
Public Utilities Commission of the State of California

Public Agenda 3288

Wednesday, February 1, 2012 9:00 a.m.

San Francisco, California

Commissioners

Michael R. Peevey, President

Mark J. Ferron

Michel Peter Florio

Catherine J.K. Sandoval

Timothy Alan Simon

For each agenda item, a summary of the proposed action is included; the Commission's decision may, however, differ from that proposed.

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Scheduled Commission Meetings

505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco

| <i>Ratesetting Deliberative Meeting*</i> Room 5305 (1:30 p.m.) <i>Closed to the Public</i> | <i>Commission Meeting</i> Auditorium (9:00 a.m.) <i>Open to the Public</i> |
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| Monday, February 13, 2012 (San Francisco) | Wednesday, February 01, 2012 (San Francisco) |
| Monday, March 05, 2012 (San Francisco) | Thursday, February 16, 2012 (San Francisco) |
| Monday, March 19, 2012 (San Francisco) | Thursday, March 08, 2012 (San Francisco) |
| Monday, April 16, 2012 (San Francisco) | Thursday, March 22, 2012 (San Francisco) |
| Monday, May 07, 2012 (San Francisco) | Thursday, April 19, 2012 (San Francisco) |

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PUBLIC COMMENT

The following items are not subject to public comment:

- All items on the closed session agenda.
- 21, 22, 24

Public Comment:

Consent Agenda

Items shown on the Consent Agenda will be taken up and voted on as a group in one of the first items of business of each Commission meeting. Items may be removed from the Consent Agenda for discussion on the Regular Agenda at the request of any Commissioner prior to the meeting.

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions

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| Item | Preliminary Categorizations and Hearing Determinations for |
| 1 | Recently Filed Formal Applications |

[10973]

Res ALJ 176-3288

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Ratification of preliminary determination of category for proceedings initiated by application. The Preliminary determinations are pursuant to Rule 7.1 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure.

ESTIMATED COST:

® None.

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Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

Item Dismissal of Case 09-12-006

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[10813]

C09-12-006

Hamilton Cove Homeowners Association, a California Mutual Benefit corporation, and its members: Gordon Anderson, Mimi Assanti, Shu-Hun Baran, Stuart Baron, Norris J. Bishton, Jr., Tom Cappannelli, John Cullens, Martin Curtin, Barbara Ehert, The Erb Family Trust, Bart Glass, Peter R. Giulioni, Jr., Ellen Greenhill, Tom Gross, Clifford Hague, as member and as the Owner of a Multiunit Apartment in Avalon California, and all others similarly situated, Ladon Hix, Ron Hoffman, William Hurst, The Longpre Family Trust, Craig C. Manger III, Michael Margulis, Patricia McCormick, Jeffrey P. McCormick, Jeffrey P. McIndoo, Doug Meissner, Duane Miller, Thomas R. Murphy, Mike Owens, Kathy Patterson, Carol Peck, James P. Selles, Frank R. Randall, Dave Schmitz, Sharon Stow, Jack & Cathy Sweeny, Judy Tejada, Will Von der Aha, John Willett, and Phillip Williams; Catalina Island Camps, Inc., Tom Sawyer Camps, Inc., Guided Discoveries, Inc., Western Los Angeles County Council - Boys Scouts of America at Camp Emerald Bay on Catalina Island, Santa Catalina Island Conservancy, and all other persons similarly situated vs. Southern California Edison Company.

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® Dismisses case because it seeks to challenge rates found reasonable in 2007.
- ® The complaint violates the rule against retroactive ratemaking.
- ® Closes the proceeding.

ESTIMATED COST:

- ® None.

(Comr Peevey - ALJ Barnett)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=573933

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Ratesetting.

Agenda 3286, Item 5 12/15/2011 (Staff);

Agenda 3287, Item 4 1/12/2012 (Staff)

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

Item **Revenue Requirements for Test Year 2012 and Post-Test**
3 **Year Ratemaking Adjustments for 2013 and 2014**

[10863]

A11-02-002

Application of Suburban Water Systems for Authority to Increase Rates Charged for Water Service by \$19,234,576 or 35.85% in 2012, by \$3,032,827 or 4.18% in 2013, and by \$1,973,200 or 2.61% in 2014.

