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**REGULAR COMMISSION BUSINESS MEETINGS**

October 7, 1999 *	10 am	Los Angeles
October 21, 1999	10 am	San Francisco
November 4, 1999	10 am	San Francisco

\* Location: Junipero Serra State Building, 320 West 4<sup>th</sup> Street, First Floor Auditorium, Los Angeles

**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.*

October 4, 1999	1:30 pm	San Francisco
October 18, 1999	1:30 pm	San Francisco
November 1, 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.

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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.

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**COMMISSIONER OFFICE HOURS**

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

<b><u>Date/Time</u></b>	<b><u>Commissioner</u></b>	<b><u>Location</u></b>
10/8/99, 9 am - 12 pm	Josiah L. Neeper	1350 Front Street, Room 4006 <b>San Diego</b>

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**TOWN HALL MEETINGS**

10/6/99, 7 pm - 9 pm	Torrance Cultural Arts Center, Meeting Hall 3330 Civic Center Drive <b>Torrance</b>
10/6/99, 7 pm - 9 pm	Inglewood Public Library 101 West Manchester <b>Inglewood</b>
10/7/99, 10 am - 11 am	State Office Building, Auditorium 320 West Fourth Street <b>Los Angeles</b>

**PUBLIC MEETINGS & WORKSHOPS**

**Public Meeting - Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program Administrative Committee**

September 27, 1999 10 am - 4 pm	Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program 505 14th Street Suite #400 <b>Oakland</b>
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The Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program Administrative Committee (DDTPAC) will hold a meeting to address the following: a.) Public Input b.) Closed session Item c.) Report from Closed Session d.) Proposed Year 2000 Program Budget

**Public Meeting - Low Income Governing Board**

September 28, 1999 9 am - 3 pm	Pacific Gas and Electric's Pacific Energy Center 851 Howard Street (1 block west of the Moscone Center) <b>San Francisco</b>
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The Advisory Committee will meet to discuss the following topics: Review Utility filings; Review Scoping Memo; Review LIGB 2000 Budget; Review Utilities RFP; Review Membership; Review Outreach Pilots.

This location is wheelchair accessible. The meeting is open to the public. For more information, please contact Louise Perez at (916) 567-5220.

**Public Meeting**

September 28, 1999  
9:30 am - 12 pm

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

The Administrative Committee for CHCF-A, CHCF-B and the CTF will conduct its next monthly meeting on September 28, 1999. The agenda for this meeting is (1) Introductions; (2) Public Comments; (3) Review and Approval of 8/17/99 Public Meeting Minutes; (4) Status Report on CHCF-B and CTF Trust Account Contracts; (5) Adoption and Implementation of Trust Accounts with Bank of America and Union Bank; (6) Status Report on Remittance for CHCF-B and CTF; (7) Status Report on Interest on Claims for CTF; (8) Review and Approval on the Development of CHCF-A, CHCF-B and CTF Program Budgets for Year 2000; (9) Review and Approval of CHCF-A, CHCF-B and CTF expenses; (10) Status Report of the Development of CTF Claims Process; (11) Review and Approval of CHCF-B Claims; and (12) Schedule for the Next Public Meeting. The meeting is open to the public. For more information please contact Robert Weissman at 415-703-1989.

**Public Meeting - Low Income Governing Board**

September 29, 1999  
12pm - 4 pm

Pacific Gas and Electric's Pacific Energy Center  
851 Howard Street  
(1 block west of the Moscone Center)  
**San Francisco**

The Board will meet to discuss the following: the Board's role on filling Vacancies; the LIGB draft report on the Utilities' testimony in the Competitive Bidding Proceeding; current events; and specific issues to be addressed at the October Fresno meeting that would be relevant to the community.

This location is wheelchair accessible. The meeting is open to the public. For more information, please contact Edna O'Leary at (415) 703-2626.

**Closed Session:** At a convenient time during, or at the conclusion of the meeting, the LIGB may have a closed session to discuss items of litigation. The LIGB is authorized to discuss these matters in a closed session pursuant to Government Code, Section 1126(e)(2)(b).

**Public Meeting**

October 5, 1999  
12pm - 5 pm

Pacific Energy Center  
851 Howard Street  
**San Francisco**

October 6, 1999  
9am - 3pm

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 for Program Years (PY) 2000/2001, Including Review of the Utility Program Applications Submitted on September 27, and Preparation of CBEE's Comments; Review of PY 1999 Programs, Including a Status Report on the Non-Residential SPC Strategy; Follow-up on Program Priorities and Commission Objectives, Including an Independent State-Wide Brand and Logo; Board Structures and Operating Procedures, Including the CBEE's Comments on the Proposed Decision; Market Assessment and Evaluation (MA&E) Activities; Annual Earnings Assessment Proceeding (AEAP), Including CBEE Reports; CBEE Work Plan and Schedule for 1999; Organizational Planning and Staffing, Including Support Resources for the CBEE, Work Plans, and Approval of Invoices; Investigative Report of CBEE Contracting Procedures; 1998 Annual Audit of the CBEE; Board Operations and Membership; Updates and Status Reports from Board 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 the meeting consult the CBEE Web Page at [http:// www.cbef.org](http://www.cbef.org).

**Closed Session:** At a convenient time during, or at the conclusion of the meeting, the CBEE may have a closed session to discuss items of threatened litigation. The CBEE is authorized to discuss these matters in a closed session pursuant to Government Code, Section 11126(e)(2)(b).

**Public Meeting**

<p>October 6, 1999 10am - 1pm</p>	<p>California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 2204 <b>San Francisco</b></p>
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The ULTSMB Market Study sub-committee will be meeting in closed session to discuss and develop the Market Study RFP scoring criteria. This meeting is not open to the public

**Public Meeting - Low Income Governing Board**

<p>October 12, 1999 10 am - 4 pm</p>	<p>Proteus Fresno County Regional Office Manchester Center 1901 East Shields, Suite 150</p>
<p>October 13, 1999 9 am- 3 pm</p>	<p><b>Fresno, CA</b></p>

The Board will meet to discuss the following topics: Committee and CPUC Updates. Review recent Commission rulings. Discuss utility testimony and RFP submissions and Finalize LIGB Report. Discuss and determine schedule for preparation of LIGB PY2001 program and policy recommendations. Request utility joint proposal for uniform statewide implementation of CARE and LIEE programs for PY2001 program development. Discuss new nominees for Board. Review and discuss Board expenditures. Discuss and decide on pilot recommendations to CPUC. Discuss pending Commission decisions or orders and potential comments on Draft Resolution concerning the needs assessment pursuant to E-3601. Review critical path. Review recent legislation. Review 12/22/98 LIGB RFP filing to determine which items are still relevant. Provide an open forum to discuss CARE and LIEE issues of public Concern.

This location is wheelchair accessible. The meeting is open to the public. For more information, please contact Edna O’Leary at (415) 703-2626.

**Closed Session:** At a convenient time during, or at the conclusion of the meeting, the LIGB may have a closed session to discuss items of litigation. The LIGB is authorized to discuss these matters in a closed session pursuant to Government Code, Section 1126(e)(2)(b).

**Stakeholder Roundtable on CPUC Innovations**

<p>October 12, 1999 1 pm</p>	<p>California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue Auditorium <b>San Francisco</b> (Corner of Van Ness Avenue and McAllister Street)</p>
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The *Stakeholder Roundtable* is a key element of our ongoing effort to assure that the way the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) conducts business is fully aligned with evolving publicly-valued needs and expectations.

Federal and state utility deregulation, technological change, as well as other current issues with widespread impact including area code proliferation, local and long distance telephone competition, competition in electricity services, and the need for consumer education and protection in competitive industries. All of these make it imperative for the CPUC to continue to strive to address stakeholder and public needs in innovative and efficient ways.

The goal of the *Stakeholder Roundtable* is to hear your suggestions for specific, feasible, needed innovations at the CPUC with respect to, for instance, changes in processes, rules, ways of conducting business, and ways we interact and communicate with the public and others. We also seek ideas from our employees on how we can make the Commission a more fulfilling place to work.

Recently, the Commission issued its *Draft 1999 – 2000 CPUC Business Plan* for stakeholder review and comment (available at [www.cpuc.ca.gov](http://www.cpuc.ca.gov)). Within it are ongoing process reform efforts, planned innovations in expanded electronic access to the CPUC, and additional planned streamlined procedures to benefit stakeholders and the public directly. The *Draft Business Plan* incorporates a set of eight good government initiatives I proposed this spring and the Directors’ responses to an innovation survey conducted by the

Governor's Office of Innovation in Government. These documents are available on the Commission website in association with this notice.

The *Stakeholder Roundtable* is intended to go a step further by enabling us to hear firsthand from electric, telephone, and gas utilities and providers, rail, water, transportation, and other regulated entities. We also seek input from the public, consumer groups, industry labor representatives, legislators, the Administration, other government agencies, employee advocacy groups and employee union representatives about innovations or improvements you think we should make to better serve public and stakeholder interests, and how we should begin to implement them expeditiously. Contact Garret Shean at 415-703-1114; 916-327-1416, or [GShean@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto:GShean@cpuc.ca.gov) by September 13th if you wish to be a *Stakeholder Roundtable* participant.

**Submission Instructions for Stakeholder Roundtable:**

As a starting point, the Roundtable will consider:

- Where are we now?
- Where should we be?
- How do we get there?

In asking, "Where should we be?" the Commissioners seek constructive ideas on making the agency effective, efficient, and future-oriented. Areas for discussion might include, for example:

- New or evolving regulatory models for the Commission's regulatory, oversight, education, consumer protection, and enforcement roles;
- Communication, both to and from the Commission, and access to Commission information, focusing on ease of use, availability of information or employees, and the timeliness and value of available information;
- Electronic interfacing between the Commission and stakeholders, and e-business processes including the transferring information to and sharing of databases;
- The development of expert systems or automated processes for repetitive business processes; and
- Feedback mechanisms to continuously inform the Commission of a need to re-align its processes to address changing circumstances or enhanced technology.

Responses: The Commission requests that stakeholder responses be submitted electronically at [Gshean@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto:Gshean@cpuc.ca.gov). Internal PUC submissions are to GPS on Outlook. Hardcopy submissions may be mailed to Mr. Shean, Room 5119, 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, California 94102

The Commission requests that all potential participants provide on or before September 20, 1999, a one-page summary of their innovation suggestions so that they can be compiled into general topic areas for panel selection and circulated electronically to participants prior to the *Roundtable* to facilitate a valuable dialogue. An agenda, including



a designation of topic panels, for the *Roundtable* will be returned to all respondents on October 5, 1999. Non-panel participants may address the *Roundtable* during a general comment period.

Following the initial *Roundtable*, staff teams will review the replies, conduct any needed public workshops to discuss comments on stakeholder suggestions, and prepare an implementation plan for Commission consideration.

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## NOTICE OF DRAFT RESOLUTIONS

(Pursuant to PU Code § 311(g))

### **Draft Resolution Authorizing Passenger Stage Corporations To Temporarily Adjust Fares Available For Public Review And Comment**

A draft resolution (TL-18904) of the Rail Safety and Carriers Division that gives passenger stage corporations temporary authority to adjust their fares without specific Commission authorization will be on the October 21, 1999 Commission meeting agenda. It is now available for public review and comment. For details on how to obtain a copy of the draft resolution and file comments on it, refer to the notice that was published on this matter in the September 21, 1999 Daily Calendar. It is available through the Daily Calendar Archives on the Commission's Web site:

[http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/divisions/alj/alj\\_div\\_cal.htm](http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/divisions/alj/alj_div_cal.htm)

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## NEW FILINGS

9/17/99	I95-04-044	<b>CORRECTION FROM THE 9/24/99 DAILY CALENDAR</b> <b>Petition #160</b> , Sentre Communications, LLC, for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide interLATA and intraLATA interexchange services and competitive local exchange services as a facilities-based carrier and a reseller
9/21/99	A99-09-044	Calaveras Telephone Company, Cal-Ore Telephone Company, Ducor Telephone Company, Evans Telephone Company, Foresthill Telephone Company, Happy Valley Telephone Company, Hornitos Telephone Company, Kerman Telephone Company, Pacific Bell, Pinnacles Telephone Company, The Ponderosa Telephone Company, Sierra Telephone Company, Inc., The Siskiyou Telephone Company, and the Volcano

