about the meeting, or if you plan to attend the meeting and need sign language interpretation or real-time captioning, contact Elana Kalisher at (510) 874-1410 VOICE or (510) 874-1411 TTY. <u>Environmental Reminder</u>: Please refrain from wearing perfumes or scents to DDTP meetings, because people with environmental illness or multiple chemical sensitivity must reduce their exposure in order to attend.

Public Meeting

April 22, 1999	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
10 am - 2 pm	1939 Harrison Street, Suite 555
	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland

The <u>711 SUB-COMMITTEE</u> 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. <u>Environmental Reminder</u>: Please refrain from wearing perfumes or scents to DDTP meetings, because people with environmental illness or multiple chemical sensitivity must reduce their exposure in order to attend.

Public Meeting

April 23, 1999	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
10 am - 4 pm	1939 Harrison Street
	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland

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Public Meeting

May 4, 1999	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
10 am - 4 pm	1939 Harrison Street
	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland

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

Public Meeting

May 13, 1999	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
10 am - 4 pm	1939 Harrison Street
	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland

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

Public Meeting

May 21, 1999	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
10 am - 4 pm	1939 Harrison Street
_	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland

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

<u>Draft Resolution Approving Disclosure Of Information Concerning Utility Readiness With Respect To The Year 2000 Computer Problem, Including Utility Responses to Resolution M-4792, Dated November 19, 1998 Available For Public Review And Comment.</u>

A draft resolution (M-4793) of the Executive Division approving disclosure of information concerning utility readiness with respect to the Year 2000 (Y2K) computer problem, including utility responses to resolution M-4792, dated November 19, 1998, will be on the April 1, 1999 Commission meeting agenda. The Commission may vote on this resolution at that time, or it may postpone a vote until later. When the Commission votes on M-4793, it may adopt all or part of it as written, amend or modify it, or set it aside and prepare a different resolution.

The draft resolution was circulated on March 2, 1999 to the Resolution M-4792 Service List, and to other entities, such as certain passenger stage corporations and vessel common carriers, who have been asked to provide information concerning their Y2K readiness.

Utilities and other entities providing Y2K readiness reports to the Commission pursuant to Resolution M-4792 may request in comments to this draft resolution that certain limited portions of their Y2K readiness reports should be treated as confidential. Entities seeking confidential treatment should recognize the strong public interest in disclosure of Y2K readiness information, and should seek confidential treatment only if they can demonstrate to the Commission's satisfaction both that the portions they wish kept confidential fall within a specific exemption in the California Public Records Act (Government Code Section 6250 et seq.) and that the public interest in nondisclosure clearly outweighs the public interest in disclosure. An entity should not seek confidential treatment of any information which has been made publicly available through Y2K readiness reports filed by that entity with other agencies or through reports posted on the entity's web site. Any request for confidentiality must be filed prior to the close of the comment period for this resolution.

Interested parties may obtain a copy of M-4793 for review and submission of written comments. A copy of the draft resolution may be obtained from, and any subsequent written comments should be submitted to:

Fred Harris, Staff Counsel Legal Division California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 5122 San Francisco, CA 94102 Telephone: (415) 703-1557

An original and 2 copies of comments must be received by the Legal Division by March 15, 1999. Comments shall focus on factual, legal or technical error in the proposed resolution, or on narrowly tailored requests for confidential treatment of limited portions of Y2K readiness information, as outlined above. Late filed comments will ordinarily be rejected. However, in extraordinary circumstances, a request for leave to submit comments late, together with the proposed comments, may be filed. An accompanying declaration under penalty of perjury shall also be submitted setting forth all the reasons for the late submission.

Draft Resolution Authorizing Southern California Edison Company and Pacific Gas and Electric Company to Implement a Payment Deferral Plan for Citrus Producers. Qualifying Citrus Producers May Defer up to 50% of Their Electric Bills for a Period up to Twelve Months. The Draft Resolution is Available for Public Review and Comment.

A draft Resolution (E-3593) of the Energy Division_authorizing SCE and PG&E to defer up to 50% of the electric bills for qualifying citrus producers will be on the April 1, 1999 Commission Meeting Agenda. The Commission may vote on this Resolution at that time, or it may postpone a vote until later. When the Commission votes on E-3593, it may adopt all or part of it as written, amend or modify it, or set it aside and prepare a different Resolution.

The draft Resolution was circulated on March 2, 1999 to a service list of over 200 persons who usually participate in electric issues at the Commission.