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® Adopts a partial settlement with the Division of Ratepayer Advocates and resolves all other issues.
- ® Closes the proceeding.

ESTIMATED COST:

- ® Rates will increase by 24.74% in 2012.

(Comr Sandoval - ALJ Long)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=572810

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Ratesetting.

Agenda 3287, Item 9 1/12/2012 (Staff)

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

Item **Setting of Water Rates and Conditions of Water Service at**
4 **MobileHome Park**

[10891]

C09-11-019

Lucas D. Hernandez, Martha Amezquita, Daniel Gonzalez, Gabriel Cabrera, Severo Rosa, Celia Ruiz, Martha Alvarado, Maria Palma, Federico Garcia, Luis Morales vs. Sunbird Mobile Home Park, Hawkeye Asset Management, James Martin and Betty Martin.

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® Sets MobileHome Park water rates and conditions of water service.
- ® Approves partial settlement agreement.
- ® Closes the proceeding.

ESTIMATED COST:

- ® Nominal, for changing water rates and providing point-of-use filtered water.

(Comr Sandoval - ALJ Weatherford)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=573039

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Ratesetting.

Agenda 3287, Item 14 1/12/2012 (Simon)

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

Item **California-American Water Company's Recovery of Cost for**
5 **the Lease of the Sand City Desalination Plant**

[10900]

A10-04-019

Application of California-American Water Company for an Order Authorizing Recovery of Costs for the Lease of the Sand City Desalination Facility and Associated Operating and Maintenance Costs.

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® Denies approval of the Sand City Desalination Plant Lease but creates a purchased water option based on the alternative ratemaking methodology proposed by California-American Water Company.
- ® Closes the proceeding.

ESTIMATED COST:

- ® \$779,900 per year.

(Comr Florio - ALJ Bushey)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=573120

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Ratesetting.

Agenda 3287, Item 17 1/12/2012 (Staff)

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

Item **San Diego Gas & Electric Company's Petitions for**
6 **Modification of Decision 10-09-016 and Decision 10-12-048**

[10913]

A08-07-017

Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company for Approval of the SDG&E Solar Energy Project.

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® Partially grants two petitions for modification.
- ® The result is to combine the solicitation of photovoltaic and other electricity generated by renewable resources now procured by San Diego Gas & Electric Company (SDG&E) via two programs into one program. In particular:
 - ® Combines the solicitation of 74 megawatts (MW) of photovoltaic electricity via the Solar Energy Project (SEP) with 81 MWs of renewable resources via the Renewable Auction Mechanism (RAM).
 - ® The resulting 155 MWs are to be solicited consistent with RAM protocols (e.g., within the initial two-year RAM window, from projects up to 20 MWs, from one of three products, within the service areas of the three investor-owned utilities, at market prices determined via RAM).
 - ® Declines to authorize SDG&E to apply currently pending bilateral transactions, if executed, to offset any of the combined 155 MWs.
 - ® Directs SDG&E to file an advice letter to specify the amount of each product it will solicit in each RAM auction for the 74 MWs of capacity added to RAM, and the 155 MWs total.
 - ® Closes the proceeding.

ESTIMATED COST:

- ® Cost, if any, unknown; but potential savings are expected from economic and administrative efficiencies due to merging two programs into one.

(Comr Florio - ALJ Ebke)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=573841

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Ratesetting.

Agenda 3287, Item 20 1/12/2012 (Staff)

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

Item **Southern California Edison Company's Power Purchase
7** **Agreement With Silver State Solar Power South, LLC**

[10918]

Res E-4438, Advice Letter 2581-E filed on May 6, 2011 - Related matters.

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Approves cost recovery for the long-term renewable energy power purchase agreement between Southern California Edison Company and Silver State Solar Power South, LLC, a wholly-owned subsidiary of First Solar, Inc.

ESTIMATED COST:

® Actual costs are confidential at this time.