		Telephone Company, for approval of settlement transition agreement and implementation of replacement funding for small local exchange carriers
9/22/99	C99-09-042	Reba Edwards vs. Pacific Bell, for restoration of long distance phone service
9/22/99	A99-09-045	Econophone Services, Inc. and Viatel, Inc., for approval of agreement and plan of merger
9/22/99	A99-08-029	<b>Amended</b> - Sunrise Shuttle, Inc. of San Jose, dba Sunrise Shuttle Inc., for authority to operate as a passenger stage corporation between points in Santa Clara, San Jose, San Francisco, Oakland and nearby counties and the San Francisco, San Jose and Oakland International Airports
9/23/99	A99-09-043	Rosella Water Company and Ponderosa Community Services District, for Rosella, through its receiver, Ponderosa, to sell water system in Tulare County
9/23/99	A99-09-046	Trans National Communications International, Inc., for registration as an interexchange carrier telephone corporation pursuant to the provisions of Public Utilities Code Section 1013

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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**

**NONE**

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**MISCELLANEOUS TRANSPORTATION ITEMS**

**September 27, 1999**

Filings with Rail Safety and Carriers Division

**NONE**

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**MISCELLANEOUS TELECOMMUNICATION MATTERS**

**September 27, 1999**

**NONE**

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**TABLE OF SUBMISSION DATES FOR THE PRECEDING TWO WEEKS**

9/16/99	C.98-11-027	DeUlloa - Reuben Bercovitch and Blanche Bercovitch vs. San Diego Gas and Electric.
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**ADJOURNMENTS \* RESETTINGS \* SUBMISSIONS**

A.99-06-004	Walker - Application of Evans Telephone Company (U 1008 C), Happy Valley Telephone Company (U 1010 c), Hornitos Telephone Company (U 1011 C), Kerman Telephone Co. (U 1012 C), Pinnacles Telephone Company (U 1013 C), The siskiyou Telephone Company (U 1017 C), and The Volcano Telephone Company (U 1019 C) for a commission order under Section 251(f)(2) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 granting a limited suspension of IntraLATA presubscription
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A.99-06-009 requirements,  
Walker - Joint application of Calaveras Telephone Company (U 1004 C), Cal-Ore Telephone Co. (U 1006 C), Ducor Telephone Company (U 1007 C), Foresthill Telephone Co. (U 1009 C), The Ponderosa Telephone Co. (U 1014 C) for delay of IntraLATA Dialing Parity Implementation pursuant to 47 U.S.C. § 251(f)(2),  
**Prehearing Conference held and completed**

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**REMOVALS FROM CALENDAR**

NONE

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**NEW SETTINGS**

11/1/99	10:00 a.m.	(PHC) - Donna Matthews vs. Meadows Management Company,
ALJ Ryerson	C.98-08-040	<b>Norton Younglove Multipurpose Senior Center,</b>
Comr Neeper		<b>Craft Room, 908 Park Avenue, Calimesa</b>

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**LAW AND MOTION**

Law and Motion Hearings are held before Administrative Law Judge A. Kirk McKenzie 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.

9/7/99	C.99-01-039	NONE SCHEDULED
9/14/99	9:30 a.m.	NONE SCHEDULED
9/21/99	9:30 a.m.	NONE SCHEDULED

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**FINAL ORAL ARGUMENTS**

**NONE**

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**HEARINGS**

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

**(PHC) = Prehearing Conference**

**(EH) = Evidentiary Hearing**

**(PPH) = Public Participation Hearing**

**(IAM) = Initial Arbitration Meeting**

**(M) = Mediation**

**(FOA) = Final Oral Argument**

**(WS) = Workshop**

**(FPH) = Full Panel Hearing**

**(AH) = Arbitration Hearing**

**(CA) = Closing Argument**

9/27/99	1:30 p.m.	(CA) – Pacific Gas and Electric Company for authority to establish post-transition period electric ratemaking mechanisms,
ALJ Minkin	A.99-01-016	
Comr Duque	A.99-01-019	(CA)– San Diego Gas & Electric Company for authority to implement post rate freeze ratemaking mechanisms,
	A.99-01-034	(CA) – 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	(CA)– 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**

