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Daily Calendar **Thursday, March 15, 2001**

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The Commission's policy is to schedule hearings (meetings, workshops, etc.) in locations that are accessible to people with disabilities. Please see the *Notice to People With Disabilities* section on page two of this Daily Calendar for further information.

REGULAR COMMISSION BUSINESS MEETINGS

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|----------------|-------|---------------|
| March 15, 2001 | 10 am | San Francisco |
| March 27, 2001 | 10 am | San Francisco |
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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.

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| March 22, 2001 | 1:30 pm | San Francisco |
| April 16, 2001 | 1:30 pm | San Francisco |
| April 30, 2001 | 1:30 pm | San Francisco |

NOTICE TO PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES

The CPUC encourages all Californians to participate in its meetings, hearings, workshops, and proceedings. We try to hold our public meetings only in places that are wheelchair accessible and which can accommodate specialized equipment and other services useful to people with disabilities. Please see the notice of the meeting you wish to attend for more specifics (also posted in the Daily Calendar on the CPUC website).

If you plan to attend and need specialized accommodations for a particular meeting that are not listed in the notice, request them from the Public Advisor's Office at least three business days in advance of the meeting. Contact the Public Advisor's Office by any one of the following:

- e-mail: public.advisor@cpuc.ca.gov
Voice: 415-703-2074
FAX: 415-703-1758 (Attn: Public Advisor)
- TTY: 1-866-836-7825 (toll-free)
- 1-415-703-5282

NOTICES

Delivery of Formal Pleadings for Filing

Unless otherwise directed, all courier-delivered documents submitted for filing as part of the formal record in a proceeding should be hand-carried directly to the Commission's Docket Office, Room 2001, 505 Van Ness Avenue in San Francisco; Suite 500, 320 West

4th 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 Notice for Draft Agenda Items

In compliance with Public Utilities Code Section 311.5, parties who wish to subscribe to receive draft agenda items may do so by writing to the Public Utilities Commission; Attention: Poly Arca, Room 1003, 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94102, or by calling (415) 703-1798. The cost for a one-year subscription to the entire public agenda package (which excludes Executive Session materials) is \$1,000. You may also order a partial agenda package (energy agenda items only or telecommunication agenda items only) at the cost of \$500 per year. The package you receive via mail will include only those agenda items available at the time of the agenda distribution date, which is usually 10 to 12 days prior to the Commission meeting. If agenda items (including revisions) are not ready on the distribution date, they will be made available at no charge in the lobby outside the Commission Auditorium at 9:00 a.m. on the morning of the Commission meeting, but not earlier.

In addition, the Commission will make draft agenda items available for viewing and photocopying (at 20 cents per page) at the Commission's Central Files Office (Room 2002), 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, and in the Los Angeles, San Diego, and Sacramento field offices. Since the agenda package will be mailed to these locations, it will be available at these locations a day or two after the distribution date. These locations will not receive agenda items that are not ready on the distribution date.

If an agenda item is held over to a subsequent Commission meeting, that agenda item and any revisions to that agenda item that were available on the morning of the initial Commission meeting (as well as any further available revisions) will be mailed in the Escutia package for the subsequent Commission meeting; the item and its revisions will also be available for viewing and photocopying in the Commission's Central Files Office and field offices as set forth above.

Intervenors who have a financial hardship determination pending or granted shall be eligible to receive draft agenda item packets at no charge.

The cost to receive the agenda only, without copies of draft agenda items, remains at \$75 per year.

Subscription Notice for Daily Calendar and/or Agenda

Parties who wish to subscribe to the Daily Calendar and/or the Agenda may do so by writing to the Public Utilities Commission; Attention: Poly Arca, Room 1003, 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94102, or by calling (415) 703-1798. The subscription cost for the Daily Calendar is \$225 per year. The Biweekly Daily Calendar is \$50 per year. The Agenda is \$75 per year. Checks are to be made payable to the Public Utilities Commission.

COMMISSIONER OFFICE HOURS

For further information or to make an appointment, please contact Norman Carter at (213) 576-7055.

| <u>Date/Time</u> | <u>Commissioner</u> | <u>Location</u> |
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| April 5, 2001 2 – 4 pm | Geoffrey Brown | San Diego CPUC Office 1350 Front Street, Room 4006 San Diego |
| April 6, 2001 2 – 4 pm | Geoffrey Brown | Los Angeles CPUC Office 320 West 4 th Street, Suite 500 Los Angeles |

PUBLIC MEETING & WORKSHOPS

Public Input Workshops Notice

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| <i>Issues Raised in the February 15, 2001 Prehearing Conference on Energy Utility Low-Income Programs March 7, 14, and 22, 2001 10 am – 4 pm</i> | <i>Pacific Energy Center 851 Howard Street San Francisco</i> |
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Pursuant to the directions received from the Administrative Law Judge on February 15, 2001 in Rulemaking 98-07-037 in the prehearing conference on utility applications 00-11-009, 00-11-011, 00-11-012, and 00-11-020, the Public Utilities Commission's Energy Division will hold 3 public workshops to facilitate public input on the following issues; rapid deployment of additional and carryover funds for low-income weatherization programs, additional efforts to increase CARE penetration rates; compliance issues concerning the applications that were raised in prehearing conference statements; and shareholder incentives.

