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

April 1, 1999	10am	San Francisco
April 22, 1999	10 am	San Francisco
May 13, 1999	10 am	San Francisco

#### REGULAR COMMISSION ADMINISTRATIVE MEETINGS

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 29, 1999	1:30 pm	San Francisco
April 19, 1999	1:30 pm	San Francisco

#### **NOTICES**

# **Delivery of Formal Pleadings for Filing**

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#### SUBSCRIPTION INFORMATION

#### Subscription Notice for Draft Agenda Items

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

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

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

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

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#### COMMISSIONER OFFICE HOURS

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

<u>Date/Time</u>	<u>Commissioner</u>	<u>Location</u>
4/9/99, 9 am - 12 pm	Josiah L. Neeper	State Office Building 1350 Front Street, Room 4006 San Diego
5/18/99, 9 am - 12 pm	Josiah L. Neeper	State Office Building 320 West Fourth Street, Suite 500 <b>Los Angeles</b>
5/20/99, 9 am - 12 pm	Josiah L. Neeper	State Office Building 1350 Front Street, Room 4006 San Diego

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

#### Workshop Notice

March 23 & <b>24</b> , 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
9 am - 12:30 pm	101 Ash Street
	San Diego

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 24, 1999 9:30 am – 3:30 pm	California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue Room 3204 San Francisco
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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, Announcements, Set Agenda Items for Future Discussion and Hear Public Comments. **Executive Session:** The ULTSMB will meet in Executive Session to Brief the RFP Selection Committee on RFP Scoring Criteria. This meeting is open to the public. The Board reserves the right to limit the time allocated to public comments and each speaker. If you would like to join the meeting by phone conference or in person, and/or receive a full meeting packet, please notify the ULTS Trust Office at (510) 452-2757.

## Public Meeting: California Board for Energy Efficiency

March 24, 1999	Sempra Energy Building
<i>1 pm</i> − <i>5 pm</i>	101 Ash Street
	San Diego

<u>Teleconference Information:</u> 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 (March 18); Resolution E-3578 on 1999 Programs and Budgets (March 18); Program Planning for PY 1999, including Draft Resolution E-3592 (April 1); PY 1999 Program Description Follow-up; 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; Board Operations; CBEE Web Site Revisions; Updates and Status Reports from Committees; and Scheduling and Agenda Planning for Future Meetings. The meeting is open to the public. The contact person is Mark Thayer (619) 594-5510. For further information about the CBEE and this meeting consult the CBEE Web Page at www.cbee.org.

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

March 25, 1999	Sempra Energy Building
8:30 am – 3:30 pm	101 Ash Street
	San Diego

<u>Teleconference Information:</u> 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 (March 18); Resolution E-3578 on 1999 Programs and Budgets (March 18); Program Planning for PY 1999, including Draft Resolution E-3592 (April 1); PY 1999 Program Description Follow-up; 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; Board Operations; CBEE Web Site Revisions; Updates and Status Reports from Committees; and Scheduling and Agenda Planning for Future Meetings. The meeting is open to the public. The contact person is Mark Thayer (619) 594-5510. For further information about the CBEE and this meeting consult the CBEE Web Page at www.cbee.org.

## **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**

March 30, 1999	California Public Utilities Commission
10 am - 3 pm	505 Van Ness Avenue
_	Room 4206
	San Francisco

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

## **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 - REVISED AS OF 3/22/99

April 6, 1999	Burbank Public Library
and	110 North Glenoaks Boulevard
April 7, 1999	<b>Burbank</b>
10:00 am - 4:00 pm)	

