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## ***Public Utilities Commission of the State of California***

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### **Daily Calendar Wednesday, May 26, 2004**

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E-mail: [public.advisor@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto:public.advisor@cpuc.ca.gov)  
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Voice: 415-703-2074

FAX: 415-355-5404 (Attn.: Public Advisor)  
TTY: 1-866-836-7825 (toll-free)  
1-415-703-5282

**REGULAR COMMISSION BUSINESS MEETINGS**

May 27, 2004	10 am	San Francisco
June 9, 2004	10 am	San Francisco
July 8, 2004	10 am	San Francisco

**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.*

June 7, 2004	1:30 pm	San Francisco
July 2, 2004	1:30 pm	San Francisco
August 16, 2004	1:30 pm	San Francisco

**OTHER COMMISSION MEETINGS**

**NONE**

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**NOTICES****Central Files Revised Office Hours**

Starting May 24, 2004, the Central Files Office will be open for business from 8 a.m. to 12 noon only.

**Delivery of Formal Pleadings for Filing**

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

**Charge for Commission Documents**

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

**Commission Resources Available for Rental**

The auditorium, hearing rooms and training room at the headquarters of the California Public Utilities Commission, located at 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, are available for rent. Further information about requirements and fees can be obtained by contacting Colette Kondo at (415) 703-1401.

**SUBSCRIPTION INFORMATION****Subscription to Daily Calendar, Commission Meeting Agenda, and Draft Agenda Items**

For information contact: California Public Utilities Commission  
Attention: Poly Arca  
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(Corner of Van Ness Avenue and McAllister Street)  
**San Francisco**

Universal Lifeline Telephone Service (ULTS) Trust Administrative Committee will meet on this day. Meeting packet including the agenda for this meeting is available at <http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/static/industry/telco/public+programs/advisory+boards/ults.htm> or call Angela Young at 415-703-2837.

**Public Meeting Notice - California High Cost Fund - B Administrative Committee**

June 3, 2004  
 10:30 am – 4:30pm

California Public Utilities Commission  
 505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 3209  
 (Corner of Van Ness Avenue and McAllister Street)  
**San Francisco**

The originally scheduled public meeting of May 20, 2004 of the California High Cost Fund (CHCF) - B Administrative Committee (AC) was not held because of no quorum. The new public meeting of the CHCF-B AC will be held on June 3, 2004 on the following items: 1) Introduction; 2) Public Comments; 3) Review and Approval of the Minutes of the Previous Meeting; 4) Liaison Staff Report; a. Financial Report on the CHCF-B Fund; b. Liaison Report on what level of support will be available to the Committee in preparing the Annual Report due October 1, 2004; c. Other Administrative Matters; 5) Presentation from Legal Division regarding conflict of interest concerns and Statement of Economic Interests; 6) Discussion of how to make the Committee's recommendations duly recorded and noted with the Commission; 7) Discussion of legal representation for the CHCF-B Board; 8) Annual Report; 9) Announcement; 10) New agenda items for next meetings; 11) Date(s) and time(s) for future meeting(s).

The contact person for this meeting is Ravi Kumra at (415) 703-2112

**Workshop Notice Modification of the Rate Case Plan for Class A Water Utility General Rate Applications**

August 25, 2004  
 10 am – 4 pm

August 26, 2004  
 9 am – 4 pm

September 14, 2004  
 10 am – 4 pm

September 29, 2004  
 10 am – 4 pm

September 30, 2004  
 9 am – 4 pm

October 20, 2004  
 10 am – 4 pm

October 21, 2004  
 9 am – 4 pm

California Public Utilities Commission  
 505 Van Ness Avenue, Hearing Room 3104  
 (Corner of Van Ness Avenue and Golden Gate)  
**San Francisco**

The Water Division is hosting a continuation Workshop August 25 and 26, 2004; September 14, 29, and 30, 2004; and October 20 and 21, 2004, to solicit public input on the need for modification of the Rate Case Plan for Class A Water Utility General Rate Applications (Commission Decision 90-08-045).

The purpose of the workshop is two fold:

To identify the least controversial issues in the Draft Proposed Rate Case Plan for Class A Water Utility General Rate Applications prepared by the Water Division and;

To discuss the necessary components of an interim rate case plan schedule for year 2004.

For your information, the Draft Proposed Rate Case Plan for Class A Water Utility General Rate Applications can be found on the Commission website at <http://www.cpuc.ca.gov>. (Go to the "Regulated Areas," select "Water" and scroll down to

"Helpful Links".)

Questions regarding the workshop should be addressed to Peter Liu of the Water Division at (415) 703-1390 ([ptl@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto:ptl@cpuc.ca.gov)).

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

This alternate to draft resolution T16818 differs from the proposed resolution in one significant way: It affirms and maintains the Telecommunications Division's policy as adopted in previous resolutions to use the "non-recurring burden test" to permit the discounting or waiver of non-recurring charges when the service provided covers costs. As a consequence, this resolution does not trigger immediate \$56 million in price increases for SBC's telecommunications services which were approved previously through use of the "burden test" is available at the Commission's web site:

[http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/PUBLISHED/COMMENT\\_RESOLUTION/36560.htm](http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/PUBLISHED/COMMENT_RESOLUTION/36560.htm)

[http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/PUBLISHED/COMMENT\\_RESOLUTION/36559.htm](http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/PUBLISHED/COMMENT_RESOLUTION/36559.htm) (cover letter)

Contact person: Karen Miller @ (415) 703-3073 or [knr@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto:knr@cpuc.ca.gov),

Tim Sullivan @ (415) 703-5462 or [tjs@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto:tjs@cpuc.ca.gov)

**NEW FILINGS**

5/19/04            **A04-05-037** - One Voice Communications, Inc., for Registration as an Interexchange Carrier Telephone Corporation pursuant to the provisions of Public Utilities Code Section 1013.