9/27/99	10:00 a.m.	<b>(PHC)</b> - Investigation on the Commission's own motion into the operations and practices of Telmatch Telecommunications, Inc. (U 5715), to determine whether it has violated the laws, rules and regulations governing the manner in which California consumers are billed for telecommunication services, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
ALJ DeUlloa Comr Duque	I.99-09-001	
9/30/99	10:00 a.m.	<b>(PHC)</b> - Order instituting rulemaking on the Commission's own motion into competition for local exchange service, <b>(PHC)</b> - Order instituting investigation on the Commission's own motion into competition for local exchange service, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
ALJ Pulsifer Comr Bilas	R.95-04-043 I.95-04-044	
9/30/99	10:00 a.m.	<b>(EH)</b> - Gary Skowron and Patricia Skowron, for an exemption from the Moratorium on new water service connections in the Montara-Moss Beach District as set out in D86-05-078, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
ALJ Walker Comr Duque	A.99-09-028	
10/1/99	10:00 a.m.	<b>(PHC)</b> - Investigation on the Commission's own motion into the operations, practices and conduct of ACI Communications, Inc., and Larry Cornwell, in his capacity as receiver for ACI, to determine whether ACI has violated the laws, rules and regulations governing the manner in which California consumers are switched from one long distance carrier to another, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
ALJ DeUlloa Comr Wood	I.99-06-035	
10/4/99	10:00 a.m.	<b>(EH)</b> - Order instituting rulemaking for electric distribution facility standard setting, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b> <b>(also October 5-8)</b>
ALJ O'Donnell Comr Neeper	R.96-11-004	
10/5/99	2:00 p.m.	<b>(OA)</b> - In the matter of the application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company (U 902-E) for authority to sell electrical generation facilities and power contracts (SONGS ISSUES ONLY), <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
ALJ Barnett Comr Bilas	A.97-12-039	
10/7/99	9:30 a.m.	<b>(PHC)</b> - Order instituting investigation into the operations and practices of the Southern California
ALJ	I.99-04-022	

Econome Comr Duque		Gas Company, concerning the accuracy of information supplied to the Commission in connection with its Montebello Gas Storage Facility, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b> <b>(also (EH) October 12 through 22; October 12 &amp; 18 at 10:00 a.m.; October 13-15, October 19-22 at 9:00 a.m.; also (CA) November 30, 9:30 a.m.)</b>
10/7/99 ALJ Hale Comr Hyatt	10:00 a.m. A.99-05-044	<b>(PHC)</b> - In the matter of the application of Southern California Gas Company for authority to modify and make permanent its requirements for contractors installing earthquake valves on its facilities, and to modify charges for SoCalGas' valve installation and related services, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
10/8/99 ALJ Patrick Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. R.92-03-050	<b>(PHC)</b> - Order instituting rulemaking on the Commission's own motion to consider the line extension rules of electric and gas utilities, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
10/8/99 ALJ Barnett	2:00 p.m. C.99-09-017	<b>(ECP)</b> - Jacalyn Horton vs. Pacific Bell, <b>State Office Building, 1350 Front Street, Room B-103, San Diego</b>
10/12/99 ALJ O'Donnell Comr Neeper	10:00 a.m. A.99-03-027	<b>(EH)</b> - In the matter of application of Citizens Telecommunications Company of California, Inc. (U-1024-C) to review its new regulatory framework, <b>Planning and Development Services Dept., 1231 "I" Street, 1<sup>st</sup> floor, Sacramento, (also October 15) (also October 13 &amp; 14, 10:00 a.m., Dept. of Education Bldg., 721 Capitol Mall, Room 166-B, Sacramento)</b>
10/12/99 ALJ Bytof Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A.99-03-049	<b>(PHC)</b> – Application of Southern California Gas Company (U 904 G) under the catastrophic event memorandum account (CEMA) for recovery of costs related to the El Nino storms, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b> <b>(to be followed by (EH); also (EH) October 13-15, 9:00 a.m.)</b>
10/12/99 ALJ Barnett Comr Neeper	2:00 p.m. A.99-08-022	<b>(PHC)</b> - Application of Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) to: (1) consolidate authorized rates and revenue requirements; (2) verify residual