The Low Income Governing Board will meet to discuss the following topics: (1) Report from the Chair, (2) approve and adopt meeting minutes, (3) approve and adopt response to utility Technical Advice Letter filings regarding the needs assessment and outreach plan, (4) approve and adopt recommendations for participation in the April 12-13, 1999 Energy Division workshop, (5) deliberate about and adopt methods aimed at advancing competitive bidding in 1999 and 2000 programs, (6) initiate and adopt a request for utility joint proposal on uniform implementation measures for PY 2000, (7) deliberate and adopt Phase 2 strategy and comments [scheduled to be due on or about June 4], (8) approve and adopt direction to utilities regarding standardization of annual reporting guidelines and administrative cost treatment [to be filed with the Commission on May 1 and May 15, 1999, respectively], (9) approve and adopt further PY 2000 LIEE and CARE recommendations for Commission approval, (10) update on pilot proposals, including those addressing Native Americans and other hard-to-reach population, (11) status report on utility joint proposal on uniform implementation of measures, (12) review and adopt ion of the Board's critical path schedule, (13) approve and adopt Board position regarding performance incentives

(AEAP schedule), updates from Energy Division, Office of Ratepayer Advocates, and CPUC Legal Division, (14) deliberate and adopt strategy for collaboration with municipal utilities, (15) deliberate and approve action on proposed Commission orders, (16) deliberate and approve action on pending utility filings, (17) deliberate and approve action on ongoing Commission proceedings, and (18) deliberate and approve action on pending legislation.

An agenda for the meeting is being developed and can be obtained from the LIGB's website at <a href="www.ligb.org">www.ligb.org</a>. Directions to the meeting will be provided on the agenda. This meeting location is wheelchair accessible and the meeting is open to the public. For more information contact Sharon Weinberg at (510) 251-2888, extension 2025.

# **Public Meeting**

April 7, 1999	The California Number Pooling Task Force
9 am - 4 pm	795 Folsom Street
	San Francisco

*The* California Number Pooling Task Force will be holding a public meeting on April 7, 1999 at 795 Folsom Street, San Francisco, California. The 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 special accommodations and other meeting details please call Karen Notsund at 415-442-2193.

## **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	

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 15, 1999	California Public Utilities Commission
1:30 pm - 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**

April 21, 1999	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
10 am - 3 pm	1939 Harrison Street
	DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555
	Oakland

The <u>VIDEO RELAY TRIALS 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 - CANCELLED AS OF 3/19/99

April 21, 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, 310, 408/831, 415, 510, 619/858, 650, 707, 714, 760, 805/661, 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, 310, 408/831, 415, 510, 619/858, 650, 707, 714, 760, 805/661, 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 April 13, 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 April 13, 1999 to: Mary Jo Borak, Telecommunications Division, California Public Utilities Commission, 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94102.

# **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.

## <u>Public Meeting – REVISED AS OF 3/16/99</u>

April 22, 1999	Payphone Service Providers Enforcement Group
10 am - 2:30 pm	One Crow Canyon Court, Suite 105
	San Ramon

The Payphone Service Providers Enforcement (PSPE) Committee will conduct a monthly meeting. For more information, please contact Adam J. Thaler at (415) 703-1157. For directions to the meeting, or for additional information, please contact the PSPE Program at (925) 855-3890

# **Public Meeting**

April 23, 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 26, 1999	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
10 am - 1 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 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 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

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.

# 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</u>, Dated November 19, 1998 Available For Public Review And Comment.

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.

NEW FILINGS		
3/18/99	A99-03-038	The Free Network, L.L.C., for registration as an interexchange carrier telephone corporation pursuant to the provisions of Public Utilities Code Section 1013
3/19/99	A99-03-039	Pacific Gas and Electric Company, to consolidate the review of PG&E's expenditures in 1997 and 1998 to enhance transmission and distribution system safety and reliability pursuant to Section 368(e) of the California Public Utilities Code
3/19/99	A99-03-040	TON Services Inc., for registration as an interexchange carrier telephone corporation pursuant to the provisions of Public Utilities Code Section 1013 and D97-06-107
3/19/99	A99-03-041	Conversant Technologies, Inc., for registration as an interexchange carrier telephone corporation pursuant to

the provisions of Public Utilities Code Section 1013 and D97-06-107

# PETITIONS FOR MODIFICATION AND APPLICATIONS FOR REHEARING

# **NONE**

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

Application of Pacific Ga Approval of Demand-Sid Incentives For 1997 Prog Second Claim for Incenti	Annual Earnings Assessment Proceeding (AEAP) Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for Approval of Demand-Side Management Shareholder Incentives For 1997 Program Year Accomplishments and Second Claim for Incentives for 1996 Program Year Accomplishments (U 39 M);	
	A98-05-005	Application of Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) for Approval of Demand-Side Management Shareholder Incentives for 1997 Program Year Accomplishments and the Second Installment of Shareholder Incentives for the 1996 Program Year; and
	A98-05-018	Application of SoCal Gas Company for Authority To Increase Its Gas Revenue Requirements To Reflect Its Accomplishments for Demand Side Management Program Years 1997, and 1996 in the 1998 Annual Earnings Assessment Proceeding (AEAP.) (U 904 G); <b>Proposed decision of ALJ Gottstein</b>
3/23/99	A98-05-019	Application of San Diego Gas and Electric Company (U 902-M) for Authority (i) to Increase its Authorized Return on Common Equity, (ii) to Adjust its Existing Ratemaking Capital Structure, (iii) to Adjust its Authorized Embedded Costs of Debt and Preferred Stock, (iv) to Decrease its Overall Rate of Return, and (v) to Revise its Electric Distribution and Gas Rates Accordingly, and for Related Substantive and Procedural Relief;
	A98-05-021	Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for Authority (i) to Establish its Authorized Rates of Return on Common Equity for Electric Distribution and Gas Distribution, and (ii) Establish its Unbundled Rates of

	A98-05-024	Return for Calendar Year 1999 for Electric Distribution and Gas Distribution. (Electric and Gas) (U-39-M); and Application of Southern California Edison Company for Consideration of Unbundled Rate of Return on Common Equity, Capital Structure, Cost Factors for Embedded
		Debt and Preferred Stock, and Overall Rate of Return for
		Utility Operations. (Electric) (U 338-E); <b>Proposed</b>
		Decision of ALJ Barnett
3/23/99	A98-05-019	Application of San Diego Gas and Electric Company (U
		902-M) for Authority (i) to Increase its Authorized
		Return on Common Equity, (ii) to Adjust its Existing
		Ratemaking Capital Structure, (iii) to Adjust its
		Authorized Embedded Costs of Debt and Preferred Stock,
		(iv) to Decrease its Overall Rate of Return, and (v) to
		Revise its Electric Distribution and Gas Rates
		Accordingly, and for Related Substantive and Procedural
	A98-05-021	Relief;
	A96-03-021	Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for Authority (i) to Establish its Authorized Rates of Return
		on Common Equity for Electric Distribution and Gas
		Distribution, and (ii) Establish its Unbundled Rates of
		Return for Calendar Year 1999 for Electric Distribution
		and Gas Distribution. (Electric and Gas) (U-39-M); and
	A98-05-024	Application of Southern California Edison Company for
		Consideration of Unbundled Rate of Return on Common
		Equity, Capital Structure, Cost Factors for Embedded
		Debt and Preferred Stock, and Overall Rate of Return for
		Utility Operations. (Electric) (U 338-E); Alternate
		<b>Decision of Commissioner Duque</b>

#### **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.

09/14/98	Energy NON- 22	PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Request for Deviation to Section 320 of the Public Utilities Code requiring Pacific Bell to underground existing aerial facilities along Scenic Highway area of Highway 49 in Sierra County. (effective TBD)
03/05/99	Telecom 58	ICG TELECOM GROUP, INC., to introduce Dedicated LD services (effective TBD)
03/11/99	Telecom 14	IXC COMMUNICATIONS, INC., text changes, rate change, new service (effective TBD)
03/11/99	Telecom 36	TELTRUST COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES, INC., rate schedule revision (effective TBD)
03/11/99	Telecom 5	Z-TEL COMMUNICATIONS, INC., new service (effective TBD)
03/12/99	Telecom 36	GE CAPITAL COMMUNICATION SERVICES CORP, promotion (effective TBD)
03/12/99	Telecom 2	ITJ AMERICA, INC., transfer of control ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
03/18/99	Telecom 1628	AT&T COMMUNICATIONS OF CALIFORNIA, INC, introduce contract for AT&T college connect Calling & AT&T 800 service (effective TBD)
03/18/99	Telecom 1629	AT&T COMMUNICATIONS OF CALIFORNIA, INC, Introduce a contract for AT&T SDN and Megacom 800 service (effective TBD)
03/18/99	Telecom 51	FIRST WORLD ANAHEIM, Introduces a new service - Customer Owned Pay Telephone (COPT) Service. (effective TBD)
03/18/99	Telecom 20100	PACIFIC BELL, Report on SNJSCA21 Walk-through (effective TBD)
03/19/99	Energy 2141	PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Revised gas rates as ordered in Decision 86-12-091 and Decision 89-12-057. (anticipated effective 05/01/99)
03/19/99	Telecom 10	ALLEGIANCE TELECOM OF CALIFORNIA INC., A pro forma intracorporate reorganization of the Allegiance

		companies. (effective TBD)
03/19/99	Telecom 1630	AT&T COMMUNICATIONS OF CALIFORNIA, INC, extend the at&t intraLATA PIC reimbursement (effective TBD)
03/19/99	Telecom 24	EXCEL TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC., Introduce a new service offering known as 1-800-PHONE-ME. (effective TBD)
03/19/99	Telecom 8988	GTE CALIFORNIA INCORPORATED, interconnection agreement - compass telecommunications, inc. (effective TBD)
03/19/99	Telecom 20036-A	PACIFIC BELL, <b>Supplements A.L.No.20036</b> , resale contract w/Compass Telecommunication, Inc. ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
03/19/99	Telecom 20088-A	PACIFIC BELL, <b>Supplements A.L.No.20088</b> , Meet Point Billing Agreement with Pac-West Telecomm, Inc. ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
03/19/99	Telecom 20102	PACIFIC BELL, express contract for HICAP & FRS service (effective TBD)
03/19/99	Telecom 20103	PACIFIC BELL, customer specific contract for HICAP, PBX, FRS & PRI service (effective TBD)
03/19/99	Telecom 20104	PACIFIC BELL, customer specific contract for local and zones 1 & 2 measured usage service (effective TBD)
03/19/99	Telecom 367	SPRINT COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY, L.P., Introduce Sprint Business flex Data Service Toll Free (effective TBD)
03/19/99	Telecom 368	SPRINT COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY, L.P., introduce 2 promotions (effective TBD)
03/19/99	Telecom 369	SPRINT COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY, L.P., Grandfather Sprint Worldwide II, introduce promotion (effective TBD)
03/19/99	Telecom 9	TTI NATIONAL, INC., add new product ( <b>effective TBD</b> )

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03/19/99	Telecom 2-A	WHOLESALE AIR-TIME, INC., Supplements A.L.No.2, initial clc service (effective TBD)
03/19/99	Telecom 3	WHOLESALE AIR-TIME, INC., customer notification & education rules (CNEP) for review ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
03/22/99	Energy 1371-E	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON COMPANY, Experimental voluntary energy curtailment program. (anticipated effective 06/01/99)
03/22/99	Telecom 1	BIG PLANET, INC., transfer of certificate ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
03/22/99	Telecom 8989	GTE CALIFORNIA INCORPORATED, government contract (effective TBD)
03/22/99	Telecom 154	GTE COMMUNICATIONS CORP., text changes - withdrawal of service (effective TBD)
03/22/99	Telecom 49-A	PAC-WEST TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC., <b>Supplements A.L.No.49</b> , add a multi-tenant program to direct one dial telephone service ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
03/22/99	Telecom 20106	PACIFIC BELL, complete small business package (effective TBD)
03/23/99	Water 53	SEA RANCH WATER COMPANY, THE, Compliance filing to increase rates, establish Sch. R, Plant Replacement Fees, and to cancel Sch. 9, Irrigation Service, pursuant to Resolution No. W-4140, dated March 18, 1999. (anticipated effective 03/28/99)

## **ADVICE LETTER PROTESTS**

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03/22/99 Energy 1G|1E LOW INCOME GOVERNING BOARD, Proposed operating budget for the Low Income Governing Board year 1999. Late filed protest by San Diego Gas & Electric.