**PETITIONS FOR MODIFICATION AND APPLICATIONS FOR REHEARING**

NONE

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

NONE

**ADVICE LETTER FILINGS**

To inquire about a filing, call the Energy Division (703-1093), Telecommunications Division (703-1330) or Water Division (703-2028).

To protest a filing, mail the original letter/telegram to the Chief of the appropriate division (i.e., "Chief, [Energy, Telecommunications or Water] Division"), to be received no later than 20 days after the date the Advice Letter was filed.

"Effective TBD" means that the date is to be determined by further Commission action. A date listed as "anticipated effective" may be subject to change. An Advice Letter Supplement is not a new filing, and there is no protest period unless indicated.

05/07/04            Telecom 940            SUREWEST TELEPHONE, Provision for discontinuance of California Teleconnect Fund discounts should the California Legislature fail to approve CTF funding in the state budget. (**effective TBD**)

05/10/04	Telecom 321	THE SISKIYOU TELEPHONE COMPANY, CTF Discounts Restricted To When State Budget Funds Are Available. <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/13/04	Telecom 50-A	BELLSOUTH LONG DISTANCE, INC. CORP., Supplements A.L.No.50, contracts <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/13/04	Telecom 323	SIERRA TELEPHONE COMPANY, INC., 2004-2005 ULTS income limitation changes <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/14/04	Telecom 290	CAL-ORE TELEPHONE COMPANY, tariff language to address the potential CTF lack of funding <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/14/04	Telecom 273	CALAVERAS TELEPHONE COMPANY, Tariff language to address the potential CTF lack of funding <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/14/04	Telecom 842	CITIZENS TELECOMMUNICATIONS CO. OF CA., Incorporate a Special Condition in CTC-California's tariffs that provides for the suspension of the CTF discounts with appropriate prior customer notice on a schedule directed by the CPUC. <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/14/04	Telecom 150	CITIZENS TELECOMS. CO. OF TUOLUMNE, incorporate a special condition in CTC- Tuolumne's tariff that provides for the suspension of the CTF discount with appropriate prior customer notice on a schedule directed by CPUC. this special condition will be invoked in the event CTC _ T <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/14/04	Telecom 293	DUCOR TELEPHONE COMPANY, tariff language to address the potential CTF lack of funding <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/14/04	Telecom 353	GLOBAL VALLEY NETWORK, INC., tariff language to address the potential CTF lack of funding <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/14/04	Telecom 329	KERMAN TELEPHONE COMPANY, Tariff Language to Address the Potential CTF Lack of Funding <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/14/04	Telecom 313	MCI WORLDCOM COMMUNICATIONS, INC., To add two Business Service 1 offers to eligibility for Toll Free Value of Business B2 Toll Free Service Option 1 <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/14/04	Telecom 204	PINNACLES TELEPHONE COMPANY, Tariff Language to Address the Potential CTF Lack of Funding <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/14/04	Telecom 309	THE VOLCANO TELEPHONE COMPANY, Tariff language to address the potential CTF lack of funding <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/14/04	Telecom 386	VERIZON SELECT SERVICES, INC., Custom Service Arrangement <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/17/04	Telecom 321-A	THE SISKIYOU TELEPHONE COMPANY, Supplements A.L.No.321, CTF Discounts Restricted To When State Budget Funds Are Available. <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/18/04	Telecom 267	HAPPY VALLEY TELEPHONE CO., Revised tariff pages to provide for the suspension of the CTF discounts <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/18/04	Telecom 940-A	SUREWEST TELEPHONE, Supplements A.L.No.940, Provision for

discontinuance of California Teleconnect Fund discounts should the California Legislature fail to approve CTF funding in the state budget. **(effective TBD)**

05/18/04	Telecom 159	WINTERHAVEN TELEPHONE COMPANY, Revised Tariff pages to provide for the suspension of the CTF discounts <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/19/04	Telecom 319	TCG LOS ANGELES, contract <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/20/04	Telecom 31	1-800-RECONEX, INC., Service Changes <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/20/04	Telecom 2946	AT&T COMMUNICATIONS OF CALIFORNIA, INC, revise ULTS <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/20/04	Telecom 36	BULLSEYE TELECOM, INC., Adds discounts on initial month's service for Power Saver Unlimited <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/20/04	Telecom 241	FORESTHILL TELEPHONE COMPANY, INC., Tariff language to address the potential CTF lack of funding <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/20/04	Telecom 25010	PACIFIC BELL, Express contract for GigaMAN service <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/20/04	Telecom 124	TCG SAN FRANCISCO, makes text change in the competitive local carrier tariff <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/20/04	Telecom 10866	VERIZON CALIFORNIA, INC., Contract Amendment 1 <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/21/04	Energy 1453G	SAN DIEGO GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Revision of standby procurement rate effective April 11, 2004 <b>(anticipated effective 05/21/04)</b>
05/21/04	Energy 1593E 1454G	SAN DIEGO GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Revision of line extension form in compliance with Resolution G-3364 <b>(anticipated effective 07/01/04)</b>
05/21/04	Energy 1594E	SAN DIEGO GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Request for modification to procurement contracts in accordance with Decision 02-08-071 and Decision 03-05-035 <b>(anticipated effective 07/08/04)</b>
05/21/04	Energy 3379G	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GAS COMPANY, Revised retail and wholesale standby procurement charges <b>(anticipated effective 05/21/04)</b>
05/21/04	Telecom 25018	PACIFIC BELL, Express contract <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/21/04	Telecom 25019	PACIFIC BELL, Express contract <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/21/04	Telecom 25020	PACIFIC BELL, Express contract <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/21/04	Telecom 25022	PACIFIC BELL, Express contract <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/21/04	Telecom 25023	PACIFIC BELL, Express contract <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/21/04	Telecom 949	SUREWEST TELEPHONE, Express Contract <b>(effective TBD)</b>
05/21/04	Telecom 193	US TELEPACIFIC CORPORATION, increase the monthly rate for ana pack basic, ana pack I and certain business line plus rates in the former ATG area <b>(effective TBD)</b>

