

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Resolution ALJ 176-3213
Administrative Law Judge Division
May 15, 2008

R E S O L U T I O N

RESOLUTION ALJ 176-3213. 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.

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 _____, 2008, the following Commissioners voting favorably thereon:

PAUL CLANON
Executive Director

PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION SCHEDULE

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NUMBER TITLE	PROPOSED CATEGORY	PRELIM CATEGORY	PRELIM NEED FOR HEARING
A08-04-033 SHAREW KEFELEGN HAILE, dba SOUTHWEST AIRPORTER, Application of Sharew Kefelegn Haile doing business as Southwest Airporter for authority to operate as an on-call, door-to-door, Passenger Stage Company between points in the following Counties: San Francisco, Alameda, Contra Costa, Santa Clara, Solano, Marin and San Mateo, and the International Airports located in San Francisco, Oakland and San Jose; and to establish a Zone of Rate Freedom.	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO
A08-04-034 PROCORO N. LOPEZ, Application of Procoro N. Lopez, doing business as El Rapido for authority to operate as an on-call, door-to-door, Passenger Stage Company between points in the Counties of San Diego and Riverside; and to establish a Zone of Rate Freedom.	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO
A08-04-035 Del Oro Water Company, Inc, River Island Water Company, In the Matter of the Application of Del Oro Water Company, Inc. (U61W) for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Acquire River Island Water Co., Tulare County and to Establish Rates for Service.	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO
A08-04-038 UNITED COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS, INC., dba CALL ONE, In the Matter of the Application of United Communications Systems, Inc., d/b/a Call One for Registration as an Interexchange Carrier Telephone Corporation pursuant to the provisions of Public Utilities Code Section 1013.	NDIEC Registration Application	Ratesetting	NO
A08-04-039 Catalina Channel Express, In the Matter of the Application of Catalina Channel Express, Inc. (VCC52), a California corporation, to increase the baseline rates for its Zone of Rate Freedom and to extend its Zone of Rate Freedom for its vessel common carrier service.	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO
A08-04-040 PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY, Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company (U39E) for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity authorizing the construction of the EBMUD Camanche 230kV Transmission Line Project.	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO

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A08-04-041 AMI COMMUNICATIONS, INC., In the Matter of the Application of AMI Communications, Inc., for Registration as an Interexchange Carrier Telephone Corporation pursuant to the provisions of Public Utilities Code Section 1013.	NDIEC Registration Application	Ratesetting	NO
A08-05-001 ACCESS POINT, INC. (U5882C), Application of Access Point, Inc. (U5882C) for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to permit the Company to Provide Resold and Facilities-Based Local Exchange Telecommunications Service within the State of California.	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO
A08-05-002 California Water Service Company, Application of California Water Service Company (U60W) for Authority to Establish its authorized Cost of Capital for the period from January 1, 2009 through December 31, 2011.	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	YES
A08-05-003 California-American Water Company, Application of California-American Water Company (U210W) For an Authorized Cost of Capital for Utility Operations for 2009.	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	YES
A08-05-004 GOLDEN STATE WATER COMPANY (U133W), Application of Golden State Water Company for Authority to Establish its Authorized Cost of Capital and Rate of Return for Utility Operations for 2009-2011 (U133W).	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	YES
A08-05-005 San Diego Gas & Electric Company, Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company for Authorization to: (1) To issue Debt Securities (First Mortgage Bonds, debentures, overseas indebtedness, foreign securities, medium-term notes, accounts receivable financing), and to enter into long-term loans, in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$1.1 billion of debt capital, in addition to previously-authorized amounts; (2) To issue certain tax-exempt Debt Securities in order to guarantee the obligations of others, et. al.	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO

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A08-05-006 TRANSPAC TELECOM, INC., In the Matter of the Application of TransPac Telecom, Inc. for Registration as an Interexchange Carrier Telephone Corporation pursuant to the provisions of Public Utilities Code Section 1013.	NDIEC Registration Application	Ratesetting	NO
A08-05-007 DSCI CORPORATION (U6822C), Application of DSCI Corporation for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Offer Local Exchange Telecommunications Services in the State of California (U6822 C).	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO
A08-05-008 State of California, Department of Transportation, Application of the California Department of Transportation for an Order Authorizing Construction of one new Six Lane Overhead Grade Separated Structure (Bob Hope Drive Overhead) over two sets of tracks owned by the Union Pacific Railroad near Thousand Palms in the County of Riverside.	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO
A08-05-009 FREEDOM TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC., Application of Freedom Telecommunications, Inc. for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity as a Reseller of Competitive Local Exchange Telephone Service.	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO
A08-05-010 PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY, Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company and the City of Shasta Lake for authorization pursuant to Public Utilities Code Section 851 to Grant an Easement to install, use and maintain an Underground Sewer Pipeline (U39E).	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO
A08-05-011 BELMONT TELECOM, INC., In the Matter of the Application of Belmont Telecom, Inc. for Registration as an Interexchange Carrier Telephone Corporation pursuant to the provisions of Public Utilities Code Section 1013.	NDIEC Registration Application	Ratesetting	NO
A08-05-013 REUNION COMMUNICATIONS, INC., In the Matter of the Application of Reunion Communications, Inc. for Registration as an Interexchange Carrier Telephone Corporation pursuant to the provisions of Public Utilities Code Section 1013.	NDIEC Registration Application	Ratesetting	NO

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A08-05-014 PEERLESS NETWORK OF CALIFORNIA, LLC, Application of Peerless Network of California, LLC for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Provide Resold and Limited Facilities-Based Local Exchange and Interexchange Services in the State of California (PUBLIC VERSION).	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO
A08-05-015 CHAMKAUR GIRL, dba FAIRFIELD AIRPORTER (PSC 14611), In the Matter of the Application of Chamkaur Giri, doing business as Fairfield Airporter, for Authority to Establish a Zone of Rate Freedom for existing Passenger Stage Corporation Service (PSC 14611).	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO