

**PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

Resolution ALJ 176-3317  
Administrative Law Judge Division  
7/11/2013

**RESOLUTION**

RESOLUTION ALJ 176-3317. Preliminary determinations of category and need for hearing for proceedings initiated by application pursuant to Rule 7.1 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure.

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Senate Bill (SB) 960 (Leonard, ch. 96-0856) requires, among other things, that the Commission categorize proceedings and determine the need for hearing for purposes of determining the applicable restrictions on ex parte communications and other applicable rules. The rules implementing these requirements are found, for the most part, in Articles 7 and 8 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure.

Rule 7.1 requires the Commission to preliminarily determine, for a proceeding initiated by application, the proceeding's category and whether the proceeding requires a hearing. The Commission has reviewed the initial pleading of the utility applicants and makes the preliminary determinations of category and need for hearing as shown in the attached Preliminary Determination Schedule, consistent with the requirements of Rule 7.1.

No public review or comment is required for this resolution pursuant to Rule 14.7.

**IT IS ORDERED** that:

1. The category and need for hearing for each proceeding initiated by application listed in the attached Schedule of Preliminary Determinations are preliminarily determined, as noted.

2. This resolution is effective today.

I certify that the foregoing resolution was duly introduced, passed, and adopted at a conference of the Public Utilities Commission of the State of California held on \_\_\_\_\_, the following Commissioners voting favorably thereon:

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PAUL CLANON  
Executive Director

## PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION SCHEDULE

Resolution ALJ 176-3317 (7/11/13)

NUMBER TITLE	PROPOSED CATEGORY	PRELIM. CATEGORY	HEARING
<b>A13-06-015</b> San Diego Gas & Electric Company, Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company (U902E) to Fill Local Capacity Requirement Need Identified in D.13-03-029.	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	YES
<b>A13-06-016</b> PTUS, Inc., Primus Telecommunications, Inc., Joint Application of Primus Telecommunications, Inc. (U5513C) and PTUS, Inc. for Approval of Transfer of Control.	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO
<b>A13-07-001</b> Pacific Gas and Electric Company, Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for the Recovery of Costs Associated with the Acquisition and Transfer of the Assets of the Hercules Municipal Utility (U39E).	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	YES
<b>A13-07-002</b> California-American Water Company, Application of California-American Water Company (U210W) for Authorization to Increase its Revenues for Water Service by \$18,473,900 or 9.55% in the year 2015, by \$8,264,700 or 3.90% in the year 2016, and by \$6,654,700 or 3.02% in the year 2017.	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	YES