05/21/04	Telecom 10868	VERIZON CALIFORNIA, INC., calling plan enhancement ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
05/21/04	Telecom 10869	VERIZON CALIFORNIA, INC., California Teleconnect Fund ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
05/21/04	Telecom 10870	VERIZON CALIFORNIA, INC., Government Contract-City of Covina ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
05/21/04	Water 1167-W	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA WATER COMPANY, To update its eligibility income guidelines in its lifeline rate plan in compliance with Decision 02-01-034. ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
05/21/04	Water 1168-W	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA WATER COMPANY, [Calipatria District] To furnish metered water service to the California Department of Corection. ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
05/24/04	Energy 1570E-A	SAN DIEGO GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY, Supplements A.L.No.1570E, Revision of Advanced Metering and Demand Response Memorandum Account in Compliance with D.04-01-012 ( <b>anticipated effective 03/31/04</b> )
05/24/04	Energy 1798E	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON COMPANY, Revisions to tariff to add clarifying language that will facilitate the use of the Net Energy Meterin and Generation interconnection Agreement with Direct Access Customer who is also eligible customer-generator ( <b>anticipated effective 05/24/04</b> )
05/24/04	Telecom 25021	PACIFIC BELL, Express contract ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
05/24/04	Telecom 25025	PACIFIC BELL, Express contract ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
05/24/04	Telecom 25033	PACIFIC BELL, Express contract ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
05/24/04	Telecom 25034	PACIFIC BELL, Express contract ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
05/24/04	Telecom 25035	PACIFIC BELL, Express contract ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
05/24/04	Telecom 609-A	VERIZON WEST COAST, INC., Supplements A.L.No.609, add electronic bill payment options to the general exchange tariff. ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
05/24/04	Water 74	HILLVIEW WATER COMPANY, [Oakhurst-Sierra Lakes] To implement Schedule 14.1, for mandatory water conservation and rationing. ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
05/25/04	Telecom 10871	VERIZON CALIFORNIA, INC., promotion- third party promotion ( <b>effective TBD</b> )
05/25/04	Telecom 10872	VERIZON CALIFORNIA, INC., frame replay ( <b>effective TBD</b> )

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**ADVICE LETTER SUSPENSIONS (Pursuant to M-4801, 04/19/01)**

To inquire about a suspension, call the Energy Division (703-1093), Telecommunications Division (703-1330) or Water Division (703-2028).

NONE

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**ADVICE LETTER PROTESTS**

To inquire about a protest, call the Energy Division (703-1093), Telecommunications Division (703-1330) or Water Division (703-2028). To obtain a copy of the protest, please direct your request to the protestor.

05/25/04	Telecom 24929	PACIFIC BELL, Amendment No. 10 with Sage Telecom, Inc. Protest by MCI, Inc..
05/25/04	Telecom 24929	PACIFIC BELL, Amendment No. 10 with Sage Telecom, Inc. Protest by CALTEL.

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**MISCELLANEOUS TRANSPORTATION ITEMS**  
**Filings with Consumer Protection and Safety Division**

NONE

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**MISCELLANEOUS TELECOMMUNICATION MATTERS**

NONE

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

<b>5/13/04</b> ALJ Walker	<b>C.02-07-044</b> - The Utility Consumers' Action Network (UCAN), Complainant, v. Pacific Bell Telephone Company, AOL-Time Warner, Inc., Does 1-100, Defendants.
<b>5/13/04</b> ALJ Pulsifer	<b>R.95-04-043 (FCC Triennial Review Nine-Month Phase)</b> - Order Instituting Rulemaking on the Commission's Own Motion Into Competition for Local Exchange Service, and <b>I.95-04-044</b> - Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission's Own Motion Into Competition for Local Exchange Service.
<b>5/14/04</b> ALJ Vieth	<b>A.03-10-006</b> - In the matter of the Application of the SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA WATER COMPANY (U 133 W) for an order authorizing it to increase rates for water service by \$15,377,000 or 19.34% in 2004; by \$6,642,000 or 6.98% in 2005; and by \$6,629,700 or 6.51% in 2006 in its Metropolitan Service Area.
<b>5/20/04</b> ALJ Walker	<b>A.04-01-024</b> - In the Matter of the Application of F. Patrick Flynn & Joyce H. Flynn to sell 100% of the Outstanding Stock of Mesa Crest Water Company (U-333-W) to California-Michigan Land and Water Company, which operates a Water System in Los Angeles County, pursuant to Public Utilities Code Sections 851 through 854.