03/22/99	Energy 1G 1E	LOW INCOME GOVERNING BOARD, Proposed operating budget for the Low Income Governing Board year 1999. Late filed protest by Southern California Gas Co
03/23/99	Energy 8	MOUNTAIN UTILITIES, Electricity Restructuring Memorandum Account Preliminary Statement Section 12. Protest by Kirkwood Meadows Public Utility Dist

#### MISCELLANEOUS TRANSPORTATION ITEMS

March 24, 1999

Filings with Rail Safety and Carriers Division

#### **NONE**

#### MISCELLANEOUS TELECOMMUNICATION MATTERS

March 24, 1999

#### **NONE**

# ADJOURNMENTS \* RESETTINGS \* SUBMISSIONS

I98-09-007	McVicar - 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,

**Evidentiary Hearing held and continued to March 29** 

R98-01-011 Weissman - Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion to assess and revise

the regulatory structure governing California's natural gas industry,

Oral Argument held and no report given

C99-02-028	Vieth - Cheryl Duke vs. Pacific Bell, Hearing held and no report given
A98-07-005	Barnett - San Diego Gas and Electric Company and Southern California Gas Company for approval of a gas transmission service tariff,
A98-10-012	Barnett - Southern California Gas Company for authority to revise its rates effective August 1, 1999 in its biennial cost allocation proceeding,
A98-10-031	Barnett - Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company for Authority to revise its gas rates effective August 1, 1999, in its biennial cost allocation proceeding,  Prehearing Conference held and continued to April 5

# REMOVALS FROM CALENDAR

# **NONE**

NEW SETTINGS		
4/7/99 ALJ Malcolm Comr Bilas	2:00 p.m. A.98-07-058	(EH) - Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for authority to recover its 1997 and 1998 non-nuclear generation capital additions in the competition transition charge, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
4/8/99 ALJ Ryerson Comr Neeper	10:00 a.m. C.98-08-040	(PHC) - Donna Matthews vs. Meadows Management Company, James K. Krueger and Rondell Handson dba Plantation on the Lake Mobilehouse Park, for charging excessive water rates, Norton Younglove Multipurpose Senior Center, "Craft Room", 908 Park Avenue, Calimesa

# 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

3/23/99	9:30 a.m.	NONE SCHEDULED
3/30/99	9:30 a.m.	NONE SCHEDULED
4/6/99	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	(FOA) = Final Oral Argument
(EH) = Evidentiary Hearing	(WS) = Workshop
(PPH) = Public Participation Hearing	(FPH) = Full Panel Hearing
(IAM) = Initial Arbitration Meeting	(AH) = Arbitration Hearing
(M) = Mediation	(CA) = Closing Argument

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		exchange service,
Comr Conlon	I.95-04-044	( <b>PHC</b> ) - Order instituting investigation on the Commission's own motion into competition for local
		exchange service,
		Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

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3/25/99 ALJ Malcolm ALJ Minkin Comr Duque	11:00 a.m. A.99-01-016 A.99-01-019	<ul> <li>(PHC) - Pacific Gas and Electric Company for authority to establish post-transition period electric ratemaking mechanisms.</li> <li>(PHC) - San Diego Gas &amp; Electric Company for authority to implement post rate freeze ratemaking</li> </ul>
	A.99-01-034	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
3/29/99 ALJ McVicar Comr Duque Comr Neeper	10:00 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 30-31, April 1-2)
3/29/99 ALJ Walker Comr Duque	7:00 p.m. A.98-09-040	(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)
3/31/99 ALJ Econome Comr Bilas	9:30 a.m. C.93-07-046	(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,
	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 ALJ Bushey Comr Neeper	9:00 a.m. C.98-09-011	(EH) - Ralph Azevedo, Ronald Azevedo, and Albert Ferrari, vs. Union Pacific Railroad Company and California Northern Railroad Company for replacement and/or maintenance of fence line, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
4/1/99 ALJ Rosenthal Comr Neeper	10:00 a.m. C.98-12-011	(EH) - Mark K. Sneed and Jose Luis Ayala-Aroche, dba El Corre Caminos vs. Laura P. Acevedos and Jose F. Acevedos, dba Executive Lines, for operating outside the scope of its certificate, State Office Building, Room 1064, 1350 Front Street, San Diego, (also April 2)
4/5/99 ALJ Barnett Comr Bilas	10:00 a.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,
Com Bhas	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., April 5, (EH) 1:30 p.m.,  April 5, (EH) April 6-9, April 12-16, April 19-23,  April 26-30)