		competition transition charge revenues; (3) review the disposition of balancing and memorandum accounts; (4) review generation cost jurisdictional cost allocation; (5) review the reasonableness of the administration of the low emission vehicle program; (6) review the administration of special contracts; and (7) present a proposal for the inclusion of long run marginal costs in the power exchange energy credit,
	A.99-08-023	<b>(PHC)</b> - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company in the 1999 revenue adjustment proceeding,
	A.99-08-026	<b>(PHC)</b> - In the matter of the revenue adjustment proceeding (RAP) application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company (U 902-E) for approval of a PX credit and related computations,
		<b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
10/12/99	10:00 a.m.	<b>(EH)</b> - Investigation on the Commission's own motion into the operations and practices of Telmatch Telecommunications, Inc. (U 5715), to determine whether it has violated the laws, rules and regulations governing the manner in which California consumers are billed for telecommunication services,
ALJ DeUlloa	I.99-09-001	<b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also October 13 - 15)</b>
Comr Duque		
10/13/99	10:00 a.m.	<b>(PHC)</b> - Order instituting rulemaking on the Commission's proposed policies and programs governing energy efficiency, low income assistance, renewable energy and research development and demonstration,
ALJ	R.98-07-037	<b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
Gottstein		
Comr Neeper		
10/14/99	10:00 a.m.	<b>(EH)</b> - Mad River Community Hospital vs. Pacific Gas and Electric Company,
ALJ Wright	C.99-05-035	<b>Humboldt Bay Harbor, Recreation and Conservation District, 601 Startare Drive, Eureka, (also October 15)</b>
Comr Bilas		
10/15/99	9:00 a.m.	<b>(EH)</b> - In the matter of the annual depreciation application of Citizens Telecommunications Company of California, Inc. (U-1024-C),
ALJ	A.99-04-017	<b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
O'Donnell		
Comr Bilas		
10/18/99	10:00 a.m.	<b>(EH)</b> - Pacific Gas and Electric Company to consolidate the review of PG&E's expenditures in
ALJ Hale	A.99-03-039	



Comr Duque		1997 and 1998 to enhance transmission and distribution system safety and reliability pursuant to Section 368(e) of the California Public Utilities Code, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b> <b>(also October 19-21, 9:00 a.m., also (CA), 3:00 p.m.)</b>
10/18/99 ALJ Bennett Comr Bilas	9:00 a.m. I.99-04-020	<b>(EH)</b> - Investigation on the Commission's own motion into the operations, practices, and conduct of Vista Group International, Inc. (U-5650-C), doing business as Vista Communications (Vista), Thomas Coughlin, Chief Executive Officer of Vista, and Philip Bethune, President of Vista, to determine whether they have violated the laws, rules, and regulations governing the manner in which California consumers are switched from one long distance carrier to another, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b> <b>(also October 19-22)</b>
10/18/99 ALJ Ryerson Comr Wood	10:00 a.m. I.99-06-038	<b>(EH)</b> - Order instituting investigation on the Commission's own motion into the operations and practices of Nir Ven David and amit Mines, dba Right On Time Moving, <b>Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles</b> <b>State Office Building 320 West 4<sup>th</sup> Street, Los Angeles (also October 19, 10:00 a.m.)</b>
10/19/99 ALJ McVicar Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A.99-05-020	<b>(EH)</b> – Kern River Valley Water Company, for Authority to Increase Rates Charged for Water Service to Increase Revenues by Approximately \$609,700 (or 31.36%) in the Year 2000, and \$2,200 (or 0.11%) in the Year 2002
	A.99-05-023	<b>(EH)</b> – and related matters,
	A.99-05-024	<b>(EH)</b> – and related matters, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
10/19/99 ALJ Bushey Comr Neepser	1:30 p.m. C.99-06-034	<b>(PHC)</b> - The Utility Consumers' Action Network (UCAN) vs. MCI Telecommunications Corporation, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
10/20/99 ALJ Gottstein Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. A.99-03-014	<b>(PHC)</b> - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company to revise its marginal costs, revenue allocation, and rates at the end of the rate freeze, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
10/20/99	10:00 a.m.	<b>(EH)</b> - Order instituting investigation on the

ALJ Ryerson Comr Wood	I.99-06-039	Commission's own motion into the operations and practices of Mon-Van Moving Services, Inc. and its President, Gary R. Grubb, <b>Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles State Office Building, 320 West 4<sup>th</sup> Street, Los Angeles (also October 21-22, 10:00 a.m.)</b>
10/22/99 ALJ Rosenthal Comr Wood	10:30 a.m. A.99-06-020	<b>(PHC)</b> - In the matter of the application of Presidential Limousine LLC, a California Limited Liability Company, for authority to operate as a passenger service throughout San Diego County, Orange County, Riverside County, San Bernardino and Los Angeles County, <b>State Office Building, 1350 Front Street, Room B-107, San Diego</b>
10/22/99 ALJ Rosenthal Comr Wood	1:30 p.m. A.99-06-029	<b>(PHC)</b> - Application of Paradise Shuttle, for Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to operate as a passenger stage corporation. Operational routes include, but are not limited to: San Diego International Airport, residences of San Diego County, San Diego attractions (i.e., Sea World, LegoLand, Old Town, San Diego Zoo, Casinos), San Diego Hotels, San Diego ports of call, Los Angeles International Airport, John Wayne Airport, Ontario Airport, and points there within, <b>State Office Building, 1350 Front Street, Room B-107, San Diego</b>
10/27/99 ALJ Biren Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. I.99-07-003	<b>(PHC)</b> - Investigation on the Commission's own motion to consider the costs and benefits of various promising revisions to the regulatory and market structure governing California's natural gas industry and to report to the California Legislature on the Commission's findings, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>
11/1/99 ALJ Ryerson Comr Neeper	10:00 a.m. C.98-08-040	<b>(PHC)</b> - Donna Matthews vs. Meadows Management Company, <b>Norton Younglove Multipurpose Senior Center, Craft Room, 908 Park Avenue, Calimesa</b>
11/1/99 ALJ Vieth Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A.99-02-004	<b>(EH)</b> - 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, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also November 2-5)</b>
11/1/99 ALJ O'Donnell Comr Neeper	10:00 a.m. A.99-03-025	<b>(EH)</b> - In the matter of the application of Roseville Telephone Company (U-1015-C) to review its new regulatory framework, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also November 2-5, 9:30 a.m.)</b>
11/1/99 ALJ Econome Comr Bilas	9:30 a.m. A.99-04-045	<b>(PHC)</b> - In the matter of the application of Southern California Edison Company pursuant to D98-08-035 for authorization to allow non-discriminatory access to its customer communication center, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also November 2-3, also (CA) November 3 from 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.)</b>
11/1/99 ALJ Gottstein Comr Neeper	10:00 a.m. A.99-07-002	<b>(EH)</b> - Application of Southern California Gas Company (904-G) for authority to continue low income assistance programs and funding through 2000,
	A.99-07-004	<b>(EH)</b> - Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company (U 902-E) authority to continue low income assistance programs and funding through 2000,
	A.99-07-011	<b>(EH)</b> - Southern California Edison Company for approval of year 2000 low income energy efficiency program plans,
	A.99-07-012	<b>(EH)</b> - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for approval of year 2000 low income programs (U 39M), <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also November 2-5, 9:00 a.m.)</b>
11/5/99 ALJ McVicar Comr Bilas	1:30 p.m. A.99-05-045	<b>(PHC)</b> - In the matter of the application of the City of Vista to construct Main Street, a public street, and to close West Broadway grade crossing, across the railroad tracks of the North San Diego County Transit Development Board, in the City of Vista, County of San Diego, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>

11/8/99 10:00 a.m. (EH) - Application for expedited and ex parte approval of termination of standard offer No. 2 power purchase agreement between Pacific Gas and Electric Company (U 39 E) and San Joaquin Cogen Limited, L.P.,  
ALJ Wright A.99-04-009  
Comr Neeper  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco  
(also November 9)**

11/8/99 10:00 a.m. (EH) – Pacific Bell vs. FirstWorld Communications, Inc., FirstWorld SoCal (U 5733 C), FirstWorld Orange Coast (U 5782 C), FirstWorld SGV (U 5783 C),  
ALJ O’Donnell  
Comr Neeper  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco  
(also November 9, 10 and 12, 9:00 a.m.)**