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**ADJOURNMENTS \* RESETTINGS \* HEARINGS CONCLUDED**

- ALJ Long      **A.02-12-027** - Application of SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GAS COMPANY for authority to update its gas revenue requirement and base rates. (U 904 G), and  
**A.02-12-028** - Application of SAN DIEGO GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY for authority to update its gas and electric revenue requirement and base rates. (U 902-M), and  
**I.03-03-016** - Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission's Own Motion into the Rates, Operations, Practices, Service and Facilities of Southern California Gas Company and San Diego Gas & Electric Company,  
**Prehearing Conference held and concluded**
- ALJ Malcolm      **A.03-03-043** - In the Matter of the Application of SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON COMPANY (U 338-E) for a Permit to Construct Electrical Facilities With Voltages Between 50 kV and 200 kV: Viejo System Project,  
**Public Participation Hearing in Mission Viejo held and no report given**
- ALJ Simon      **R.04-01-005** - Rulemaking for the Purpose of Amending the Rules of Practice and Procedure to Include the Use of Electronic Mail to Serve Documents in Formal Proceedings before the Commission.  
**Workshop held and concluded**
- ALJ Thorson      **I. 03-10-038** - Investigation on the Commission's Own Motion into the Operations and Practices of the Conlin-Strawberry Water Co. Inc. (U-177-W), and its Owner/Operator, Danny T. Conlin; Notice of Opportunity for Hearing; and Order to Show Cause Why the Commission Should Not Petition the Superior Court for a Receiver to Assume Possession and Operation of the Conlin-Strawberry Water Co. Inc. pursuant to the California Public Utilities Code Section 855,  
**Evidentiary Hearing held and continued to May 26**

#### REMOVALS FROM CALENDAR

NONE

#### NEW SETTINGS

- 8/16/04**  
10:00 a.m.  
ALJ Econome  
Comr Wood      **C.04-03-025 (TELEPHONIC - PHC)** - City of San Diego, a Charter City, The Redevelopment Agency of the City of San Diego, a public entity, and Padres, L.P., a limited partnership, Complainants, vs. San Diego Gas & Electric Company, a California Public Utility, Defendant,  
**Commission Room 5113, San Francisco**
- 8/18/04**  
10:30 a.m.  
ALJ Econome  
Comr Wood      **C.04-03-025 (EH)** - City of San Diego, a Charter City, The Redevelopment Agency of the City of San Diego, a public entity, and Padres, L.P., a limited partnership, Complainants, vs. San Diego Gas & Electric Company, a California Public Utility, Defendant,  
**San Diego State Building, 1350 Front Street, Room B-107, San Diego, CA**  
**(also August 19 – 20 at 9:00 a.m.)**
- 9/24/04**  
11:00 a.m.  
ALJ Econome  
Comr Wood      **C.04-03-025 (CA)** - City of San Diego, a Charter City, The Redevelopment Agency of the City of San Diego, a public entity, and Padres, L.P., a limited partnership, Complainants, vs. San Diego Gas & Electric Company, a California Public Utility, Defendant,  
**San Diego State Building, 1350 Front Street, Room B-107, San Diego, CA**

#### LAW AND MOTION

Law and Motion Hearings are held before Administrative Law Judges Sarah R. Thomas and John E. Thorson at 10:00 a.m. 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.

**5/31/04** NONE SCHEDULED  
10:00 a.m.

**6/7/04** NONE SCHEDULED  
10:00 a.m.

**6/14/04** NONE SCHEDULED  
10:00 a.m.

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### FINAL ORAL ARGUMENTS (FOA)

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*

*(ECP) = Expedited Complaint Procedure*  
*(OSC) = Order to Show Cause*  
*(WS) = Workshop*  
*(FPH) = Full Panel Hearing*  
*(AH) = Arbitration Hearing*

*(CA) = Closing Argument*  
*(LM) = Law & Motion*  
*(OA) = Oral Argument*

**5/26/04** **I. 03-10-038 (EH)** - Investigation on the Commission's Own Motion into the Operations and Practices of the Conlin-Strawberry Water Co. Inc. (U-177-W), and its Owner/Operator, Danny T. Conlin; Notice of Opportunity for Hearing; and Order to Show Cause Why the Commission Should Not Petition the Superior Court for a Receiver to Assume Possession and Operation of the Conlin-Strawberry Water Co. Inc. pursuant to the California Public Utilities Code Section 855,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**

**6/1/04** **A.03-10-057 (EH)** - In the Matter of the Application of the SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA WATER COMPANY (U 133 W) for an order authorizing it to increase rates for water service in 2004 in its Region 1 Customer Service Areas by \$179,200 or 2.62% in the Arden-Cordova CSA; \$93,400 or 1.98% in the Bay Point CSA; and \$115,900 or 4.55% in the Ojai CSA; and various other relief,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**  
**(also June 2 - 3)**

**6/1/04** **A.02-12-027 (EH)** - Application of SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GAS COMPANY for authority to update its gas revenue requirement and base rates. (U 904 G), and  
**A.02-12-028** - Application of SAN DIEGO GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY for authority to update its gas and electric revenue requirement and base rates. (U 902-M), and  
**I.03-03-016** - Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission's Own Motion into the Rates, Operations, Practices, Service and Facilities of Southern California Gas Company and San Diego Gas & Electric Company,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**  
**(also June 2 - 4 and June 7 - 11)**

- 6/1/04**  
10:00 a.m.  
ALJ Koss  
Comr Peevey  
**C.03-08-030 (EH)** – County of Los Angeles, Complainant, vs. Union Pacific Railroad Company, Defendant,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**
- 6/2/04**  
10:00 a.m.  
ALJ Patrick  
**C.04-04-023 (ECP)** - African American CalWorks Coalition, Complainant, vs. SBC Pacific Bell, Defendant,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**
- 6/2/04**  
10:00 a.m.  
ALJ Malcolm  
Comr Peevey  
**R.03-10-003 (EH)** - Order Instituting Rulemaking to Implement Portions of AB 117 Concerning Community Choice Aggregation,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**  
**(also June 3 – 4; June 7 – 11; and June 14)**
- 6/4/04**  
10:00 a.m.  
ALJ Galvin  
Comr Peevey  
**A.04-04-005 (PHC)** -Application of Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) for a Commission Finding that its Procurement-Related and Other Operations for the Record Period July 1 Through December 31, 2003 Complied with its Adopted Procurement Plan; for Verification of its Entries in the Energy Resource Recovery Account; for Recovery of a Nuclear Unit Incentive Reward of \$9.7 million; and for Recovery of \$4.9 Million Recorded in the Electric Energy Transaction Administration Memorandum Account,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**
- 6/4/04**  
2:00 p.m.  
ALJ Barnett  
**C.04-04-039 (ECP)** – Luis A. Alvarez, Complainant, vs. Southern California Edison Company, Defendant,  
**Fontana Police Department Meeting Room, 8353 Sierra Avenue (behind City Hall, Brown Building) Fontana, CA**
- 6/7/04**  
10:00 a.m.  
ALJ O'Donnell  
Comr Brown  
**R.03-03-017 (EH)** - Order Instituting Rulemaking on the Commission's own Motion to re-examine the underlying issues involved in the submetering discount for mobile home parks and to stay D.01-08-040, and  
**I.03-03-018** - Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission's own Motion to re-examine the underlying issues involved in the submetering discount for mobile home parks and to stay D.01-08-040, and  
**C.00-01-017** - Robert Hambly, for Himself and, On Behalf of the Residents of Los Robles Mobilehome Park, Complainant, vs. Hillsboro Properties, a California Limited Partnership, and the City of Novato, Defendants,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**  
**(also June 8 – 11 at 9:30 a.m.)**
- 6/7/04**  
10:30 a.m.  
ALJ Duda  
Comr Brown  
**A.04-05-002 (PHC)** - In the Matter of the Request for Arbitration of XO California, Inc. Of an Amendment to an Interconnection Agreement with SBC California Pursuant to Section 252(B) of the Communications Act of 1934, as Amended,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**
- 6/7/04**  
4:00 p.m. &  
7:00 p.m.  
ALJ Walker  
Comr Lynch  
**A.04-01-031 (PPH)** - Application of Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) for Authority to, Among Other Things, Increase Its Authorized Revenues for Gas Service for Santa Catalina Island in 2005, and to Reflect That Increase in Rates,  
**CIRS Golf Course Conference Room, 1 Country Club Road, Avalon, CA**
- 6/8/04**  
10:00 a.m.  
ALJ Galvin  
Comr Peevey  
**A.03-12-010 (EH)** - Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company (U 902 E) for a Finding of Prudence Regarding its Power Procurement Activities, and for Approval of Expenses Recorded to the Electric Resource Recovery Account,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**  
**(also June 9 at 9:00 a.m.)**

- 6/8/04**  
10:00 a.m.  
ALJ Walker  
Comr Lynch  
**A.04-01-031 (EH)** - Application of Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) for Authority to, Among Other Things, Increase Its Authorized Revenues for Gas Service for Santa Catalina Island in 2005, and to Reflect That Increase in Rates,  
**CIRS Golf Course Conference Room, 1 Country Club Road, Avalon, CA**  
**(also June 9 – 11)**
- 6/9/04**  
10:00 a.m.  
ALJ Patrick  
**C.04-04-028 (ECP)** - RNM Properties, Complainant, vs. Pacific Bell Telephone Company, dba SBC California, Defendant,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**
- 6/14/04**  
9:30 a.m.  
ALJ Duda  
Comr Peevey  
**R.93-04-003 (Verizon UNE Phase) (EH)** - Rulemaking on the Commission's Own Motion to Govern Open Access to Bottleneck Services and Establish A Framework for Network Architecture Development of Dominant Carrier Networks, and  
**I.93-04-002** - Investigation on the Commission's Own Motion into Open Access and Network Architecture Development of Dominant Carrier Networks,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**  
**(also June 15 - 18)**
- 6/14/04**  
10:00 a.m.  
ALJ Brown  
Comr Lynch  
**A.02-05-046 (EH)** - In the Matter of the Application of Southern California Edison Company (U 338 E) Regarding the Future Disposition of the Mohave Generating Station,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**  
**(also June 15 – 18; June 21 – 25; and June 28 – 30)**
- 6/15/04**  
2:00 p.m.  
ALJ Barnett  
Comr Wood  
**A.04-04-008 (PHC)** - Application of Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) for Approval of Economic Development Rates,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**
- 6/15/04**  
10:00 a.m.  
ALJ Walwyn  
Comr Brown  
**I.04-04-001 (PHC)** - In the matter of the Order Instituting Investigation an Order to Show Cause on the Commission's own motion into the operations and practices of Ronen Perez, an individual, Ford Moving and Storage, Inc., a California corporation, and its president, Ronen Perez, Applicants/Respondents,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**
- 6/16/04**  
10:00 a.m.  
ALJ TerKeurst  
Comr Lynch  
**I.02-11-040 (EH) (Phase I. A)** - Order Instituting Investigation into the Gas Market Activities of Southern California Gas Company, San Diego Gas and Electric, Southwest Gas, Pacific Gas and Electric, and Southern California Edison and their impact on the Gas Price Spikes experienced at the California Border from March 2000 through May 2001,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**  
**(also June 17 – 18; June 21 – 25; and June 28 – July 1) (Note: June 21 and 28 at 10:00 a.m. and the remaining days at 9:00 a.m.)**
- 6/16/04**  
11:00 a.m.  
ALJ Econome  
Comr Brown  
**I.04-02-008 (TELEPHONIC - PHC)** – In the Matter of the Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission's Own Motion, Notice of Opportunity for To Be Heard, and Order to Show Cause Regarding the Operations and Practices of Arnold Ray Baeza, an Individual Doing Business as Best Movers,  
**Commission Room 5113, San Francisco**
- 6/21/04**  
9:00 a.m. -  
10:00 a.m.  
ALJ Thorson  
Comr Brown  
**C.03-09-001 (PHC)** - Casmalia Community Services District, Complainant, vs. Unocal Corporation, also known as Casmite Water System, Defendant,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**
- 6/21/04**  
10:00 a.m. -  
3:00 p.m.  
ALJ Thorson  
Comr Brown  
**C.03-09-001 (EH)** - Casmalia Community Services District, Complainant, vs. Unocal Corporation, also known as Casmite Water System, Defendant,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**  
**(also June 22 – 25)**

