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## **Daily Calendar Wednesday, April, 28, 1999**

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**ALJ Resolution ALJ 176-3014 regarding ratification of preliminary determinations of category and notice of assignment is included in this calendar.**



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**REGULAR COMMISSION BUSINESS MEETINGS**

May 13, 1999	10 am	San Francisco
May 27, 1999	10 am	San Francisco
June 10, 1999	10 am	San Francisco

**REGULAR COMMISSION ADMINISTRATIVE MEETINGS**

May 4, 1999	4 pm	San Francisco
May 11, 1999	4 pm	San Francisco
May 18, 1999	4 pm	San Francisco
May 25, 1999	4 pm	San Francisco

For further information contact the Public Advisor  
(415) 703-2074, e-mail: [Public\\_advisor@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto:Public_advisor@cpuc.ca.gov)

**COMMISSION RATESETTING DELIBERATIVE MEETINGS  
(Not Open to the Public)**

*Ratesetting Deliberative Meeting dates are reserved as noted but will only be held if there are ratesetting matters to be considered.*

May 10, 1999	1:30 pm	San Francisco
May 24, 1999	1:30 pm	San Francisco
June 7, 1999	1:30 pm	San Francisco

**NOTICES**

**Delivery of Formal Pleadings for Filing**

Unless otherwise directed, all *courier-delivered documents* submitted for filing as part of the formal record in a proceeding should be *hand-carried directly* to the Commission's Docket Office, Room 2001, 505 Van Ness Avenue in San Francisco; Suite 500, 320 West 4<sup>th</sup> Street in Los Angeles; or Room 4006, 1350 Front Street in San Diego. All *documents sent through the mail* for formal filing should be addressed *ONLY* to the Commission's Docket Office, Room 2001, 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94102.

**Charge for Commission Documents**

To purchase Commission documents, there is a charge of 20 cents a printed page (postage prepaid) with a minimum purchase of \$2.00.

**Board Appointment Notice**

Pursuant to D.97-12-105, you are hereby notified that Cynthia Walker of California Cable Television Association has requested to be appointed to the Universal Lifeline Telephone Service Marketing Board (Board). Ms. Walker will represent competitive local exchange carriers (CLCs) on the Board. A copy of Ms. Walker's resume may be obtained from Joseph Abhulimen at (415) 703-1458.

Parties who wish may file a protest to Ms. Walker's request with the Executive Director of the Commission within 30 days from the date of this notice. If no protests are received, Ms. Walker appointment to the Board will become effective 31 days from the date of this notice.

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

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

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**COMMISSIONER OFFICE HOURS**

(For further information or to make an appointment, please contact Sandra Graham at (213) 576-7055.

<u>Date/Time</u>	<u>Commissioner</u>	<u>Location</u>
5/18/99, 9 am - 12 pm	Josiah L. Neeper	State Office Building 320 West 4th 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 <b>San Diego</b>
6/8/99, 10 am - 12 pm	Henry M. Duque	State Office Building 320 West 4th Street, Suite 500 <b>Los Angeles</b>

**PUBLIC MEETINGS & WORKSHOPS**

**Public Meeting**

<i>April 28, 1999 9:30 am - 12:30 pm</i>	<i>California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 3204 San Francisco</i>
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The Administrative Committee for CHCF-A, CHCF-B and the CTF will conduct its next monthly meeting on April 28, 1999. The agenda for this meeting is: 1. Introductions; 2. Public Comments; 3. Approve public meeting minutes of 3/24/99; 4. Status of the selection of a financial institution for trusts for CHCF-B and CTF; 5. Status of the selection of a CPA firm for the annual audit of CHCF-A; 6. Review and approve CHCF-A, CHCF-B and CTF expenses; 7. Status report of the April 14, 1999, CTF workshop; 8. Status report of the CTF fund and claims process; 9. Review and approve CHCF-B claims; and 10. Schedule the next meeting. For more information please contact Robert Weissman at 415-703-1989.

**Public Meeting - Low Income Governing Board - REVISED AS OF 4/20/99**

<i>April 28, 1999</i>	<i>Pacific Energy Center</i>
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<i>11 am - 4 pm</i>	<i>851 Howard Street HVAC Room San Francisco</i>
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The Board will meet to discuss the following topic: (1) deliberate and propose changes to the current bylaws for the Low Income Governing Board.

An agenda for the meeting is being developed and can be obtained from the LIGB's website at [www.ligb.org](http://www.ligb.org). This location is wheelchair accessible. The meeting is open to the public. For more information contact Charlene Treat at (510) 251-2888, extension 2090.

**Public Meeting - DATE CHANGE AS OF 4/1/99, NOTICE REVISED AS OF 4/15/99**

<i>April 29, 1999 10 am - 1 pm</i>	<i>Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program 1939 Harrison Street DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555 Oakland</i>
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The Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program (DDTP) FINANCE SUB-COMMITTEE will conduct a meeting to address the following: a.) Public Input, b.) Discussion of the 1998 Agreed Upon Procedures Report, c.) Discussion of Recommendations Made in the 1998 Audit Report, d.) Discussion of the 1999 Financial Audit RFP, and e.) Next Meeting Date. 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**

<i>April 29, 1999 10 am - 1 pm</i>	<i>California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue Room 4206 San Francisco</i>
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The TDD Interim Placement Committee (TPIC) 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 TPIC Program at (925) 855-3890.

The TPIC will meet to discuss the following topics: 1) Meeting Overview; 2) Minutes from March 30, 1999 TPIC Meeting; 3) Staff Reports -- including Financials and Staffing; 4) Discussion of Scope Letter to 3 Firms Identified as Bidders for RFP; 5) Development of Form for Request of TDD Equipment from the Program; 6) Discussion of Education for PSP's, the Public, and the Deaf Communities; 7) Public Input; and 8) New Items for Future Agenda.