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=573276

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Agenda 3287, Item 24 1/12/2012 (Florio)

Item **Disclosure of Records of an Investigation
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[10932]

Res L-429

Authorizes the disclosure of records concerning the California Public Utilities Commission Consumer Protection and Safety Division's investigation of an August 11, 2011 electric incident at Paseo Noche in Camarillo, California, once the investigation is complete.

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=573630

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

Item **Timberland Water Company, Inc.'s General Rate Increase for**
9 **Test Year 2011**

[10933]

Res W-4900, Advice Letter 24 filed on June 13, 2011 - Related matters.

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® Grants Timberland Water Company, Inc., the authority to file:
- ® A supplemental advice letter to make effective revised rate schedules attached to this resolution as Appendix B.
- ® A Tier 1 advice letter within 30 days from the effective date of this resolution correcting its service area map to clearly identify the low pressure zone.
- ® A Tier 1 advice letter within 30 days from the effective date of this resolution to revise its Title Page, Schedule UF, Surcharge to Fund Public Utilities Commission Reimbursement Fee and Rule 3, Application for Service.

ESTIMATED COST:

- ® \$14,359 or 14.4%.

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=573814

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

Item **California Water Service Company to Buy James Water**
10 **Company, Inc.**

[10937]

A11-07-004

Joint Application of James Water Company, Inc. and California Water Service Company, a Californian corporation, for an order authorizing (1) the sale and transfer of ownership to California Water Service Company of the James Water Company Inc. Systems, and (2) the discontinuance of service by James Water Company, Inc. in the territories now served by them, and the commencement of service in said territories by California Water Service Company at the rates then effective in the Kern River Valley service area.

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Grants James Water Company, Inc. (James Water) authority to sell and California Water Service Company (Cal Water) authority to buy James Water pursuant to Public Utilities Code Sections 851-854.

® After the sale is final, the current owners of James Water are no longer required to provide regulated water service to customers of James Water.

® Cal Water must initially charge currently authorized tariffed rates of James Water.

® Cal Water may request a change to these rates as part of its next company-wide General Rate Case, which it plans to file in 2012.

® In its operation of James Water, Cal Water is bound by all Commission decisions, rules, and regulations applicable to regulated water utilities.

® Closes the proceeding.

ESTIMATED COST:

® None.

(Comr Ferron - ALJ Wilson)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=574074

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Ratesetting.

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

Item 11 Motion to Dismiss the Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company

[10938]

A10-01-022

Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company to Recover the Costs Associated with Renewal of the Diablo Canyon Power Plant Operating Licenses.

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® Pacific Gas and Electric Company would suspend this Application until 2016.
- ® Other parties move to dismiss.
- ® Grants the motion to dismiss.
- ® Closes the proceeding.

ESTIMATED COST:

- ® None.

(Comr Florio - ALJ Barnett)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=572794

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Ratesetting.

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

Item **California Hot Springs Water Company for a General Rate**
12 **Increase for Water Services and for Sewer Services for Test**
[10944] **Year 2011**

Res W-4901, Advice Letter (AL) 10 filed on August 13, 2010 and AL 7-S filed on August 20, 2010 - Related matters.

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® Grants California Hot Springs Water Company the authority to:
- ® File supplemental advice letters incorporating the Summary of Earnings and the revised rate schedules for the water and sewer services.
- ® Delete Schedule No. 1, General Metered Service.
- ® Remain on a flat rate structure until it submits 12 months of actual water consumption for the 27 water system connections and the Commission has the opportunity to review and design a quantity rate.
- ® To file a Tier 3 advice letter proposing a revised rate design to the adopted flat-rate service on a monthly meter charge and a quantity rate once it has 12 months of actual consumption data.
- ® To file a Tier 1 advice letter within 30 days to revise its rules and forms for its water service.
- ® To file a Tier 1 advice letter within 30 days to revise its rules and forms for its sewer service.

ESTIMATED COST:

- ® \$8,118 for water service and \$8,784 for sewer service.

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=574091

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

Item 13 Changes to Southern California Edison Company's Solar Photovoltaic Program

[10945]

Res E-4453, Advice Letter (AL) 2571-E filed on April 5, 2011 and AL 2571-E-A filed on December 9, 2011 - Related matters.

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Approves with modifications various changes to Southern California Edison Company's Solar Photovoltaic Program.

ESTIMATED COST:

® Actual costs are unknown at this time.

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=571575

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Item 14 Pacific Gas and Electric Company's Power Purchase Agreement With North Sky River Energy, LLC

[10946]

Res E-4463, Advice Letter 3885-E filed on August 5, 2011 - Related matters.

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Approves cost recovery for the long-term renewable energy power purchase agreement between Pacific Gas and Electric Company and North Sky River Energy, LLC, a wholly-owned subsidiary of NextEra Energy Resources, LLC.

ESTIMATED COST:

® Actual costs are confidential at this time.

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=573811

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

Item **Petition for Rulemaking Under Public Utilities Code Section**
15 **1708.5**

[10948]

P11-07-024

Petition of San Luis Rey Homes, Inc. to Adopt, Amend, or Repeal a Regulation Pursuant to Public Utilities Code Section 1708.5.

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® Declines to open a rulemaking into how Commission-regulated utilities should design and implement a program to replace conventional meters used in master-metered/submetered infrastructure at mobilehome parks and manufactured housing communities with Smart Meters.
- ® Proposals put forward are premature, impractical at present, or both.
- ® Closes Petition 11-07-024.

ESTIMATED COST:

- ® None.

(Comr Florio - ALJ Vieth)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=573705

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

**Item 16 Advanced Technology Distributors, Inc. dba Adtech for a
Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity**

[10952]

A11-05-024

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Grants Advanced Technology Distributors, Inc. dba Adtech a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide resold and facilities-based competitive local exchange service and non-dominant interexchange services.

® Closes the proceeding.

ESTIMATED COST:

® None.

(Comr Sandoval - ALJ Semcer)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=573993

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Ratesetting.

Agenda 3287, Item 43 1/12/2012 (Staff)

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

**Item Pacific Gas and Electric Company's Revisions to Gas Rule
17 23**

[10964]

Res G-3465, Advice Letter 3244-G filed on October 6, 2011 - Related matters.

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Grants Pacific Gas and Electric Company's revisions to Gas Rule 23 subject to modifications of the "Start Date" and the definition of a Core Transport Agent.

ESTIMATED COST:

® None.

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=573962

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

**Item San Diego Gas & Electric Company's Renewable Power
18 Purchase Agreement With Southern California Edison
[10965] Company and Calpine Energy Services, L.P.**

Res E-4448, Advice Letter 2291-E filed on September 26, 2011 - Related matters.

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Approves San Diego Gas & Electric Company's request for cost recovery of a short-term renewable energy power purchase agreement (PPA) with Southern California Edison Company and a short-term renewable energy PPA with Calpine Energy Services, L.P.

® The PPAs are approved without modification.

ESTIMATED COST:

® Costs of these contracts are confidential at this time.

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=573717

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

**Item Southern California Edison Company's Renewable Energy
19 Sales Contract With San Diego Gas & Electric Company**

[10966]

Res E-4449, Advice Letter 2641-E filed on October 20, 2011 - Related matters.

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® Approves Southern California Edison Company's request to enter into a renewable energy sales contract with San Diego Gas & Electric Company.
- ® Approves the contract without modification.

ESTIMATED COST:

- ® Costs of these contracts are confidential at this time.

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Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

Item **Del Oro Water Company, Inc. for a General Rate Increase for**
20 **Test Year 2011**

[10971]

Res W-4903, Advice Letter 306 filed on August 18, 2011 - Related matters.

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® Grants Del Oro Water Company, Inc. the authority to:
- ® File a supplemental advice letter to make effective the revised rate schedule attached to this resolution as Appendix B.
- ® File two Tier 2 advice letters within 30 days of the effective date of this resolution to collect from its Strawberry District customers a one-time surcharge for the under-collected revenues from the interim rate date to the effective date of the new rates.

ESTIMATED COST:

- ® \$36,508 or 10.45%.