- 6/28/04**  
12:00 noon  
ALJ Barnett  
**C.04-05-024 (ECP)** - Joseph Gorlock, Complainant, vs. San Diego Gas & Electric Company, Defendant,  
**San Diego State Office Building, 1350 Front Street, Room B-102, San Diego, CA**
- 6/29/04**  
10:00 a.m.  
ALJ Simon  
Comr Wood  
**A.04-03-003 (PHC)** - Application of SAN TA CLARA VALLEY TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY and SOBRATO INTERESTS III, a California limited partnership, for an Order Authorizing Convention of an Existing Private At-Grade Freight Railroad Crossing to a Public Crossing and Approving enhanced Safety Appliances and Procedures at the crossing, adjacent to Winchester Boulevard near State Route 85 located in the Town of Los Gatos, County of Santa Clara, State of California,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**
- 6/30/04**  
10:00 a.m.  
ALJ Patrick  
**C.04-04-019 (ECP)** - David Hohenfeldt, Complainant, vs. Pacific Gas and Electric Company, Defendant,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**
- 7/1/04**  
11:00 a.m.  
ALJ Econome  
Comr Brown  
**I.04-02-008 (EH)** - In the Matter of the Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission's Own Motion, Notice of Opportunity for To Be Heard, and Order to Show Cause Regarding the Operations and Practices of Arnold Ray Baeza, an Individual Doing Business as Best Movers,  
**Commission Courtroom, State Office Building, 320 West 4<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 500, Los Angeles, CA**
- 7/2/04**  
9:00 a.m.  
ALJ TerKeurst  
Comr Lynch  
**I.02-11-040 (EH) (Phase I. B)** - Order Instituting Investigation into the Gas Market Activities of Southern California Gas Company, San Diego Gas and Electric, Southwest Gas, Pacific Gas and Electric, and Southern California Edison and their impact on the Gas Price Spikes experienced at the California Border from March 2000 through May 2001,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**  
**(also July 6 – 9) (Note: July 6 at 10:00 a.m. and the remaining days at 9:00 a.m.)**
- 7/19/04**  
10:00 a.m.  
ALJ Barnett  
Comr Kennedy  
**A.99-04-048 (EH)** - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company (U 39 M) for an Order Under Section 851 of the California Public Utilities Code to Sell and Convey Certain Limited Sole-Customer Public Utility Facilities, (U 39 M),  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**  
**(also July 20)**
- 7/20/04**  
9:00 a.m.  
ALJ Reed  
Comr Lynch  
**A.99-03-025 (EH)** - In the Matter of the Application of Roseville Telephone Company (U 1015 C) to Review Its New Regulatory Framework,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**  
**(also July 21 – 22)**
- 7/21/04**  
10:00 a.m.  
ALJ Walwyn  
Comr Brown  
**A.04-03-021 (EH)** - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company Proposing Cost of Service and Rates for Gas Transmission and Storage Services for 2005 and Backbone Level Service and Rates Starting January 1, 2005, as Required by Commission Decision 03-12-061,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**  
**(also July 22 – 23 and July 26 – 30)**
- 7/26/04**  
10:00 a.m.  
ALJ Thomas  
Comr Wood  
**R.04-01-006 (EH)** - Order Instituting Rulemaking on the Commission's Proposed Policies and Programs Governing post-2003 Low-Income Assistance Programs,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**  
**(also July 27)**
- 8/3/04**  
9:00 a.m.  
ALJ Mattson  
Comr Wood  
**A.00-07-013 (EH)** - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for Review and Recovery of Costs Recorded in the Electric Restructuring Costs Account (ERCA) for 1999 and Forecast for 2000 and 2001. (U 39 E),  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**  
**(also August 4 - 6)**