**Public Meeting - REVISED TELECONFERENCE NUMBER AS OF 4/19/99**

<i>April 29, 1999 10 am - 5 pm</i>	<i>Pacific Energy Center 851 Howard Steet San Francisco</i>
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<i>and</i>  <i>April 30, 1999</i> <i>9 am - 3 pm</i>	
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***Teleconference Information:*** *This meeting is accessible by teleconference. To call in, dial: 1-800-226-1024. After the prompt, enter the access code (566123) followed by the pound sign. Please contact Elizabeth Gunn, Board Coordinator, at (415) 703-1956, or by e-mail at [egunn@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto:egunn@cpuc.ca.gov) with any questions regarding teleconferencing.*

The California Board for Energy Efficiency (CBEE) will meet to discuss the following topics: Program Planning and Implementation for Program Year (PY) 1999, Including Clarification of Resolution E-3592; PY 2000/2001 Program Planning; PY 1998 Updated Status Reports; Energy Division Workshop on Board Structure and Operating Procedures; Board Compensation; Board Operations, Including Immediate CBEE Issues in Letter to Commissioner Neeper; Annual Report; Market Assessment and Evaluation (MA&E), Including Utility Advice Letter on 1999 MA&E; CBEE Work Plan and Schedule for 1999; Organizational Planning and Staffing; Phase 2 Process on Future Administration; Legislative Update; Reporting Requirements; 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.cbее.org](http://www.cbее.org).

**Public Meeting**

<i>May 3, 1999</i> <i>1 pm - 2 pm</i>	<i>California Public Utilities Commission</i> <i>505 Van Ness Avenue</i> <i>Training Room</i> <b><i>San Francisco</i></b>
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The ULTS Marketing Board (ULTSMB) will hold a public session to open sealed cost bids of eligible candidates and disclose the amounts therein for the ULTS Interim Marketing Program. The contact will be awarded to the lowest most responsible bidder. For further information contact the ULTS office at (510) 452-2757.

**Workshop Notice**

<i>May 4, 1999</i> <i>9 am</i>	<i>Country Side Inn &amp; Suites</i> <i>325 Bristol Street</i> <b><i>Costa Mesa</i></b>
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The Administrative Committee of the Electric Education Trust (EET) meets to approve rules for the participation of local governments in the CBO grant program and the non-CBO education plan, adopt procedure to invite participants in the grants election committee, approve nominations to the advisory panel for scoring grant proposals, discuss framework for evaluation criteria for later approval, discuss CEP material inventory, assign EETAC members to outreach forums, discuss ongoing plans for outreach forums. The contact person is William Schulte at (415) 703-2349.

**Public Meeting - California Number Pooling Task Force**

May 4, 1999 9 am - 4 pm	Marriot Hotel Los Angeles Airport 5855 West Century Boulevard <b>Los Angeles</b>
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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. Please call Tish Ramirez of Pacific Bell at (925) 823-7442 for information and meeting details.

### **Public Meeting**

May 4, 1999 and May 11, 1999 10 am - 4 pm	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program 1939 Harrison Street DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555 <b>Oakland</b>
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The Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program Administrative Committee (DDTPAC) will conduct two meetings during the month of May. In addition to its monthly scheduled meeting on 4 May 1999, it will hold a second meeting on 11 May 1999 and the following business will be discussed over the two day period: a.) GENERAL BUSINESS (Review of Minutes from Previous Meeting, Agenda Approval and Public Input), b.) ADMINISTRATIVE BUSINESS (Reports from DDTPAC Chair, Executive Director, Consumer Affairs Specialist, Outreach Specialist Coordinator and CRSAC Representative), c.) FINANCIAL BUSINESS (Review of 1999 Program Budget vs. Expenses, Review and Reimbursement of Monthly Expenses and Balance in the D.E.A.F. Trust - Bank Statement Reconciliation), d.) OTHER BUSINESS (Appointment of Year 2000 Budget Subcommittee, Appointment of Interviewing Subcommittee, Request for DDTPAC Budget Modification, Report and Recommendations from the Finance Subcommittee, Recommendation from the 711 Subcommittee, Recommendations from CRSAC's 26 March and 23 April 1999 meetings, Recommendation from EPAC Regarding 3-Way Calling, Review of CPUC's Universal Service Handbook, Policy Issues Regarding Communication Assistants, Area Code Overlays in the Bay Area, Recommendation from the STS/IFB Subcommittee, Recommendation from the Call Center IFB Technical Evaluation Panel (TEP) and Recommendation from DMR Consultants Regarding a Change in the Centralized Warehouse Solicitation Document). For more information about the meeting, or if you plan to attend the meeting and need sign language interpretation or real-time captioning, contact Elana Kalisher at (510) 874-1410 VOICE or (510) 874-1411 TTY. **Environmental Reminder:** Please refrain from wearing perfumes or scents to DDTP meetings, because people with environmental illness or multiple chemical sensitivity must reduce their exposure in order to attend.

### **Workshop Notice**

May 5 - 6, 1999 9:30 am	California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue Room 3204 (May 5) Training Room (May 6)* <b>San Francisco</b>
*May 6 workshop will be held only if an additional day is necessary	

Notice of workshop to address the implementation details associated with D.98-12-084, ordering GTEC to pay \$4.85 million over a three-year period, to be used for a Telecommunications Consumer Protection Fund.

Parties to this proceeding have been asked to send their proposals to James Simmons of the Telecommunications Division by April 15, 1999. The workshops will provide parties the opportunity to discuss suggested implementation plans to evolve the proposals into a common proposal which can then be presented to the Commission for adoption via resolution. For further information, contact James Simmons at 415-703-2883.

**Workshop Notice**

<p>May 5, 1999 10 am - 4 pm</p>	<p>California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue Room 4010 <b>San Francisco</b></p>
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The Energy Division staff will conduct a workshop to discuss the findings and recommendations of its report entitled: "Report on Energy Division's Review of Pacific Gas and and Electric Company's Transition Cost Balancing Account Expenses and its Compliance with Commission Decisions and the California Public Utilities Code," issued on April 23, 1999. Pursuant to the March 11, 1999, Joint Assigned Commissioner and Administrative Law Judge's Ruling Modifying Schedule for Pacific Gas and Electric Company, Ruling Paragraph 1.