4/5/99 ALJ O'Donnell Comr Bilas	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 Ryerson Comr Conlon	10:00 a.m. C.98-06-037	<ul> <li>(EH) - William Kent vs. Southern California Edison</li> <li>Company, for overcharges and for improper electrical power cut-offs,</li> <li>28 Civic Center Plaza, Room 351, Santa Ana</li> </ul>
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 Malcolm Comr Bilas	2:00 p.m. A.98-07-058	(EH) - Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for authority to recover its 1997 and 1998 non-nuclear generation capital additions in the competition transition charge, 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
4/8/99 ALJ Ryerson Comr Neeper	10:00 a.m. C.98-08-040	(PHC) - Donna Matthews vs. Meadows Management Company, James K. Krueger and Rondell Handson dba Plantation on the Lake Mobilehouse Park, for charging excessive water rates, Norton Younglove Multipurpose Senior Center, "Craft Room", 908 Park Avenue, Calimesa
4/8/99 ALJ Bennett	10:00 a.m. C.99-03-018	(ECP) – Christopher Douglas vs. Pacific Gas and Electric Company, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
4/12/99 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 April 13-14)
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
4/13/99 ALJ Vieth Comr Neeper	1:30 p.m. C.99-01-039	(PHC) - The Greenlining Institute and Latino Issues Forum vs. Pacific Bell and Pacific Information Services, 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
4/19/99	9:00 a.m.	(EH) - In the matter of the application of Southern

ALJ Stalder Comr Duque	A.89-03-026	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.98-11-003	(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.)
4/27/99 ALJ Vieth Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A.99-02-004	(PHC) - Joint application of California Water Service Company (U-60-W), Dominguez Water Company (U-330-W), Kern River Valley Water Company (U-295-W) and Antelope Valley Water Company (U-281-U) for approval of a plan of merger of California Water Service Company, Dominguez Water Company, Kern River Valley Water Company, and Antelope Valley Water Company, 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 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)
5/10/99	10:00 a.m.	(EH) - Pacific Gas and Electric Company for authority
ALJ Malcolm ALJ Minkin	A.99-01-016	to establish post-transition period electric ratemaking mechanisms,
Comr Duque	A.99-01-019	<b>(EH)</b> - San Diego Gas & Electric Company for authority to implement post rate freeze ratemaking mechanisms,
	A.99-01-034	(EH) - 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 the rate freeze periods,
	A.99-02-029	(EH) - Application of San Diego Gas and 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, and revising or terminating existing, rate and revenue mechanisms and rate designs,  Commission Courtroom, San Francisco, (also

May 11-14, 9:00 a.m., also (EH) August 23, 10:00

		a.m., August 24-27, August 30-September 3, 9:00 a.m.)
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 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, 10:00 a.m.)
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	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

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
9/7/99	10:00 a.m.	(EH) - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric
ALJ Minkin Comr Duque	A.98-08-003	Company for review and recovery of the costs and revenues in the transition cost balancing account,
Comr Conlon	A.98-09-008	(EH) - Application of Southern California Edison
		Company to review and recovery transition cost
		balancing account entries from January 1998 through
		June 30, 1998 and various generation-related
		memorandum account entries,
	A.98-09-009	(EH) - Application of San Diego Gas & Electric
		Company in the annual transition cost proceeding
		regarding the transition cost balancing account,
		Commission Courtroom, San Francisco, (also
		September 8-10, 9:00 a.m.)

# 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) )

# **All-Party Meeting**

March 25, 1999	CPUC
1:30 pm - 2:30 pm	Room 5305

In the event that item A98-01-014 is held at the March 18 Commission meeting, there will be an All-Party Meeting with Commissioner Henry M. Duque and Michelle Cooke, advisor to Commissioner Duque, regarding the Alternate Proposed Decision in the SDG&E Distribution PBR (A98-01-014). **RSVP with representative's name(s), affiliation, and telephone/fax number to be reached in the event of changes to this meeting. Please call Renee LeCamus at (415) 202-9986 or email her at <a href="mailto:rlecamus@sempra.com">rlecamus@sempra.com</a> no later than close of business, Tuesday, March 23, so there is adequate time to advise the Commissioner's office of the attendees.** 

## All Party Meeting

March 30, 1999	CPUC
10 am - 11:30 am	Hearing Room D

There will be an All-party Meeting held with Commission president Richard A. Bilas in regard to the Proposed Decisions of ALJ Angela K. Minkin and the Alternate Decisions of Commission Richard A. Bilas (A98-05-004, A98-05-006, and A98-05-015). **RSVP with representative's name(s), affiliation, and telephone and fax numbers to be reached in the event of any changes to this meeting. Please either leave a message for Betsie Diamond at (415) 392-7900, send a fax to her attention at (415) 398-4321, or email her at <a href="mailto:bdiamond@gmssr.com">bdiamond@gmssr.com</a> no later than Friday, March 26<sup>th</sup>, to ensure adequate time to notify the Commissioner's office of the attendees.** 

#### **All-Party Meeting**

April 6, 1999	CPUC
2:30 pm	Auditorium

There will be an All-Party Meeting with Commissioner Henry M. Duque and Michelle Cooke, Advisor to Commissioner Duque regarding the Proposed Decisions of ALJ Angela K. Minkin and the Alternate Decisions of Commissioner Richard A. Bilas in Dockets A98-05-004, A98-05-006, and A98-05-015. Please RSVP with representative's name(s), affiliation, and telephone and fax numbers to be reached in the event of any changes to this meeting. Please either leave a message for Betsie Diamond at (415) 392-7900, send a fax to her attention at (415) 398-4321, or e-mail her at <a href="mailto:bdiamond@gmssr.com">bdiamond@gmssr.com</a> no later than <a href="mailto:Friday">Friday</a>, April 2, to ensure adequate time to notify the Commissioner's office of the attendees.

#### 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.

3/8/99	I87-11-033	Commission investigation into alternative regulatory
		frameworks for local telecommunications exchange
		carriers, and

**Summary:** On March 3, 1999 AT&T Communications of California, Inc. ("AT&T") initiated three (3) ex parte meetings with PUC officials and engaged in oral and written ex parte communications in each meeting, covering the same subject matter each time. The PUC officials were, in order: (a) Commission President Bilas and advisor Lester Wong, (b) Tim Sullivan, advisor to Commissioner Duque, and ( c ) Commissioner Neeper and advisor Fassil Fenikile. The AT&T contingent for the first meeting included Rick Witherington, and accompanying him were Richard Purkey of Sprint and Richard Severy of MCI. For the second and third meetings, Bob Munoz was the MCI representative instead of Mr. Severy. The attendees encouraged the PUC officials to issue an order requiring Pacific Bell to implement 1+ presubscription on an expedited basis as this would, it was stated, benefit consumers and small businesses. Five (5) briefing sheets were provided the recipients in the first two meeting (but none in the meeting with Commissioner Neeper). The sheets were headlined "Public Interest," "IntraLATA 1+ Presubscription," "8th Circuit is Done," "No Justification for Further Delays," "Pacific Bell Contradicts Its Own Legal Position," and "Immediate Action Required." The writings were attached to the filer's Notice of Ex Parte Communications.

Filer: AT&T Communications of California

Contact: Doreatta Dea Phone: (415) 442-2985

3/8/99	R93-04-003	Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking on
		Commission's own motion to govern open access to
		bottleneck services and establish a framework for
		network architecture development of dominant carrier
		networks and
	I93-04-002	Commission Order Instituting Investigation on the
		Commission's own motion into open access and network
		architecture development of dominant carrier networks.
	R95-04-043	Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion into
		competition for local exchange service and
	I95-04-044	Investigation on the Commission's own motion into
		competition for local exchange service.

Summary: On March 5, 1999, Pacific Bell ("Pacific") representatives initiated an ex parte

meeting at CPUC with Tim Sullivan, advisor to Commissioner Duque. The representatives were Cynthia Marshall, Agnes Lowe, Vivian Irving, Petty Garber, and April Rodewald-Fout. Also in attendance was PUC Telecommunications Staff member Karen Jones. Pacific raised questions on collocation addressed in D98-12-068 and D98-12-069, and indicated the following statements required clarification: (1) Pacific shall refund nonrecurring charges for cage installation to carriers which surrender their collocation space, if that space is needed by another carrier, (2) the timeframe for CLEC's to request a space inspection tour, (3) Pacific shall accept applications and payment in advance of its advice letter becoming effective. However, no construction work shall commence until the advice letter is approved, and (4) the prioritization process reduced to 5 days to respond and 10 business days for CLEC's to send in their application with the check or post the surety bond.

Filer: Pacific Bell
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3/9/99 R	R93-04-003	Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking on Commission's own motion to govern open access to
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		network architecture development of dominant carrier
		networks and
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		Commission's own motion into open access and network
		architecture development of dominant carrier networks.
	R95-04-043	Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion into
		competition for local exchange service and
	I95-04-044	Investigation on the Commission's own motion into
		competition for local exchange service.

Summary: On March 4, 1999 AT&T Communications of California, Inc. ("AT&T") initiated three consecutive (3) ex parte meetings with PUC officials, conveying the same oral communications in each meeting. The AT&T representatives were John Zeglis, President of AT&T, Rick Witherington, and David Condit. The PUC officials were, (a) Commission President Bilas and advisor Lester Wong, (b) Commission Duque and advisor Tim Sullivan, and (c) Commissioner Neeper and advisor Fassil Fenikile. Mr. Zeglis thanked the commissioners for promptly approving the AT&T-TCI merger, but he expressed concern that Pacific's Operations Support Systems ("OSS") Test Plan is inadequate. He said the OSS test plan does not comply with FCC or PUC requirements, and that any "271" application based on Pacific's plan should be denied. Mr. Zeglis added that PUC should require Pacific to refile a more credible plan. Concluding, Mr. Zeglis recommended that the Commission finish the OANAD ("Open Access Network Architecture Development") proceeding to establish cost-based recurring non-recurring UNE prices because AT&T will continue to rely on the use of UNE's to serve many parts of California for the foreseeable future.

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3/12/99	its intrastate rates by \$26,	Roseville Telephone Company, for authority to increase its intrastate rates by \$26,890,729 effective 1/1/96; adopt the new regulatory framework proposal,
	I95-09-001	Commission Order Instituting Investigation, into the rates, charges, service, practices and regulation of
		Roseville Telephone Company; consolidated with A95-05-030, and
	A95-05-031	Roseville Telephone Company; for authority to implement a proposed agreement and plan for reorganization which would result in a holding company structure.

Summary: On March 9, 1999, Roseville Telephone Co. initiated consecutive meetings with PUC officials ("Roseville") and therein conveyed oral ex parte communications. In the first meeting, Michael D. Campbell and Greg R. Gierczak met with Commission President Bilas and advisor Lester Wong. In the second meeting, Mr. Gierczak met with Mr. Fassil T. Fenikile, advisor to Commissioner Neeper. The communications by Roseville were the same in each meeting, as follows: Objections about the Office of Ratepayer Advocates' ("ORA") proposed audit were primarily about the process that led to the improper selection of and contracting with Overland Consulting. Roseville stated this occurred before ORA had any authority to do so. Moreover the scope of the audit far exceeded that described in the general rate case and holding company orders. Consequently, its cost is greater than it should be. The process used to select the consultant was improper in that the low bidder was excluded from consideration. Roseville concluded by saying PUC should require ORA to re-start the process if it determined that an audit should begin now.

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