- 8/16/04**  
10:00 a.m.  
ALJ McKenzie  
Comr Peevey
- A.04-03-023 (EH)** - In the Matter of the Application of California-American Water Company (U 210 W) for an order authorizing it to increase its rates for water service in its Coronado District to increase revenues by \$352.9 or 2.86% in the year 2005, to decrease revenues by (\$43.1) or (0.34%) in 2006, and to decrease revenues by (\$28.4) or (0.22%) in 2007, and  
**A.04-03-024** - In the Matter of the Application of California-American Water Company (U 210-W) for an order authorizing it to change its rates for water service in its Village District to decrease revenues by (\$1,254.0) or (6.36%) in the year 2005, to decrease revenues by (\$24.9) or (0.13%) in 2006, and to increase revenues by \$4.7 or 0.03% in 2007,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**  
**(also August 17 – 18)**
- 8/16/04**  
10:00 a.m.  
ALJ Economie  
Comr Wood
- C.04-03-025 (TELEPHONIC - PHC)** - City of San Diego, a Charter City, The Redevelopment Agency of the City of San Diego, a public entity, and Padres, L.P., a limited partnership, Complainants, vs. San Diego Gas & Electric Company, a California Public Utility, Defendant,  
**Commission Room 5113, San Francisco**
- 8/18/04**  
10:30 a.m.  
ALJ Economie  
Comr Wood
- C.04-03-025 (EH)** - City of San Diego, a Charter City, The Redevelopment Agency of the City of San Diego, a public entity, and Padres, L.P., a limited partnership, Complainants, vs. San Diego Gas & Electric Company, a California Public Utility, Defendant,  
**San Diego State Building, 1350 Front Street, Room B-107, San Diego, CA**  
**(also August 19 – 20 at 9:00 a.m.)**
- 8/23/04**  
10:00 a.m.  
ALJ O'Donnell  
Comr Brown
- A.04-01-009 (EH)** – Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company (U 39 E) for authority to increase revenue requirements to recover the costs to replace steam generators in Units 1 and 2 of the Diablo Canyon Power Plant,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**  
**(also August 24 – 27 and September 7 – 10) (Note: August 23 & September 7 at 10:00 a.m. and the remaining days at 9:30 a.m.)**
- 9/24/04**  
11:00 a.m.  
ALJ Economie  
Comr Wood
- C.04-03-025 (CA)** - City of San Diego, a Charter City, The Redevelopment Agency of the City of San Diego, a public entity, and Padres, L.P., a limited partnership, Complainants, vs. San Diego Gas & Electric Company, a California Public Utility, Defendant,  
**San Diego State Building, 1350 Front Street, Room B-107, San Diego, CA**
- 9/27/04**  
10:00 a.m.  
ALJ McKenzie  
Comr Lynch
- I.00-03-001 (EH)** - Investigation into the operations and practices of Qwest Communications Corporation, et al. in concerning compliance with Statutes, Commission decisions, and other requirements applicable to the utility's installation of facilities in California for providing Telecommunications service,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**  
**(Also September 28 – October 1 and October 4 – 6)**
- 10/19/04**  
10:00 a.m.  
ALJ Galvin  
Comr Kennedy
- A.03-12-008 (EH)** - In the Matter of the Application of CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE COMPANY (U 60 W), a corporation, for an order authorizing treatment of net proceeds from real property sales as subject to Public Utilities Code § 790 and for establishment of memorandum accounts to record net sales proceeds,  
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**  
**(also October 20)**

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

*On September 20, 1996, the Commission adopted Resolution ALJ 169 regarding the "Filing of Notice of Denial of Request for Ex Parte Meeting." The resolution implements an interim procedure whereby a party whose written request for an ex parte meeting with a Commissioner has been denied will be allowed to file a notice of such denial. Copies of Resolution ALJ 169 are available from the Commission's Central Files Office at 505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 2002, San Francisco; telephone (415) 703-2045. Copies of tendered notices are available in the Central Files Office for review and/or*

*reproduction under existing procedures. They are also available from the filing party who is under the obligation to provide copies of the notice without delay.*

NONE

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

NONE

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**NOTICE OF EX PARTE COMMUNICATIONS**

*Copies of tendered notices are available in the Central Files Office for review and/or reproduction under existing procedures. They are also available from the filing party who is under the obligation to provide copies of the notice without delay.*

5/18/04	A03-10-022	Southern California Edison Company, for approval of its 2004 Revenue Requirement and related estimates under the Energy Resource Recovery Account (ERRA); and for a Commission Finding that its Procurement-related and other Operations were reasonable for the Record Period September 1, 2001 through June 30, 2003.
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**Summary:** On May 13, 2004, Regina DeAngelis, counsel for the Office of Ratepayer Advocates (ORA), sent a letter (copy attached to the notice) to Cmmr. Peevey and ALJ Fukutome. The letter responds to a letter dated May 12, 2004 sent by Southern California Edison Company (SCE), in which SCE requested oral argument.

**Filer:** Office of Ratepayer Advocates – DeAngelis

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5/19/04	R93-04-003	Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking on Commission's own motion to govern open access to bottleneck services and establish a framework for network architecture development of dominant carrier networks and
	I93-04-002	Commission Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission's own motion into open access and network architecture development of dominant carrier networks.
	R95-04-043	Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion into competition for local exchange service and
	I95-04-044	Investigation on the Commission's own motion into competition for local exchange service.

**Summary:** On May 18, 2004, Darlene Clark, Senior Attorney for AT&T Communications of California, Inc. (AT&T), met with Jonathan Lakritz, advisor to Cmmr. Wood, in San Francisco. Also present were Josh Thieriot, Case Manager for Pac-West Telecomm, Inc. (Pac-West) and Robert Munoz, Manager of Regulatory Affairs for MCI, Inc. (MCI). The representatives of AT&T, MCI, and Pac-West requested that the Commission deny Pacific Bell Telephone Company dba SBC California's Petition to Modify D02-09-050 by Suspending Doubling Mechanism in Performance Incentive Plan.

**Filer:** MCI, Inc.; AT&T Communications of California, Inc.; Pac-West Telecomm, Inc.

**Contact:** Trine Izing

**Phone:** (415) 228-1245

5/19/04	A02-11-017	Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for authority, among other
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- things, to increase revenue requirements for electric and gas service and to increase rates and charges for gas service effective January 1, 2003.
- I03-01-012 Commission Order Instituting Investigation into the Rates, Operations, Practices, Service and Facilities of Pacific Gas and Electric Company.
- A02-09-005 Pacific Gas and Electric Company (U 39-E), pursuant to Resolution E-3770 for Reimbursement of Costs associated with delay in implementation of its New Customer Information System caused by the 2002 20/20 customer rebate program.