The workshop is open to the public. For more information contact Mark Kent Bumgardner of the Energy Division Phone: (415) 703-2887, or e-mail MBumgardner@CPUC.CA.Gov

**Public Meeting**

<p>May 5, 1999 1 pm - 5 pm</p>	<p>Pacific Energy Center 851 Howard Street <b>San Francisco</b></p>
<p>and</p>	
<p>May 6, 1999 9 am - 3 pm</p>	

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The California Board for Energy Efficiency (CBEE) will meet to discuss the following topics: Program Planning and Implementation for Program Year (PY) 1999; PY 2000/2001 Program Planning, Including the CBEE's May 10 Filing and Performance Incentives for Future Years; PY 1998 Annual Reports from the Utilities; Energy Division Workshop on Board Structure and Operating Procedures; Board Compensation; Board Operations; CBEE Annual Report; Market Assessment and Evaluation (MA&E), Including the Utility Advice Letter on 1999 MA&E; CBEE Work Plan and Schedule for 1999; Organizational Planning and Staffing; Phase 2 Process on Future Administration; Legislative Update; Reporting Requirements; 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.cbее.org](http://www.cbее.org).

**Public Meeting**

<p>May 6, 1999 10 am</p>	<p>California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue Hearing Room A San Francisco</p>
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The Energy Division will facilitate an informal session to assist the parties in understanding the Consumer Services Division's investigation of Pacific Gas and Electric Company's power outage which occurred on December 8, 1998. Dr. Chong Chiu of Performance Improvement International, Inc. and some of his key associates will be available to explain their report, *An Independent, Full Scope Root Cause Investigation of San Francisco December 8, 1998 Outage (Interim Report)*. Questions about the informal session may be directed to Kevin Coughlan at (415) 703-2408 or [kpc@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto:kpc@cpuc.ca.gov).

**Public Meeting - Low Income Governing Board**

<p>May 11, 1999 10 am - 4 pm</p>	<p>Pacific Energy Center, Green Room 851 Howard Street San Francisco</p>
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The Board will meet to discuss the following topics: (1) Public Comment; (2) report from the Chair; (3) approve and adopt meeting minutes; (4) deliberate and adopt recommendations on per diem issues and changes; (5) review and modify critical path schedule; (6) presentations by PG&E, So Cal Edison, So Cal Gas, and SDG&E on administrative costs, standardized reporting format, competitive bidding/expanded partnership, and AEAP proposals; (7) updates from the CPUC Energy Division, Office of Ratepayer Advocates, and Legal Division; (8) deliberate and approve action on proposed Commission orders; (9) deliberate and approve action on pending utility filings; (10) deliberate and approve action on ongoing Commission proceedings; and (11) 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 [www.ligb.org](http://www.ligb.org). This location is wheelchair accessible. The meeting is open to the public. For more information contact Charlene Treat at (510) 251-2888, extension 2090.

**Public Meeting - Low Income Governing Board**

<p>May 12, 1999 9 am - 4 pm</p> <p><i>Note: Earlier start time than usual.</i></p>	<p><i>Pacific Energy Center 851 Howard Street Conference Room (Street Level) San Francisco</i></p>
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The Board will meet to discuss the following topics: (1) Public Comment; (2) Report from the Chair; (3) deliberate and adopt recommendations on the specific tasks the Energy Division RFP on technical and administrative services should specify; (4) update on the Energy Division workshop of April 12-13, 1999; (5) deliberate and adopt recommendations for Phase II; (6) update from Advisory Committee and ratification of new Advisory Committee members; (7) approve and adopt Board position regarding performance incentives (AEAP schedule); (8) updates from the CPUC Energy Division, Office of Ratepayer Advocates, and Legal Division; (9) deliberate and approve action on proposed Commission orders; (10) deliberate and approve action on pending utility filings; (11) deliberate and approve action on ongoing Commission proceedings; and

(12) 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 [www.ligb.org](http://www.ligb.org). This location is wheelchair accessible. The meeting is open to the public. For more information contact Charlene Treat at (510) 251-2888, extension 2090.

### **Public Meeting**

<p>May 13, 1999 10 am - 4 pm</p>	<p><i>Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program 1939 Harrison Street DDTP Conference Room, Suite 555 Oakland</i></p>
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The EQUIPMENT PROGRAM ADVISORY COMMITTEE of the Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will hold its regular monthly meeting. For more information about the meeting, or if you plan to attend the meeting and need sign language interpretation or real-time captioning, contact Elana Kalisher at (510) 874-1410 VOICE or (510) 874-1411 TTY. **Environmental Reminder:** Please refrain from wearing perfumes or scents to DDTP meetings, because people with environmental illness or multiple chemical sensitivity must reduce their exposure in order to attend.

### **Public Meeting - REVISED AS OF 3/30/99**

<p>May 21, 1999 10 am - 4 pm</p>	<p><i>Department of Rehabilitation 2000 Evergreen Street Feather River Room, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor Sacramento</i></p>
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The CALIFORNIA RELAY SERVICE ADVISORY COMMITTEE of the Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will hold its regular monthly meeting. For more information about the meeting, or if you plan to attend the meeting and need sign language interpretation or real-time captioning, contact Elana Kalisher at (510) 874-1410 VOICE or (510) 874-1411 TTY.

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

NONE

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**NEW FILINGS**

4/14/99	A99-04-029	San Diego Telemanagement, Inc., for registration as an interexchange carrier telephone corporation pursuant to the provisions of Section 1013 of the Public Utilities Code
4/15/99	A99-04-030	United States Advanced Network, Inc., for registration as an interexchange telephone corporation pursuant to the provisions of Public Utilities Code Section 1013 and D97-06-107
4/16/99	A99-03-032	<b>Amendment</b> - Andre Planchon, dba Main Event Limousines, for authority to operate as a passenger stage corporation between the city of Monterey and San Francisco International Airport, via Marina, Salinas, and San Jose International Airport; <b>Amends a title of the proceeding by clarifying the proposed route and the applicant's name; provides a list of equipment</b>
4/20/99	A99-04-031	Network Enhanced Telecom, LLC, for registration as an interexchange carrier telephone corporation pursuant to the provisions of Section 1013 of California Public Utilities Code

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**PETITIONS FOR MODIFICATION AND APPLICATIONS FOR REHEARING**

NONE

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

NONE

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**ADVICE LETTER FILINGS**

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.

02/18/99	Telecom 48	PAC-WEST TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC., compliance filing, new service, rate reduction, deletion of services, text revisions (effective TBD)
03/22/99	Telecom 20105	PACIFIC BELL, cost recovery charge for 8xx calls from payphones (effective TBD)
04/15/99	Telecom 2	CONVERGENT COMM. SERVICES, INC., initial filing for resale of local exchange services (effective TBD)
04/20/99	Telecom 7	FOCAL COMMUNICATIONS CO. OF CALIF., newly issued sheet 96 containing new section H Intra-network calling (effective TBD)
04/21/99	Telecom 4	AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL TELEPHONE INC., cancel California PUC tariff No. 1 & file California PUC tariff No. 3 (effective TBD)
04/21/99	Telecom 4	GLOBAL TEL*LINK CORPORATION, tariff revision (effective TBD)
04/21/99	Telecom 38	GST TELECOM CALIFORNIA, INC., LESS RESTRICTIVE LANGUAGE CHANGE (effective TBD)
04/21/99	Telecom 371-A	SPRINT COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY, L.P., Supplements A.L.No.371, change initial billing increment for business sense from 18 to 30 seconds (effective TBD)
04/21/99	Telecom 381	SPRINT COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY, L.P., RATE

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		INCREASE TO REAL SOLUTIONS ANNUAL FONCARD DELETE PER CALL CHARGE (effective TBD)
04/23/99	Energy C-32-G	AVISTA CORPORATION, Customer Service System billing system. (anticipated effective 06/14/99)
04/23/99	Energy 1865E	PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Experimental Price-Responsive. (anticipated effective 06/01/99)
04/23/99	Energy 1866E	PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Participation in the PX's Block Forward Market. (anticipated effective 06/01/99)
04/23/99	Energy 1161E	SAN DIEGO GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Power Exchange Energy Cost schedule language addition. (anticipated effective 05/13/99)
04/23/99	Energy NON 1	SAN DIEGO GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Final Performance Based Ratemaking report for 1998. (anticipated effective 06/23/99)
04/23/99	Energy 2802	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GAS COMPANY, Contract with Knotts Berry Farm. (anticipated effective 05/01/99)
04/23/99	Telecom 9024	GTE CALIFORNIA INCORPORATED, integrated services digital network services (ISDN) (effective TBD)
04/23/99	Telecom 9025	GTE CALIFORNIA INCORPORATED, interconnection agreement - PaeTec Communications, Inc (effective TBD)
04/23/99	Telecom 160	GTE COMMUNICATIONS CORP., new service-text changes (effective TBD)
04/23/99	Telecom 161	GTE COMMUNICATIONS CORP., promotional offering - promotion extension (effective TBD)
04/23/99	Telecom 20200	PACIFIC BELL, public office closures - Bush St./SF (effective TBD)
04/23/99	Telecom 20201	PACIFIC BELL, public office closures - Chinatown/SF (effective TBD)
04/23/99	Telecom 20202	PACIFIC BELL, 4/23/99 FCC EUCL adjustment - removal of offset for SuperTrunk (effective TBD)
04/26/99	Telecom 1648	AT&T COMMUNICATIONS OF CALIFORNIA, INC,

		extend AT&T Value Block Promotion thru 9/20/99 (effective TBD)
04/26/99	Telecom 6	FRONTIER LOCAL SERVICES, INC., implementation of dialing parity (effective TBD)
04/26/99	Telecom 8986-A	GTE CALIFORNIA INCORPORATED, Supplements A.L.No.8986, definition & rules (effective TBD)
04/26/99	Telecom 19530-A	PACIFIC BELL, Supplements A.L.No.19530, revises Schedule A2, General regulations, 2.1 Rules, 2.1.1 Rule No. 1 - Definition of Terms, to include Residence and expand concept to allow more flexibility with the Affinity Groups. (effective TBD)
04/26/99	Telecom 20203	PACIFIC BELL, customer specific contract for DDD, VPP, Calling Card, Custom 8 & Zone 3 service (effective TBD)
04/26/99	Telecom MN64	PACIFIC BELL, VPP renewal Rewards VPP Grand Plan VPP Deluxe - Memo to shorten extension from 8/16/99 to 5/31/99 (effective TBD)

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### ADVICE LETTER PROTESTS

To inquire about a protest, call the Energy Division (703-1093), Telecommunications Division (703-1889) or Water Division (703-2028). To obtain a copy of the protest, please direct your request to the protestor.

04/23 /99	Energy 2800	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GAS COMPANY, Implementation of a positive identification verification program. Late filed protest by The Utility Reform Network.
04/23 /99	Energy 2793	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GAS COMPANY, Energy marketplace enhancements. Late filed protest by Office of Ratepayer Advocates.

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### MISCELLANEOUS TRANSPORTATION ITEMS

**April 28, 1999**

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Filings with Rail Safety and Carriers Division

04/21/99      TCP 12521-B      Lourdes T. Canaya and Herbert F. Canaya, DBA Express Travel, Address: 153 Bridlewood Court, Vallejo, California 94591; Telephone: (707) 645-8259; Terminal Address: 1330 Lemon St., Vallejo, California 94591; Application filed for new Class B authority

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**MISCELLANEOUS TELECOMMUNICATION MATTERS**

**April 28, 1999**

**NONE**

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**ADJOURNMENTS \* RESETTINGS \* SUBMISSIONS**

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,  
**Evidentiary Hearing held and continued to April 28**  
A89-03-026      Stalder - 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,  
**Evidentiary Hearing held and no report given**  
A99-02-004      Vieth - 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

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Service Company, Dominguez Water Company, Kern River Valley Water Company, and Antelope Valley Water Company,  
**Prehearing Conference held and no report given**

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**REMOVALS FROM CALENDAR**

**NONE**

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**NEW SETTINGS**

6/9/99 ALJ Bennett Comr Bilas	1:00 p.m. A.99-04-021	<b>(EH)</b> – Commission Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission’s own motion into the operations and practices of Aijaz Ali Khan and Clara Ines Martinez dba People’s Electric Supply Company, ESP # 1222 <b>Stockton State Building Auditorium 31 East Channel Street, Stockton, CA</b>
6/1/99 ALJ Wong Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. R.98-12-015	<b>(FPH)</b> - Order instituting Rulemaking on the Commission’s own motion to solicit comments and proposals on distributed generation and competition in electric distribution service, <b>Commission Auditorium, San Francisco</b>
5/5/99 ALJ Pulsifer Comr Duque	1:30 p.m. A.99-03-047	<b>(IAM)</b> - In the matter of the petition of Pacific Bell for arbitration of an interconnection agreement with MFS/Worldcom pursuant to Section 252(b) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, <b>Commission Room 5012, San Francisco</b>

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**LAW AND MOTION**

Law and Motion Hearings are held before Administrative Law Judge Steven Kotz at 9:30 am in one of the Commission’s San Francisco Office Hearing Rooms, unless otherwise noted. Law and Motion procedures are governed by Resolution ALJ 164. Copies of Resolution ALJ 164 are



available from the Commission's Documents Desk (415) 703-1713 or from Central Files (415) 703-2045

4/13/99	9:30 a.m.	NONE SCHEDULED
4/20/99	9:30 a.m.	NONE SCHEDULED
4/30/99	9:30 a.m. A.98-12-005	In the matter of GTE Corporation (GTE) and Bell Atlantic Corporation (Bell Atlantic) to transfer control of GTE's California utility subsidiaries to Bell Atlantic, which will occur indirectly as a result of GTE's merger with Bell Atlantic, <b>ALJ Janet Econome, Presiding</b>

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### FINAL ORAL ARGUMENTS

5/11/99	1:00 p.m.	<b>(FOA)</b> - Order instituting rulemaking on the Commission's own motion to consider modifications to the universal lifeline telephone service program and general order 153, <b>Commission Auditorium, San Francisco</b>
ALJ Kenney	R.98-09-005	
Comr Neeper		

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### HEARINGS

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

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

4/28/99	10:00 a.m.	<b>(EH)</b> – San Diego Gas and Electric Company and Southern California Gas Company for approval of a gas transmission service tariff, <b>(EH)</b> – Southern California Gas Company for authority to revise its rates effective August 1, 1999 in its biennial cost allocation proceeding, <b>(EH)</b> – Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company for Authority to revise its gas rates effective August 1, 1999, in its biennial cost allocation proceeding,
ALJ Barnett	A.98-07-005	
Comr Duque	A.98-10-012	
	A.98-10-031	

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**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also  
April 29-30)**

4/28/99 10:00 a.m. (PHC) - Order Instituting Investigation Into the Power  
ALJ I.98-12-013 Outage Which Occurred on December 8, 1998 on  
O'Donnell Pacific Gas & Electric Company's Electric System,  
Comr Bilas **Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (EH)  
June 1-4, June 7-11)**

4/28/99 10:00 a.m. (PHC) - Application of Southern California Edison  
ALJ Gottstein A.98-12-038 Company (U 338-E) for order approving amendment  
Comr Neeper no. 2 to power purchase agreement between Southern  
California Edison Company and Colmac Energy, Inc.,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**

4/29/99 9:00 a.m. (PHC) - Application of the Southern California  
ALJ Barnett A.98-05-053 Edison Company (U 338-E) for Review of the  
Comr Neeper 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)**

4/29/99 9:00 a.m. (PHC) - Application of Southern California Edison (U  
ALJ Hale A.99-03-062 338-E) for an order under Section 701 of the Public  
Comr Bilas Utilities Code granting Southern California Edison  
Company authorization to establish a pilot program for  
reselling bilateral forward purchases into the PX and  
ISO,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**

4/29/99 10:00 a.m. (PHC) - In the matter of the application of the  
ALJ Walker A.98-12-036 Southern California Water Company (U 133W) for  
Comr Duque approval pursuant to Public Utilities Code Sections  
454 and 851 of a settlement agreement delineating  
water rights in the six basins and for authority to effect  
related ratemaking changes in its Claremont District,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**

4/30/99 2:00 p.m. (PHC) - Pacific Gas and Electric Company to  
ALJ Barnett A.98-11-023 establish performance-based ratemaking for electric  
Comr Duque and gas utility distribution service effective January 1,  
2000,  
**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	10:00 a.m.	<b>(PHC)</b> - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company submitting electric revenue cycle services cost and rate proposals in compliance with Decision 98-09-070,
ALJ Hale	A.99-03-013	
Comr Neeper		
	A.99-03-019	<b>(PHC)</b> - Application for Commission consideration of post-transition proposals for long-run marginal cost pricing and geographic de-averaging of revenue cycle services
	A.99-03-024	<b>(PHC)</b> - Application of Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) relating to long-run marginal costs for unbundled metering and billing services, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
5/3/99	2:00 - 4:00 p.m.	<b>(PPH)</b> - In the matter of the application of Elk Grove Water Works (U 135-W) for an order authorizing it to increase rates for water service for its total service area, and approving its planned water filtration plant installation,
ALJ Walker	7:00 - 9:00 p.m.	
Comr Duque	A.98-12-028	<b>Elk Grove Community Services District, Board Room, 8820 Elk Grove Boulevard, Elk Grove</b>
5/4/99	1:30 p.m.	<b>(PHC)</b> - Southwest Gas Corporation and Oneok, Inc. for authorization to implement the agreement and plan of merger dated December 14, 1998,
ALJ Malcolm	A.99-02-032	
Comr Bilas		<b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
5/5/99	1:30 p.m.	<b>(IAM)</b> - In the matter of the petition of Pacific Bell for arbitration of an interconnection agreement with MFS/Worldcom pursuant to Section 252(b) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996,
ALJ Pulsifer	A.99-03-047	
Comr Duque		<b>Commission Room 5012, San Francisco</b>
5/10/99	10:00 a.m.	<b>(EH)</b> - Pacific Gas and Electric Company for authority to establish post-transition period electric ratemaking mechanisms,
ALJ Malcolm	A.99-01-016	
ALJ Minkin		
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	<b>(EH)</b> - 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	<b>(EH)</b> - 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.)**

5/10/99 11:00 a.m. (PHC) - Application of Southern California Edison  
ALJ Biren A.99-03-020 Company (U 338-E) for approval of further guidelines  
Comr Bilas for evaluation and reporting requirements on the  
distribution performance based ratemaking (PBR)  
mechanism,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**

5/10/99 1:00 p.m. (EH) - Application of Sereno Del Mar Water  
ALJ Weiss A.98-07-046 Company doing business as Sereno Del Mar Water  
Comr Duque Company to sell and Russian River Utility, a  
California Corporation to buy the water system in  
Sonoma County,  
**Santa Rosa State Building, Room 410-B, Santa  
Rosa**

5/10/99 1:30 p.m. (PHC) - Application of the City of Richmond for an  
ALJ Ryerson A.99-03-003 order granting a variance to General Order No. 135 to  
Comr Bilas further limit the time permitted for blocking the public  
streets with crossings at Richmond Avenue and  
Marina Bay Parkway in the City of Richmond, Contra  
Costa County, California,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**

5/11/99 10:00 a.m. (PHC) - Application of the San Francisco Bay Area  
ALJ DeUlloa A.99-02-012 Rapid Transit District for authority to institute revenue  
Comr Bilas passenger service utilizing the advanced automatic  
train control system for safety-critical motion control,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**

5/12/99 9:30 a.m. (EH) - Joint application of Dominguez Water  
ALJ Vieth A.99-02-003 Company (U-330-W) and Hawkins Water Service (U-  
Comr Duque 114-W) for approval of the acquisition of the utility  
assets of Hawkins Water Service by Dominguez Water  
Company,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**

5/12/99 10:00 a.m. (PHC) - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric

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ALJ Malcolm A.99-03-014 Company to revise its electrical marginal costs,  
Comr Bilas revenue allocation and rates at the end of the rate  
freeze,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**

5/12/99 1:30 p.m. **(EH)** - Joint application of Dominguez Water  
ALJ Vieth A.99-02-005 Company (U-330-W) and Coast Springs Water  
Comr Duque 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**

5/14/99 10:00 a.m. **(PHC)** - Application of Southern California Gas  
ALJ Bytof A.99-03-049 Company (U 904 G) under the catastrophic event  
Comr Duque memorandum account (CEMA) for recovery of costs  
related to the El Nino storms,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**

5/17/99 10:00 a.m. **(EH)** - Application of Lodi Gas Storage, LLC for  
ALJ Econome A.98-11-012 certificate of public convenience and necessity for  
Comr Bilas 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)**

5/19/99 10:00 a.m. **(EH)** - Robert W. Merwin vs. Citizens  
ALJ Walker C.97-09-054 Communications,  
Comr Duque **Jean Harvie Community Center, 14273 River  
Road, Walnut Grove**

5/24/99 10:00 a.m. **(EH)** - In the Matter of the Application of Pacific Bell  
ALJ Galvin A.98-07-020 a corporation, for Authority to Categorize Centrex as a  
Comr Duque Category III Service,  
A.98-07-029 **(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 10:00 a.m. **(EH)** - Application of the Southern California Water  
ALJ Walker A.98-09-040 Company for authority pursuant to Public Utilities  
Comr Duque 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)**

5/24/99 ALJ Vieth Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. A.99-01-006	<b>(EH)</b> - In the matter of the application of Maria Avelar Wosick and Timothy Allen Wosick, dba Bottom Line Results Moving for a household goods carrier permit, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco, (also May 25-26)</b>
5/26/99 ALJ Bytof Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. A.97-10-024	<b>(PHC)</b> - Application of Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) for authority to recover capital additions to its fossil generating facilities made between January 1, 1996 and December 31, 1996 and related substantive and procedural relief, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
6/1/99 ALJ Wong Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. R.98-12-015	<b>(FPH)</b> - Order instituting Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion to solicit comments and proposals on distributed generation and competition in electric distribution service, <b>Commission Auditorium, San Francisco</b>
6/2/99 ALJ Malcolm Comr Neeper	2:00 p.m. R.96-11-004	<b>(PHC)</b> - Order instituting rulemaking for electric distribution facility standard setting, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
6/4/99 ALJ Malcolm ALJ Minkin Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A.99-01-016 A.99-01-019 A.99-01-034	<b>(EH)</b> - Pacific Gas and Electric Company for authority to establish post-transition period electric ratemaking mechanisms, <b>(EH)</b> - San Diego and Electric Company for authority to implement post rate freeze ratemaking mechanism, <b>(EH)</b> - 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 period,
	A.99-02-029	<b>(EH)</b> - Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company: (1) informing the Commission of the probable timing of the end of its 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, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
6/7/99 ALJ DeUlloa Comr Neeper	9:30 a.m. C.98-11-027	<b>(EH)</b> - Reuben and Blanche Bercovitch vs. San Diego Gas & Electric Company and Sempra Energy, for cutting out electric poles to complainants' property,

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**Kearny Mesa Lab Conference Room, 7177  
Opportunity Road, San Diego, (also June 8)**

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| 6/7/99<br>ALJ Mattson<br>Comr Neeper                | 10:00 a.m.<br>A.98-12-005                                       | <b>(EH)</b> - 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,<br><b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco, (also June 8-11, June 14-18, June 21-25)</b>  |
| 6/9/99<br>ALJ Bennett<br>Comr Bilas                 | 1:00 p.m.<br>A.99-04-021  | <b>(EH)</b> – Commission Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission's own motion into the operations and practices of Aijaz Ali Khan and Clara Ines Martinez dba People's Electric Supply Company, ESP # 1222<br><b>Stockton State Building Auditorium<br/>31 East Channel Street, Stockton, CA</b>  |
| 6/14/99<br>ALJ Barnett<br>Comr Conlon<br>Comr Bilas | 10:00 a.m.<br>A.97-12-039                                       | <b>(EH)</b> - San Diego Gas & Electric Company for authority to sell electrical generation facilities and power contracts,<br><b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also June 15-18)</b>  |
| 6/14/99<br>ALJ Minkin<br>Comr Duque<br>Comr Conlon  | 10:00 a.m.<br>A.98-09-003<br><br>A.98-09-008<br><br>A.98-09-009 | <b>(PHC)</b> - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for Review and Recovery of the Costs and Revenues in the Transition Cost Balancing Account (U 39 E),<br><b>(PHC)</b> - Application of Southern California Edison Company to Review and Recovery Transition Cost Balancing Account Entries from January 1, 1998 through June 30, 1998 and Various Generation-Related Memorandum Account Entries,<br><b>(PHC)</b> - Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company in the Annual Transition Cost Proceeding Regarding the Transition Cost Balancing Account (TCBA),<br><b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (EH) June 21-25, June 28-30, July 1-2, July 5-8, (CA) 9:00 a.m., July 9</b> |
| 7/6/99<br>ALJ Mattson<br>Comr Neeper                | 10:00 a.m.<br>A.98-12-005                                       | <b>(PHC)</b> - 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,<br><b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco,</b>  |

**(also (EH) July 12-16, July 19-23, July 26-30,  
10:00 a.m.)**

7/13/99 ALJ Walker Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A.98-12-028	<b>(EH)</b> - In the matter of the application of Elk Grove Water Works (U 135-W) for an order authorizing it to increase rates for water service for its total service area, and approving its planned water filtration plant installation, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco, (also July 14-16)</b>
7/19/99 ALJ Vieth Comr Neepre	10:00 a.m. C.99-01-039	<b>(EH)</b> - The Greenlining Institute and Latino Issues Forum vs. Pacific Bell for undisclosed untariffed charges for voicemail services, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco, (also July 20-21)</b>
7/26/99 ALJ Weiss Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A.98-11-003  A.98-11-015	<b>(PHC)</b> - 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, <b>(PHC)</b> - 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, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
8/9/99 ALJ DeUlloa Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A.99-01-037	<b>(EH)</b> - Application of Mountain Utilities (U 906-E) for authority, among other things, to more precisely define its revenue requirement and increase rates and charges for electric charges, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco, (also August 10-13)</b>
8/23/99 ALJ Malcolm ALJ Minkin Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A.99-01-016 A.99-01-019  A.99-01-034	<b>(EH)</b> - Pacific Gas and Electric Company for authority to establish post-transition period electric ratemaking mechanisms, <b>(EH)</b> - San Diego Gas & Electric Company for authority to implement post rate freeze ratemaking mechanisms, <b>(EH)</b> - 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, <b>(EH)</b> - 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, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco, (also August 24-27, August 30-September 3, 9:00 a.m.)</b>
8/31/99 ALJ Malcolm Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A.99-01-011	<b>(PHC)</b> - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company to recover costs recorded in the catastrophic event memorandum account (CEMA) effective January 1, 2000 (U 39 M), <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco, (also (EH) September 8-10, September 13-15, 10:00 a.m.)</b>
9/7/99 ALJ Minkin Comr Duque Comr Conlon	10:00 a.m. A.98-08-003 A.98-09-008	<b>(EH)</b> - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for review and recovery of the costs and revenues in the transition cost balancing account, <b>(EH)</b> - 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	<b>(EH)</b> - Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company in the annual transition cost proceeding regarding the transition cost balancing account, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco, (also September 8-10, 9:00 a.m.)</b>

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**NOTICE OF DENIAL OF REQUEST FOR EX PARTE MEETING**

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

**NONE FILED**

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

**NONE**

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**NOTICE OF EX PARTE COMMUNICATIONS**

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4/23/99	R97-08-001	Commission Order Instituting 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.
	I97-08-002	Commission Order Instituting 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.

**Summary:** On April 20, 1999 NEXTLINK California ("NextLink") urged Commission President Bilas not to adopt new reporting requirements for addressing "slamming" and "cramming" issues that would be expensive for small competitive local exchange carriers ("CLEC") and imperil their ability to compete in the marketplace. NextLink representatives Karen M. Potkuk, Melissa Waksman, and Nick Selby initiated the ex parte encounter at CPUC in regard to the pending draft decision of the administrative law judge. Mr. Selby is outside counsel for the ICG Telecom Group, Inc. ("ICG") as well as for NextLink. Ms Potkuk also urged PUC to preserve carriers' authorization to disconnect service when valid charges have not been paid and are not disputed by the customer. She

contrasted the time consuming tasks of migrating customers from incumbent local exchange carriers ("ILEC's") from the automatic process by which primary interexchange carriers ("PIC") are accomplished for interexchange carriers ("IEC's"). Further details were cited why NextLink cannot accept a proposed requirement for addressing the "sliding" problem that would require CLEC's to migrate customers within 30 days of an executed letter of authorization ("LOA"). Mr. Selby said if the Commission placed a time limit within which an LOA remains valid for migration of local exchange service, it should be at least one year.

**Filer: Nextlink California and ICG Telecom Group, Inc.**

**Contact: Nancy Post**

**Phone: (650) 323-0990**

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**RESOLUTION REGARDING RATIFICATION OF PRELIMINARY DETERMINATIONS OF CATEGORY**

For purposes of Rule 63.2(c), notice of the assignment is the day the assignments associated with this preliminary categorization document appear in the Daily Calendar following the Commission business meeting.

4/22/99            ALJ-176-3014    Ratification of preliminary determinations of category for proceedings initiated by application. The preliminary determinations are pursuant to Article 2.5, Rules 4 and 6.1 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure. (See also Rule 63.2(c) regarding notice of assignment.)  
**Adopted. The preliminary determination schedule is shown below.**

**PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION SCHEDULES**

Resolution ALJ-176-3014 (4/22/99)

**ASSIGNMENTS**

NUMBER	PROPOSED CATEGORY	PRELIM. CATEGORY	HEARING	COMR	ALJ
TITLE					
<b>A99-03-054</b>  ALISAL WATER CORPORATION, dba ALCO WATER SERVICE for a determination pursuant to Section 851 of the Public Utilities Code if utility funds obtained in settlement of a lawsuit lawfully may be applied to satisfy a third party judgment lien, for review of judgment, and related matters	Adjudicatory	Ratesetting	YES	Duque	Vieth

**PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION SCHEDULES**

Resolution ALJ-176-3014 (4/22/99)

**ASSIGNMENTS**

NUMBER TITLE	PROPOSED CATEGORY	PRELIM. CATEGORY	HEARING	COMR	ALJ
<b>A99-03-058</b>  PACIFICO TRANSPORTATION LLC for authority to operate as a passenger stage throughout San Diego County, City of San Ysidro and Orange County, City of Huntington Park	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO	Not Assigned	Examiner Koss
<b>A99-03-059</b>  FEREIDOUNI, MAHNAZ , FRAYDOUNI, NASSAR for authority to jointly control Advanced Airporter, Inc.	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO	Bilas	Rosenthal
<b>A99-03-060</b>  ATMA, INC. for registration as an interexchange carrier telephone corporation pursuant to the provisions of Public Utilities Code Section 1013	Ratesetting NDIEC Registration Application	Ratesetting	NO	Not Assigned	Examiner Leutza

Resolution ALJ-176-3014 (4/22/99)

**ASSIGNMENTS**

NUMBER TITLE	PROPOSED CATEGORY	PRELIM. CATEGORY	HEARING	COMR	ALJ
<b>A99-03-061</b>  CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE for an order authorizing it to increase rates charged for water service in each of its operating districts to recover increased operating expenditures at its general office	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	YES	Duque	Vieth
<b>A99-03-062</b>  SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON COMPANY for an order under Section 701 of the Public Utilities Code granting Southern California Edison Company authorization to establish a pilot program for reselling bilateral forward purchases into the PX and ISO	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	YES	Bilas	Hale

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<b>A99-03-063</b>  SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON COMPANY for a finding of reasonableness for the ratepayer expenditures for the ENVEST pilot program	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	YES	Neepser	Stalder
<b>A99-03-064</b>  SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA WATER COMPANY for an order authorizing it to include the remaining \$1,600,000 of the cost of Sonoma Treatment Plant in the utility plant in service for the Clearlake District	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	YES	Neepser	Patrick

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<b>A99-03-065</b>  SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA WATER COMPANY for an order authorizing a general rate increase in its Wrightwood Customer Service area to increase gross revenues by \$5.98 or 13.06% in the year 2000; \$7.04 or 13.59% in the year 2001; and \$6.84 or 11.63% in the year 2002	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	YES	Neepner	Patrick
<b>A99-03-066</b>  SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA WATER COMPANY for an order authorizing a general rate increase in its Calipatria-Niland Customer Service Area to increase its revenues by \$73.33 or 110.81% in the year 2000; \$93.81 or 67.25% in the year 2001; and \$88.96 or 38.13% in the year 2002	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	YES	Neepner	Patrick

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<b>A99-03-067</b>  SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA WATER COMPANY for an order authorizing a general rate increase in its Claremont Customer Service Area to increase revenues by \$11.57 or 15.87% in the year 2000; \$2.83 or 3.34% in the year 2001; \$2.83 or 3.34% in the year 2002	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	YES	Neepser	Patrick
<b>A99-03-068</b>  SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA WATER COMPANY for an order authorizing a general rate increase in its Barstow Customer Service Area to increase its revenues by \$7.7 or 19.10% in the year 2000; \$5.48 or 11.39% in the year 2001; and \$5.63 or 10.51% in the year 2002	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	YES	Neepser	Patrick

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<b>A99-03-071</b> PACIFICORP for the issuance of a limited exemption from the affiliate transaction rules	Quasi-legislative	Quasi-legislative	NO	Bilas	Econome
<b>A99-04-001</b> ELSAYED, EHAB, dba WEST COAST SHUTTLE & LIMO for authority to operate as a passenger stage corporation between points in San Francisco, Alameda, Solano and Contra Costa Counties and the San Francisco, Oakland and San Jose International Airports and to establish a zone of rate freedom	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	YES	Bilas	Rosenthal
<b>A99-04-002</b> PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY for an order under Section 851 of the California Public Utilities Code to sell and convey to the City of Gilroy a streetlight system	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO	Neeper	Wright

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<b>A99-04-003</b>  CALIFORNIA-AMERICAN WATER COMPANY for an order authorizing it to increase its rates for water service in its Monterey Division to increase revenues by \$2,594,600 in the year 2000; \$1,039,400 in the year 2001; and \$893,300 in the year 2002 (N99-03-029)	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	YES	Duque	McVicar
<b>A99-04-005</b>  NEW GLOBAL TELECOM, INC. for registration as an interexchange carrier telephone corporation pursuant to the provisions of Public Utilities Code Section 1013	Ratesetting NDIEC Registration Application	Ratesetting	NO	Not Assigned	Examiner Leutza
<b>A99-04-006</b>  ERBIA NETWORK, INC. for registration as an interexchange carrier telephone corporation pursuant to the provisions of Public Utilities Code Section 1013	Ratesetting NDIEC Registration Application	Ratesetting	NO	Not Assigned	Examiner Leutza

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<p><b>A99-04-007</b></p> <p>ROMY BUS COMPANY, LLC to operate a pre-arranged (on-call) city-to-city passenger stage service between the ports of entry at Calexico and San Ysidro, on the one hand, and cities of Indio, Los Angeles, Bakersfield, Fresno, Salinas, Watsonville, and Sacramento/Woodland , on the other hand, under Section 1031, et seq; of the California Public Utilities Code</p>	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO	Not Assigned	Examiner Koss
<p><b>A99-04-008</b></p> <p>ACCESS COMMUNICATIONS, INC., dba ACCESS LONG DISTANCE for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to offer local exchange telecommunications services</p>	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO	Neepor	O'Donnell

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<b>A99-04-009</b>  PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY for expedited and ex parte approval of termination of Standard Offer No.2 Power Purchase Agreement between Pacific Gas and Electric Company and San Joaquin Cogen Limited, R.P. (public version)	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	YES	Neeper	Weissman
<b>A99-04-010</b>  WESTERN GAS RESOURCES – CALIFORNIA, INC. for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide public utility gas transmission and distribution services through the use of certain existing facilities and to construct additional interconnection facilities	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	YES	Bilas	Biren

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<b>A99-04-011</b>  VARTEC TELECOM, INC for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to offer local exchange and access services	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO	Neeper	O'Donnell
<b>A99-04-012</b>  BITRO TELECOMMUNICA TIONS, INC. for registration as an interexchange carrier telephone corporation pursuant to the provisions of Section 1013 of the Public Utilities Code	Ratesetting NDIEC Registration Application	Ratesetting	NO	Not Assigned	Examiner Leutza

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<b>A99-04-013</b>  UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY for authority to install and maintain stationary horn warning systems at two public crossings over applicant's main line, Lathrop Road and Roth Road, County of San Joaquin, on a trial basis for purpose of evaluating the effectiveness of such systems	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO	Not Assigned	Examiner Koss
<b>A99-04-014</b>  PRESTIGE INVESTMENTS, INC. , ZENEX LONG DISTANCE INC. for approval of a stock purchase agreement and related transactions	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO	Neepor	Walker

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<b>A99-04-015</b>  U.S. TELESTAR COMMUNICATION S GROUP for registration as an interexchange carrier telephone corporation pursuant to the provisions of Public Utilities Code Section 1013	Ratesetting NDIEC Registration Application	Ratesetting	NO	Not Assigned	Examiner Leutza
<b>A99-04-017</b>  CITIZENS TELECOM. COMPANY/CA., INC. annual depreciation	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO	Bilas	Mattson