Utilities and other entities may provide comments to draft Resolution E-3593. Interested persons may obtain a copy of E-3593 for review and filing of written comments. A copy of the draft Resolution may be obtained from, and subsequent comments should be submitted to:

Juanita Porter
Energy Division
California Public Utilities Commission
505 Van Ness Avenue
San Francisco, CA 94102
Telephone: (415) 703-1093

Persons may submit comments on the draft Resolution by March 22, 1999. The date of submission is the date the comments are *received* by the Energy Division.

Persons must serve a copy of their comments on all persons on the service list attached to the draft Resolution, on the same date that the comments are submitted to the Energy Division. A copy of the service list may be obtained from Ms. Porter.

Comments shall be limited to 5 pages in length plus a subject index listing the recommended changes to the draft Resolution, a table of authorities, and an appendix setting forth proposed findings and ordering paragraphs.

Comments shall focus on factual, legal, or technical errors in the draft Resolution. Latesubmitted comments will ordinarily be rejected. However, in extraordinary circumstances, a request for leave to submit comments late may be filed together with the proposed comments. An accompanying declaration under penalty of perjury shall be submitted setting forth all the reasons for the late submission.

NEW FILINGS		
3/4/99	A99-03-012	Sierra Pacific Power Company, for an order authorizing it to sell certain generating plants and related assets located in the state of Nevada pursuant to Section 851 of the Public Utilities Code
3/9/99	A99-03-011	DMJ Communications, Inc., for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to operate as a switchless local exchange provider

PETITIONS FOR MODIFICATION AND APPLICATIONS FOR REHEARING

NONE

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

NONE

ADVICE LETTER FILINGS

NONE

MISCELLANEOUS TRANSPORTATION ITEMS

March 11, 1999

Filings with Rail Safety and Carriers Division

03/08/99 TCP 12435-B Gold and Silver Charter Busing; Address: 6125 S.

Central Avenue #3, Los Angeles, CA 90003;

Telephone: (213)753-0157; Terminal Address: Same;

Application filed for new Class B authority

MISCELLANEOUS TELECOMMUNICATION MATTERS

March 11, 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 11

R98-07-037 Gottstein-Order instituting rulemaking on the

Commission's proposed policies and programs governing energy efficiency, low-income assistance, renewable energy and research development and

demonstration,

Workshop held and no report given

REMOVALS FROM CALENDAR

NONE

NEW SETTINGS

4/7/99 ALJ Vieth Comr Duque	1:30 p.m. A.99-02-003	(PHC)-Joint application of Dominguez Water Company (U-330-W) and Hawkins Water Service (U- 114-W) for approval of the acquisition of the utility assets of Hawkins Water Service by Dominguez Water Company, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
4/7/99 ALJ Vieth Comr Duque	2:30 p.m. A.99-02-005	(PHC)-Joint application of Dominguez Water Company (U-330-W) and Coast Springs Water Company (U-130-W) for approval of the acquisition of the utility assets of Coast Springs Water Company by Dominguez Water Company, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

LAW AND MOTION

Law and Motion Hearings are held before Administrative Law Judge Steven Kotz at 9:30 am in one of the Commission's San Francisco Office Hearing Rooms, unless otherwise noted. Law and Motion procedures are governed by Resolution ALJ 164. Copies of Resolution ALJ 164 are available from the Commission's Documents Desk (415) 703-1713 or from Central Files (415) 703-2045

3/9/99	9:30 a.m.	NONE SCHEDULED
3/16/99	9:30 a.m.	NONE SCHEDULED
3/23/99	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.

(PHC) = Prehearing Conference (EH) = Evidentiary Hearing (PPH) = Public Participation Hea (IAM) = Initial Arbitration Meetin (M) = Mediation		
3/11/99 ALJ Walwyn Comr Bilas Comr Duque	9:00 a.m. R.93-04-003 I.93-04-002	(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, (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 12)
3/11/99 ALJ Ryerson Comr Neeper	9:30 a.m. C.98-12-003	(PHC)-McMullen Cabinet Manufacturing vs. Pacific Gas and Electric Company, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
3/11/99 ALJ Rosenthal Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A.98-06-051	(EH)-Application of A & M United Group, LLC, a limited Liability Company, to acquire, and Isam M. Alziq to transfer a passenger stage certificate of public convenience and necessity and certain other assets, pursuant to section 851, et seq, of the California Public Utilities Code, Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles (also March 12)
3/12/99 ALJ DeUlloa Comr Neeper	9:30 a.m. C.99-02-020	(EH)-Stereos R Us vs. General Telephone and Electronics, City Hall Council Chambers, 505 So. Garey Avenue, Pomona
3/12/99 ALJ Malcolm ALJ Minkin Comr Duque	1:30 p.m. A.99-01-016 A.99-01-019	(PHC)-Pacific Gas and Electric Company for authority to establish post-transition period electric ratemaking mechanisms. (PHC)-San Diego Gas & Electric Company for authority to implement post rate freeze ratemaking mechanisms. (PHC)-Southern California Edison Company (U 338-
		E) to: (1) propose a method to determine and implement the end of rate freeze; and (2) propose ratemaking which should be in place after the end of

	A.99-02-029	rate freeze periods. (PHC)-Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company: (1) informing the Commission of the probable timing of the end of its electric rate freeze, (2) for authorization to change electric rates through implementation of interim ratemaking mechanisms concurrent with termination of the electric rate freeze, and (3) for authorization to change electric rates by adding new, and revising or terminating existing, rate and revenue mechanisms and rate designs, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
3/15/99 ALJ Gottstein Comr Conlon	10:00 a.m. A.96-03-031	(EH)-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	(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 ALJ McVicar Comr Duque Comr Neeper	9:00 a.m. I.98-09-007	(EH)-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, 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 basisns and for authority to effect related ratemaking changes in its Claremont District, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
3/18/99 ALJ Reed Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A.99-02-002	(EH)-In the matter of the petition by Pac-West Telecomm, inc. (U-5266-C) for arbitration of an interconnection agreement with Citizens Telecommunications Company of California, Inc., Commission Courtroom, San Francisco, (also March 19)
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 Patrick	10:00 a.m. A.98-05-014	(EH) -Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) to report on the valuation process for certain
Comr Duque	A.98-05-022	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	(PHC)-San Diego Gas and Electric Company and Southern California Gas Company for approval of a gas transmission service tariff,
Comi Bilas	A98-10-012	(PHC)-Southern California Gas Company for authority to revise its rates effective August 1, 1999 in its biennial cost allocation proceeding,
	A.98-10-031	(PHC)-Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company for Authority to revise its gas rates effective August 1, 1999, in its biennial cost allocation proceeding, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (second PHC) 10:00 a.m., (EH) 1:30 p.m., April 5, (EH) April 6-9, April 12-16, April 19-23, April 26-30)
3/25/99 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 ALJ Weiss Comr Duque	9:30 a.m. A.98-07-046	(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
3/25/99 ALJ Pulsifer	10:00 a.m R.95-04-043	(PHC)-Order instituting rulemaking on the Commission's own motion into competition for local
Comr Neeper Comr Conlon	I.95-04-044	exchange service, (PHC)-Order instituting investigation on the

Commission's own motion	into competition for l	local
exchange service,		

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

3/29/99	7:00 p.m.
ALJ Walker	A.98-09-040
Comr Duque	

Comr Neeper

(PPH)-In the matter of the application of the Southern California Water Company (U 133 W) for the 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,

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)**

California Northern Railroad Company for replacement

3/30/99 ALJ Bennett Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. C.98-08-008	(EH)-Dorothy Dominguez and Ralph A. Martinez vs. 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	C.93-07-046	California Gas Company for charging excessive rates
Comr Bilas		for gas service relating to the multi-family sites and master meter accounts listed in complaint,
	C.94-02-009	(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
4/1/99	9:00 a.m.	(EH)-Ralph Azevedo, Ronald Azevedo, and Albert
ALJ Bushey	C.98-09-011	Ferari, vs. Union Pacific Railroad Company and

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
4/7/99 ALJ Bushey Comr Neeper	9:00 a.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, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
4/7/99 ALJ Vieth Comr Duque	1:30 p.m. A.99-02-003	(PHC)-Joint application of Dominguez Water Company (U-330-W) and Hawkins Water Service (U- 114-W) for approval of the acquisition of the utility assets of Hawkins Water Service by Dominguez Water Company, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
4/7/99 ALJ Vieth Comr Duque	2:30 p.m. A.99-02-005	(PHC)-Joint application of Dominguez Water Company (U-330-W) and Coast Springs Water Company (U-130-W) for approval of the acquisition of the utility assets of Coast Springs Water Company by Dominguez Water Company, Commission Courtroom, 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
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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
4/19/99 ALJ Stalder Comr Duque	9:00 a.m. A.89-03-026	(EH)-In the matter of the application of Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) for a certificate that the present and future public convenience and necessity requires or will require Edison to construct and operate a 220 kV double-circuit transmission line between the Kramer substation and the Victor substation in San Bernardino County, California, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
4/22/99 ALJ Weiss Comr Duque	1:30 p.m. A.9-11-003	(PHC)-In the matter of the application of the Southern California Water Company (U 133 W) 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	(PHC)-In the matter of the application of the 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 Chica planned community, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco, (also (EH) July 26, 10:00 a.m.)
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 Barnett 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)
5/17/99 ALJ Econome Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. A.98-11-012	(EH)-Application of Lodi Gas Storage, LLC for certificate of public convenience and necessity for construction and operation of gas storage facilities, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco, (also(EH) 9:00 a.m., May 18-21, (CA), 1:30 p.m., May 25)
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	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