11/8/99 10:00 a.m. (EH) – In the matter of the application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company for authority to increase its gas and electric revenue requirements to reflect its accomplishments for demand-side management program years 1994 and 1997, energy efficiency program year 1998, low income program year 1998, and to address policy and procedural issues for future program years 1999 through 2001 in the 1999 annual earning assessment proceeding (“AEAP”),  
ALJ Stalder A.99-05-002  
Comr Neeper  
A.99-05-005 (EH) - And related matters,  
A.99-05-007 (EH) - And related matters,  
A.99-05-008 (EH) - And related matters,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco  
(also November 9-12, November 15-19)**

11/15/99 10:00 a.m. (PHC) – Application of Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) for authority to recover capital additions to its fossil generating facilities made between January 11, 1996 and December 31, 1996 and related substantive and procedural relief,  
ALJ Bytof A.99-04-024  
Comr Bilas  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco  
(also (EH) will commence immediately, also (EH) November 16-19, 9:00 a.m.)**

11/16/99 10:00 a.m. (EH) – In the matter of the application of Airporter, Inc., doing business as Santa Rosa Airporter, to amend and modify its passenger stage certificate #9023, by removing the “reservation only restrictions” for five listed cities in Marin County, and to expand its  
ALJ DeUlloa A.98-08-001  
Comr Neeper

authorized service to all points in the cities of Novato, Marinwood, Terra Linda, San Rafael, Corte Madera, and Mill Valley for both routes 1 (SFO) and 2 (OAK), with retention of the current "Half-Mile proximity restriction" within these cities,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**

11/16/99 10:00 a.m. (EH) – Application of Pacific Gas and Electric  
ALJ Hale A.99-03-013 Company submitting electric revenue cycle services  
Comr Neeper cost and rate proposals in compliance with Decision  
98-09-070,  
A.99-03-019 (EH) - 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 (EH) - Application of Southern California Edison  
Company (U 338-E) relating to long-run marginal  
costs for unbundled metering and billing services,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**  
**(also November 17-19, November 22-24, also (CA)**  
**November 24)**

11/17/99 10:00 a.m. (PHC) - In the matter of the application of Worldwide  
ALJ A.99-04-042 Telecommunications Corporation for registration as an  
O'Donnell interexchange carrier telephone corporation pursuant to  
Comr Hyatt Public Utilities Code Section 1013,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**

12/1/99 10:00 a.m. (EH) - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric  
ALJ Walwyn A.99-03-014 Company to revise its electric marginal costs, revenue  
Comr Bilas allocation, and rates at the end of the rate freeze,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**  
**(also December 2-3; December 6-10; December 13-**  
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12/7/99 9:00 a.m. (EH) - Rock Bottom Cellular, Inc. and Cellular for  
ALJ Walker C.99-05-014 Less, Inc. vs. AT&T Wireless Services  
Comr Neeper **Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles**  
**State Office Building, 320 West 4<sup>th</sup> Street, Los**  
**Angeles (also December 8)**

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12/13/99 ALJ McVicar Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. C.99-07-031	<b>(EH)</b> - Sacramento Tanglewood Homeowners Association vs. Citizens Utilities Company of California, <b>Department of Education Building, 721 Capitol Mall, Room 166-B, Sacramento</b>
1/10/00 ALJ O'Donnell Comr Hyatt	10:00 a.m. I.99-06-036	<b>(EH)</b> - Investigation into Commonwealth Energy Corporation's operations and practices in connection with providing service as an Electricity Service Provider No. 1092, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also January 11-12, 9:30 a.m.)</b>
1/18/00 ALJ McVicar Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. C.97-09-023	<b>(EH)</b> - In the matter of TWEAN, a New York General Partnership, dba Time Warner Cable of Bakersfield vs. Pacific Gas and Electric Company, a California Corporation, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also January 19-20)</b>
2/14/00 ALJ O'Donnell Comr Hyatt	10:00 a.m. A.99-06-052	<b>(EH)</b> - In the matter of the application of Pacific Bell for authority pursuant to Public Utilities Code Section 851 to lease space to affiliates, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also February 15-18)</b>
2/16/00 ALJ Walwyn Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. R.97-10-016 I.97-10-017	<b>(PHC)</b> - Order instituting rulemaking on the Commission's own motion into monitoring performance of operations support systems, <b>(PHC)</b> - Order instituting investigation on the Commission's own motion into monitoring performance of operations support systems, <b>Commission Courtroom, San Francisco</b>

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

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