It is anticipated that the workshop on **March 7** will include discussions on proposals for the rapid deployment of funds for low-income weatherization programs. The workshop on

March 14 will include discussions on proposals to increase CARE penetration rates. The workshop on **March 22** will include discussions on proposals to amend the shareholder incentive mechanism and proposals to satisfy the concerns of parties on utility application compliance issues. If consensus is reached on any of these issues prior to the close of the meetings, it is possible that discussions will begin on the next issue.

A memorandum summarizing proposals on these issues will be sent to all persons on the service list for R.98-07-037 prior to each workshop. If you are not on the service list for R.98-07-037 you may obtain a copy of the proposals by contacting Steve Rutledge of the CPUC at (415) 703-1809 (sjr@cpuc.ca.gov).

If you cannot attend the workshops and would like to provide written comments on the proposals that may be incorporated into the workshop discussions, those comments need to be received by 4 pm on the day prior to the workshop, and should be mailed to: Stephen Rutledge CPUC, Energy Division, 4th Floor, 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94102.

Teleconference Information: The meeting is accessible through teleconference. To use this option, please call: 1-888-452-3494 and then by dialing pass code #22726.

This location is wheelchair accessible. The meeting is open to the public. Questions regarding the workshop should be addressed to Stephen Rutledge of the Energy Division at (415) 703-1809 (sjr@cpuc.ca.gov) or Donna Wagoner of the Energy Division at (415) 703-3175 (dlw@cpuc.ca.gov).

Workshop Notice/Public Meeting

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| <p><i>March 15, 2001</i> <i>1:30 pm - 4 pm</i></p> | <p><i>California Public Utilities Commission</i> <i>505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 3204</i> <i>(Corner of Van Ness and McAllister)</i> <i>San Francisco</i></p> |
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The Universal Lifeline Telephone Service (ULTS) Administrative Committee will meet to address the following: Review/Approve Meeting Minutes, Review/Approve Telephone Claims, Public Comments, Review/Approve ULTS/ULTSMB Expenses and Authorize Administrative Transfer, Review/Acceptance of Amervest Report, CPUC Report and Action Items, Board Appointments, SB 669 Transition Plan Update, G.O. 153

Implementation, Discuss ULTS Administrative Committee Charter Modifications, Review and Approve New Telephone Claims Approval Process, Review/Approve Carrier Audit Collaboration, Review/Approve Surcharge Remittance Monitoring System, Administrative Report, ULTSMB Update, Personnel Issues, Review/Approve Annual Financial Audit Solicitation, Set Agenda Items for Future Meetings, and Hear Public Comments.

This meeting is open to the public. The Board reserves the right to limit the time allocated for public comments and each speaker. If you would like to receive an agenda or meeting packet, please notify the ULTS Trust office at (510) 452-2757 or e-mail ultstrust@msn.com.

Working Group/Meeting Notice

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| <p><i>March 19, 2001</i> <i>9:30 am - 4 pm</i></p> | <p><i>PG&E Pacific Energy Center</i> <i>851 Howard Street</i></p> |
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San Francisco

Pursuant to the April 28, 2000 Assigned Commissioner's Ruling, the Low-Income Reporting Requirements Manual Working Group will hold a public meeting to discuss Phase II issues including but not limited to Cost Effectiveness, Reporting on Training Costs, Exhibits 35 and 36, Bill Savings, and Reporting on the Participation of Community Based Organizations.

Teleconference Information: The meeting is accessible through teleconference. To use this option, please call: 1-888-269-8492 after hearing the prompt, enter the access code (#38056).

Working Group participation is open to the public and the meeting is wheelchair accessible. For more information contact Steve Rutledge of the Energy Division at (415) 703-1809, srj@cpuc.ca.gov.