Comr Neeper		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 Comr Duque Comr Conlon	10:00 a.m. A98-09-003	(PHC)-Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for Review and Recovery of the Costs and Revenues in the Transition Cost Balancing Account (U 39 E),
	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

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.

3/5/99 A98-05-007 Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for authority to adopt

a revenue-sharing mechanism and other prerequisites for

new non-tariffed products and services.

Summary: On March 2, 1999, Pacific Gas & Electric Co. ("PG&E") initiated three (3) consecutive meetings with PUC officials. Jana Corey, Thomas Bottorff, and David Rubin of PG&E met with (a) Commission President Bilas and his advisor, Dorothy Duda, (b) Michelle Cooke, advisor to Commissioner Duque, and (c) Commissioner Neeper and his advisor, David Gamson. The oral ex parte communication was the same in each meeting. Ms Corey stated PG&E believes the Commission should adopt now a revenue sharing mechanism for PG&E's new non-tariffed products and services. The further negotiation period required by the administrative law judge's proposed decision will not likely bear fruit, she said, resulting in delay. Mr. Rubin stated PG&E's after-tax net revenue sharing mechanism provides appropriate incentives, is consistent with economic principles, protects the ratepayer, and maximizes efficiency of PG&E's assets. Mr. Rubin provided additional details on why PUC should adopt that mechanism. In reference to the Office of Ratepayer Advocates' ("ORA") support for the Edison/ORA memorandum of understanding in Edison's revenue sharing case, Ms Corey said that PG&E's situation is different than Edison's. She said PG&E would apply for a permanent mechanism after the Commission rules on their distribution performance based ratemaking ("PBR") mechanism. Also, she said, PG&E's revenue sharing mechanism is applied only to new non-tariffed products and services. Mr. Rubin concluded by saying PG&E requests pricing flexibility be included in the conclusions of law and certain other uncontested issues, which he named.

Filer: Pacific Gas and Electric Company

Contact: Sandra Ciach Phone: (415) 972-5611

3/5/99 A98-05-022 Pacific Gas and Electric Company, to report assessments

of inventory balances and to address appraisal of retained

generation assets.

Summary: On March 3, 1999 Jana Corey of Pacific Gas & Electric Co. ("PG&E")initiated

and attended an ex parte meeting at CPUC with Commissioner Neeper and his advisor, David Gamson. Also in attendance representing PG&E were Thomas Bottorff and David Rubin. While the meeting was initiated for another proceeding, Mr. Bottorff stated that transfer of PG&E's hydroelectric assets to an unregulated subsidiary is PG&E's preferred alternative. He said PG&E is working with parties, some of whom are concerned about land use issues, tree cutting, and water diversion, among other things. The new owner of the assets, Mr. Bottorff said, will have extremely limited ability to alter the use of these resources because of FERC licenses and other federal and state requirements.

Filer: Pacific Gas and Electric Company

Contact: Sandra Ciach Phone: (415) 972-5611

Summary: On March 3, 1999 Jana Corey of Pacific Gas & Electric Co. ("PG&E")initiated and attended an ex parte meeting at CPUC with Commission President Bilas and his advisor, Dorothy Duda. Also in attendance representing PG&E were Thomas Bottorff and David Rubin. While the meeting was initiated for another proceeding, Mr. Bottorff stated that transfer of PG&E's hydroelectric assets to an unregulated subsidiary is PG&E's preferred alternative. He said PG&E is working with environmental and customer groups to mitigate their concerns. Customer groups have asked PG&E about the end of the rate freeze, Mr. Bottorff said, and their response has been that that will be more easily determined after there has been a valuation decision. In concluding, Mr. Bottorff stated his concern over the scoping memo and that the appraisal principles may not apply if there is a transfer of the hydroelectric assets to an unregulated PG&E subsidiary, and that they will soon file a § 851 application.

Filer: Pacific Gas and Electric Company

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