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=573857

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

Item Order Extending Statutory Deadline

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[10982]

C08-02-013, C09-06-025 - Related matters.

O1 Communications, Inc. vs. Verizon California, Inc.

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Extends the statutory deadline for this proceeding until August 15, 2012.

ESTIMATED COST:

® None.

(Comr Ferron - ALJ Reed)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=571769

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Adjudicatory.

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

Item Order Extending Statutory Deadline

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[10983]

C10-02-026

Maria V. Lawrence vs. Pacific Gas and Electric Company.

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Extends the statutory deadline for this proceeding until August 24, 2012.

ESTIMATED COST:

® None.

(Comr Simon - ALJ Colbert)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=572472

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Adjudicatory.

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

Item **Blue Casa Telephone, LLC for a Change of Control and**
23 **Stand-Alone Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity**

[10997]

A11-08-016

Joint Application of Blue Casa Telephone, LLC and Tcast Communications, INC. for Approval of a Change of Control of Blue Casa Telephone and Application of Blue Casa Telephone, LLC for a Stand-Alone Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Provide Competitive Local Exchange, Access and Non-Dominant Interexchange Services.

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® Grants the request for a change of control from TCAST Communications, Inc. to Jeff Compton and Howard Brand.
- ® Assigns a new utility number.
- ® Closes the proceeding.

ESTIMATED COST:

- ® None.

(Comr Sandoval - ALJ Hymes)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=571737

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Ratesetting.

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

Item Order Extending Statutory Deadline

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[11005]

C11-02-009

Leatherbury & Lowell Family Trusts vs. San Diego Gas & Electric Company.

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Extends statutory deadline to November 8, 2012.

ESTIMATED COST:

® None.

(Comr Simon - ALJ Bemserfer)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=571447

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Adjudicatory.

Consent Agenda - Intervenor Compensation Orders**Item Compensation to the Natural Resources Defense Council
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[10931]

A08-07-021, A08-07-022, A08-07-023, A08-07-031 - Related matters.

Application of Southern California Edison Company for Approval of its 2009-2011 Energy Efficiency Program Plans and Associated Public Goods Charge and Procurement Funding Requests.

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Awards \$8,370 in intervenor compensation for contributions to Decision 11-07-030.

ESTIMATED COST:

® \$8,370 to ratepayers of Southern California Edison Company, Southern California Gas Company, San Diego Gas & Electric Company, and Pacific Gas and Electric Company.

(Comr Peevey - ALJ Gamson)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=573880*Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.**Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Ratesetting.*

Consent Agenda - Intervenor Compensation Orders (continued)

Item Compensation to The Utility Reform Network

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[10976]

A08-07-021, A08-07-022, A08-07-023, A08-07-031 - Related matters.

Application of Southern California Edison Company for Approval of its 2009- 2011 Energy Efficiency Program Plans and Associated Public Goods Charge and Procurement Funding Requests.

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Grants intervenor compensation to The Utility Reform Network for contributions to Decisions (D) 10-12-054, D11-04-005, and D11-07-030.

ESTIMATED COST:

® \$125,523 to the ratepayers of Pacific Gas and Electric Company, San Diego Gas & Electric Company, Southern California Edison Company, and Southern California Gas Company.

(Comr Peevey - ALJ Gamson)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=571436

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Ratesetting.

Consent Agenda - Intervenor Compensation Orders (continued)

Item Compensation to Consumer Federation of California

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[11002]

A09-12-020, I10-07-027 - Related matters.

Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for Authority, Among Other Things, to Increase Rates and Charges for Electric and Gas Service Effective on January 1, 2011.

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Awards Consumer Federation of California \$178,342.50 in intervenor compensation for contributions to Decision 11-05-018.

ESTIMATED COST:

® Pacific Gas and Electric Company will pay the awarded amount of \$178,342.50.

(Comr Peevey - ALJ Division)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=572053

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Ratesetting.

Regular Agenda

Regular Agenda - Energy Orders

**Item Modification of Pacific Gas and Electric Company's
28 SmartMeter Program**

[10870]

A11-03-014

Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for Approval of Modifications to its SmartMeter™ Program and Increased Revenue Requirements to Recover the Costs of the Modifications.