**Summary:** On May 19, 2004, Karen Tomcala, Vice President, Regulatory Relations, Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E), met with Cmmr. Lynch in San Francisco. Also present were Michael Campbell, advisor to Cmmr. Lynch, Mark Pocta, the Office of Ratepayer Advocates (ORA), Patrick Golden, Attorney, Bruce Smith, Manager, Revenue Requirements, and Erik Jacobson, Chief, Regulatory Relations, for PG&E, Bob Finkelstein, The Utility Reform Network (TURN), and James Weil, Aglet Consumer Alliance (Aglet). Written material (attached to the notice) was used. Tomcala discussed the proposed decision in PG&E's general rate case. Tomcala and Golden stated that the Distribution and Generation settlements, including the attrition floors, represent a reasonable compromise of PG&E's, TURN's, ORA's, and Aglet's litigation positions and should be approved without modification. Golden stated that the settlement was negotiated after development of a full evidentiary record and that the settlement was reasonable based on this record.

**Filer: Pacific Gas and Electric Company**

**Contact: Michelle Brown**

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- 5/19/04 A04-03-021 Pacific Gas and Electric Company, proposing cost of service and rates for gas transmission and storage services for 2005 and backbone level service and rates starting January 1, 2005, as required by Commission decision D03-12-061.

**Summary: AUGMENTATION REQUIRED.** On May 14, 2004, Brian Cragg, representing Duke Energy North America, LLC and Duke Energy Trading and Marketing, L.L.C. (collectively, "Duke"), had a telephone conversation with Belinda Gatti, advisor to Cmmr. Brown, and later the same day, left a voicemail message for Belinda Gatti. Cragg discussed the issues related to the eligibility criteria for the backbone-only rate and the forum in which the eligibility issues would be addressed. In the voicemail message, Cragg provided citations to materials in the record that discuss the cutoff date for eligibility for the backbone-only rate.

**Filer: Duke Energy North America, LLC; Duke Energy Marketing America, LLC**

**Contact: Michelle C. Sweeney**

**Phone: (415) 392-7900**

- 5/20/04 A02-11-017 Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for authority, among other things, to increase revenue requirements for electric and gas service and to increase rates and charges for gas service effective January 1, 2003.
- I03-01-012 Commission Order Instituting Investigation into the Rates, Operations, Practices, Service and Facilities of Pacific Gas and Electric Company.
- A02-09-005 Pacific Gas and Electric Company (U 39-E), pursuant to Resolution E-3770 for Reimbursement of Costs associated with delay in implementation of its New Customer Information System caused by the 2002 20/20 customer rebate program.

**Summary:** On May 19, 2004, James Weil, Director of Aglet Consumer Alliance (Aglet), participated in a meeting with Cmmr. Lynch in San Francisco. Also present were Mike Campbell, advisor to Cmmr. Lynch, Mark Pocta of the Office of Ratepayer Advocates, Eric Jacobson, Karen Tomcala, Patrick Golden, and Bruce Smith for Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E), and Robert Finkelstein for The Utility

Reform Network. Weil stated that Aglet supports the distribution and generation settlements that are the subject of the alternate proposed decision of Cmmr. Brown. Weil indicated that Aglet took a lead role in litigation of attrition issues. Weil noted that Aglet estimates that the two settlements will save ratepayers approximately \$213 million during the years 2004, 2005 and 2006. Weil stated that the settlements are compromises of strongly held views. Weil explained that reliance on the Consumer Price Index rather than utility-specific escalation rates to calculate attrition allowances will benefit ratepayers.

**Filer: Aglet Consumer Alliance**

**Contact: James Weil**

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5/20/04            R93-04-003            Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking on Commission's own motion to govern open access to bottleneck services and establish a framework for network architecture development of dominant carrier networks and

                          I93-04-002            Commission Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission's own motion into open access and network architecture development of dominant carrier networks.

**Summary:** On May 17, 2004, Tim McCallion, President – Pacific Region, Verizon California Inc. (Verizon), met with Robert Wullenjohn, advisor to Cmmr. Brown, in San Francisco. Also present was Michelle Robinson, Vice President of Regulatory Affairs - California, Verizon. Verizon discussed implications of D04-05-022 to vacate the stay of its Line Sharing Order despite existing federal law which discontinues line sharing. Robinson noted that the line sharing portions of the Triennial Review Order were not stayed by the D.C. Circuit Court and are effective law. McCallion stated that the Commission's decision to lift the stay of its line sharing decision sends a poor signal to companies who plans to invest in next-generation networks in California for the benefits of Californians.

**Filer: Verizon California Inc.**

**Contact: Cherisma Feril**

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5/20/04            A98-11-012            Lodi Gas Storage, LLC for a certificate of public convenience and necessity for construction and operation of gas storage facilities.

**Summary:** On May 18, 2004, Ronald Liebert representing the California Farm Bureau Federation (Farm Bureau) met with Pres. Peevey in San Francisco. Also present was Roosevelt Grant, advisor to Pres. Peevey. Liebert stated Farm Bureau's support for ALJ Econome's proposed decision and why an alternate decision, to eliminate the surety bond requirement, was not warranted. Liebert reviewed the Farm Bureau's concern with the Lodi Gas Storage, LLC project.

**Filer: California Farm Bureau Federation**

**Contact: Ronald Liebert**

**Phone: (916) 561-5655**

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