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® Modifies Pacific Gas and Electric Company's (PG&E) SmartMeter Program to include an option for residential customers who do not wish to have a wireless SmartMeter.
- ® Adopts interim fees for residential customers electing option.
- ® Establishes a second phase of proceeding to consider costs and cost allocation issues.
- ® Authorizes PG&E to establish a new two-way gas and electric memorandum account to track costs.
- ® Application 11-03-014 remains open.

ESTIMATED COST:

- ® Unknown – depends on number of customers selecting option.

(Comr Peevey - ALJ Yip-Kikugawa)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=573975

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Ratesetting.

Agenda 3287, Item 61 1/12/2012 (Peevey)

Regular Agenda - Communication Orders**Item Revisions to Basic Telephone Service****29**

[10844]

R09-06-019

Order Instituting Rulemaking Regarding Revisions to the California High Cost Fund B Program.

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

Ⓡ Adopts an updated definition of basic telecommunications service offered by any carriers of last resort.

Ⓡ The revised definition is designed to:

Ⓡ Consolidate and streamline existing listings of service elements.

Ⓡ Apply technology-neutral terminology and definitions.

Ⓡ Avoid degrading standards necessary to meet essential universal service needs.

ESTIMATED COST:

Ⓡ No specific cost changes anticipated in basic rates.

(Comr Peevey - ALJ Pulsifer)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=573821

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Quasi-Legislative.

Agenda 3286, Item 52 12/15/2011 (Staff);

Agenda 3287, Item 62 1/12/2012 (Peevey)

Regular Agenda - Communication Orders (continued)

Item **Implementing Broadband Grant and Loan Program**
30 **Provisions**

[10915]

R10-12-008

Order Instituting Rulemaking to Consider Modifications to the California Advanced Services Fund Including Those Necessary to Implement Loan Program and Other Provisions of Recent Legislation.

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Implements further measures within the California Advanced Services Fund (CASF) program to promote more widespread availability of high-speed broadband advanced communications services.

® Implements the CASF in Decision 07-12-045, to encourage deployment of high-quality advanced communications services to all Californians that will promote economic growth, job creation, and the substantial social benefits of advanced information and communication technologies.

® Closes the proceeding.

ESTIMATED COST:

® Total statewide cost of the grant program on all retail telecommunications customers is \$100 million and total cost of the loan program is the servicing costs for \$15 million in loans.

(Comr Peevey - ALJ Pulsifer)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=574273

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Quasi-Legislative.

Agenda 3287, Item 63 1/12/2012 (Staff)

Regular Agenda - Communication Resolutions and Reports

**Item Suspends the Communications Division’s Written
31 Disposition of TelePacific’s Advice Letter 314**

[10677]

Res T-17344

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Directs parties to the proposed transaction to file an application seeking Commission approval of the processed acquisition of assets.

ESTIMATED COST:

® None.

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=572852

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Agenda 3282, Item 19 10/6/2011 (Staff);
Agenda 3283 , Item 12 10/20/2011 (Peevey);
Agenda 3284, Item 44 11/10/2011 (Pub. Util. Code §311(e));
Agenda 3285, Item 46 12/1/2011 (Florio);
Agenda 3287, Item 64 1/12/2012 (Sandoval)

Regular Agenda - Communication Resolutions and Reports (continued)

Item ALTERNATE TO ITEM 10677

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[10804]

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® This alternate resolution denies the protest of Straitshot RC LLC and approves U.S. TelePacific Advice Letter 314 granting authority for the acquisition of the assets, customer base and operating authority of IXCH, Inc., by TelePacific's subsidiary, TelePacific Managed Services.

ESTIMATED COST:

® None.

(Comr Peevey)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=573958

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Agenda 3284, Item 44a 11/10/2011 (Pub. Util. Code §311(e));

Agenda 3285, Item 46a 12/1/2011 (Florio);

Agenda 3287, Item 64a 1/12/2012 (Sandoval)

Regular Agenda - Water/Sewer Orders
**Item Approval to Implement the Carmel River Reroute and San
32 Clemente Dam Removal Project**

[10823]

A10-09-018

Application of California-American Water Company for Authorization to Implement the Carmel River reroute and San Clemente Dam Removal Project and to Recover the Costs Associated with the Project in Rates.

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® Approves California-American Water Company's (Cal-Am) request to implement the Carmel River Reroute and San Clemente Dam Removal Project (Project) in partnership with the California State Coastal Conservancy and the National Marine Fisheries Service.
- ® Authorizes ratepayer recovery of Cal-Am's funding portion of the Project, \$49 million, to be paid through a volumetric surcharge on customers' bills over the next 20 years.
- ® Opens an adjudicatory phase of this proceeding to consider an order to show cause as to why applicant should not be fined or otherwise sanctioned for a failure to comply with Rule 1.1 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, and Sections 2107 and 2108 of the Public Utilities Code.

ESTIMATED COST:

- ® \$49 million.

(Comr Peevey - ALJ Walwyn)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=572809

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Ratesetting.

Agenda 3286, Item 54 12/15/2011 (Staff);

Agenda 3287, Item 66 1/12/2012 (Ferron)

Regular Agenda - Legal Division Matters**Item 33**
[10837] **Comments to the Commodity Futures Trading Commission and Securities Exchange Commission Regarding the Definition of “Swap”**

California Public Utilities Commission staff request authority to file comments in a joint rulemaking of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission and Securities Exchange Commission regarding whether environmental commodities such as renewable energy credits should be subject to the federal derivatives regulatory regime.

Agenda 3285, Item 50 12/1/2011 (Staff);

Agenda 3286, Item 56 12/15/2011 (Staff);

Agenda 3287, Item 67 1/12/2012 (Staff)

Regular Agenda - Legislative and Other Matters**Item Telecommunications: Prepaid Mobile Telephony Services:
34 Taxes and Fees**

[10903]

AB 1050 (Ma)

This bill would establish a uniform method for retail sellers of prepaid mobile telephony communications services to use to collect from customers local and certain state communications taxes, fees and surcharges. The bill would establish a "prepaid communications charge" consisting of a state component and a local component, and require all customers purchasing prepaid mobile telephony service(s) at retail to pay the charge to the retailer seller. (Legislative Subcommittee Recommendation: Oppose).

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=570562

Agenda 3286, Item 59 12/15/2011 (Simon);

Agenda 3287, Item 70 1/12/2012 (Staff)

**Item California Public Utilities Commission: Public Records
35****(Rev.)**

[10978]

SB 1000 (Yee)

This bill would make the California Public Records Act apply to all records of, and records filed with, the California Public Utilities Commission unless expressly exempt from disclosure. (Legislative Subcommittee Recommendation: Support with Technical Amendments)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC_ID=574184

01/31/2012 - This revision was not shown on the Agenda mailed to the public.

Regular Agenda - Commissioner Reports

Regular Agenda - Management Reports and Resolutions

Item **Report and Discussion by Consumer Protection and Safety**
36 **Division on Recent Safety Program Activities**
[10974]

Closed Session

This notice is furnished under Government Code Sections 11125 and 11126.3. The Commission will meet in Closed Session following the Public Session of its regularly scheduled meeting. In the Closed Session, the Commission may consider personnel matters as provided under Government Code Section 11126(a), institution of proceedings or disciplinary actions against any person or entity under the jurisdiction of the Commission as provided under Government Code Sections 11126(d)(2) and 11126(e)(2)(C)(i), and pending litigation as provided under Government Code Section 11126(e). Additional items may be added to the closed session agenda pursuant to Gov. Code Section 11126.3(d). If in Closed Session the Commission votes to appoint, employ, or dismiss a public employee, the Commission will thereafter reconvene in Open Session to make the disclosures required by Government Code Sections 11125.2 and 11126.3(f).

Closed Session - Applications for Rehearing

Item Conference with Legal Counsel - Application for Rehearing
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 [10975]

Compilation of applications for rehearing recently filed with the Commission.

Gov. Code § 11126(e)(2)(B)(i), allows this item to be considered in Closed Session.

Item Conference with Legal Counsel - Application for Rehearing
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 [10990]
A10-09-015

Disposition of Application for Rehearing of Decision (D) 11-05-027 filed by Heather Epps. In D11-05-027, the Commission dismissed the Application of Heather Epps for Modification of D06-07-027 and D09-03-026. In D06-07-027, the Commission authorized Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) to deploy a new Advanced Metering Infrastructure (AMI). In D09-03-026, the Commission authorized PG&E to proceed with its proposed Smart Meter Program Upgrade and to increase revenue requirements to recover related costs. Heather Epps' application for modification requested that the Commission modify D06-07-027 and D09-03-026 to shift the costs for the AMI program to PG&E and its investors. D11-05-027 dismissed the application on the basis that it failed to present new facts that would warrant modification to D06-07-027 and D09-03-026.

Gov. Code § 11126(e)(2)(B)(i), allows this item to be considered in Closed Session.

Closed Session - Applications for Rehearing (continued)

Item Conference with Legal Counsel - Application for Rehearing

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[10994]

A08-09-024, C08-03-021, C09-02-007, C09-03-027 - Related matters.

Disposition of Applications for Rehearing of Decision (D) 11-05-026, filed by San Pablo Bay Pipeline Company and Shell Trading Company. In D11-05-026, the Commission set rates for the transportation of crude oil between the San Joaquin Valley and the San Francisco Bay Area, ordered refunds and adopted tariffs for heated oil service.

Gov. Code § 11126(e)(2)(B)(i), allows this item to be considered in Closed Session.

Item Conference with Legal Counsel - Application for Rehearing

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[10995]

(ECP) C11-08-007

Disposition of application for rehearing of Decision (D) 11-11-003 filed by John E. Gregory. D11-11-003 found that the Complaint in this proceeding was seeking damages, which the Commission is without authority to award.

Gov. Code § 11126(e)(2)(B)(i), allows this item to be considered in Closed Session.

Closed Session - Initiation of Litigation - Non-Federal

Consideration of possible Commission initiation of, or intervention in, litigation.

Gov. Code § 11126(e)(2)(C)(i) and/or § 11126(d)(2), allows this item to be considered in Closed Session.

Closed Session - Threatened Litigation - Non-Federal

Significant exposure to litigation

Gov. Code § 11126(e)(2)(B), allows this item to be considered in Closed Session

Closed Session - Existing Litigation - Non-Federal

Closed Session - Threatened Litigation - Federal

Significant exposure to litigation in federal agency or court proceedings.

Gov. Code § 11126(e)(2)(B), allows this item to be considered in Closed Session

Closed Session - Initiation of Litigation - Federal

Consideration of possible Commission initiation of, or intervention in, federal agency or court proceedings.

Gov. Code § 11126(e)(2)(C)(i), allows this item to be considered in Closed Session.

Closed Session - Federal

Item Conference with Legal Counsel - Existing Litigation

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[10949]

Case No. 108-bk-15621-MT

United States Bankruptcy Court for the Central District of California, San Fernando Valley Division, In re Fones4All Corporation, debtor, Case No. 1:08-bk-15621-MT.

Gov. Code § 11126(e)(2)(A), allows this item to be considered in Closed Session.

Agenda 3287, Item 81 1/12/2012

Closed Session - FERC Docket No. EL00-95-000, et al.

Conference with Legal Counsel - Existing Litigation; San Diego Gas & Electric Co., FERC Docket No. EL00-95, Investigation of Practices of the California Independent System Operator and the California Power Exchange, FERC Docket EL00-98, and related dockets, CPUC v. FERC, Ninth Circuit Nos. 01-71051, et al., and 01-71934, et al., and related dockets.

Gov. Code § 11126(e)(2)(A), allows this item to be considered in Closed Session.

Closed Session - Personnel Matters

Consideration of appointment, employment, evaluation of performance, or dismissal of a public employee or to hear complaints or charges brought against that employee by another person or employee.

Gov. Code § 11126(a), allows this item to be considered in Closed Session