Public Meeting

March 21, 2001

Lottery begins at 1:30 pm

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

The Telecommunications Division of the California Public Utilities Commission will be conducting a lottery to determine allocations of central office codes (NXXs) in the 209, 310, 323, 408, 415, 510, 530, 559, 619, 650, 707, 714, 760, 805, 818, 909, 916, 925, and 949 area codes pursuant to the provisions of D.96-09-087. Applications should be submitted to the California Code Administrator prior to the close of business on March 13, 2001. All companies applying for central office codes must have their Jeopardy COCUS (Central Office Code Utilization Survey) on file with the California Code Administrator. For information on the Jeopardy COCUS filing, call (925) 363-8736. For information on the lottery process, call (415) 703-3473. If specialized accommodations for the disabled are needed, call the Public Advisor at (415) 703-2032 five working days in advance of the event. Companies, who wish to have a sealed envelope prepared for them on an ongoing basis containing their confidential letter designations for each NPA lottery drawing, should submit such a request in writing. Requests should be submitted prior to the close of business on March 13, 2001 to: Lorann King, Telecommunications Division, California Public Utilities Commission, 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94102.

Public Meeting

March 22, 2001

10 am - 2 pm

1 Crow Canyon Court, Suite 110
San Ramon

The Payphone Service Providers Enforcement Committee (PSPEC) will hold its regular meeting to for both the Payphone Service Providers Enforcement (PSPE) and Public Policy Payphone Program (PPPP) to discuss the following: (PSPE) - Review/Approve January 29, 2001 Meeting Minutes; Review/Approve PSPE Program Reports, Financials, and Staffing; Set Future Agenda Items; Hear Public Comments; (PPPP) - Review/Approve

January 29, 2001 Meeting Minutes; Review/Approve PPPP Program Reports, Financials, and Staffing; and Set Future Agenda Items; and Hear Public Comments.

The Board will meet in Closed Session to: Review Personnel Issues.

The general meeting is open to the public. The Board reserves the right to limit the time allocated to public comments and each speaker. If you would like to receive an agenda or full meeting packet, please notify the PSPE office at (925) 855-3890 or e-mail PSP_Enforcement@yahoo.com.

Public Meeting Notice – Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program

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| <p>California Relay Service Advisory Committee (CRSAC) Meeting March 22, 2001 10 am – 4 pm</p> | <p>LAX Hilton 5711 West Century Boulevard, Newport E Room Los Angeles</p> |
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The California Relay Service Advisory Committee (CRSAC) of the Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will hold a meeting to address the following: I.) Routine Business, II.) Introductions, III.) Agenda Modifications and Approval, IV.) Public Input – Morning Session, V.) Review of Minutes of the Previous Meeting, VI.) CRS Report (Sprint and WorldCom Representatives), VII.) Data Report – Sprint, VIII.) 2. Data Report – WorldCom, IX.) Speech-to-Speech Report, X.) Executive Director’s Report, XI.) DDTP Staff Reports, XII.) Public Input, XIII.) Discussion of DDTP Relay Numbers in a Multi-vendor Environment, XIV.) Report on 1999 Vendors Outreach Disbursement, XV.) Presentation on Sprint Relay Agent Training Procedures, XVI.) Discussion of Scope and Responsibilities of RFP Subcommittee, XVII.) CRSAC Representative To DDTPAC, XVIII.) Future Meetings, XIX.) Report from CRSAC Representative to DDTPAC, XX.) Member Reports, and XXI.) Adjournment. For additional information, please call Laine Proctor, DDTP Committee Coordinator, at (510) 302-1100 VOICE, (510) 302-1101 TTY, or e-mail her at laine@ddtp.org. If you plan to attend the meeting and need sign language interpreters or other special communication accommodations, please call the DDTP office at least 5 days prior to the meeting date. You may also contact Laine to arrange to give public input via TTY or speakerphone during either the morning or the afternoon public input sessions.

Environmental Reminder: People with environmental illness or multiple chemical sensitivity must reduce their exposure in order to attend this meeting. Please refrain from wearing perfumes or scents to DDTP meetings.

Public Meeting Notice – Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program

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| <p>Equipment Program Advisory Committee (EPAC) Meeting March 23, 2001 1 pm – 5 pm</p> | <p>LAX Hilton 5711 West Century Boulevard, Newport E Room Los Angeles</p> |
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The Equipment Program Advisory Committee (EPAC) of the Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will hold a meeting to address the following: Administrative Business, II.) Agenda Modification and Approval, III.) Review of Minutes

from the Previous Meeting, IV.) Review of Action List Items, V.) Report from the Chair, VI.) Elections for Committee Officers, VII.) Executive Director’s Report, VIII.) DDTP Staff Reports, IX.) Public Input, X.) Equipment Program Manager’s Report, XI.) Standard Operating Procedure, XII.) Equipment Presentations: Blazie and Nu Vois, XIII.) Considering the CT10 for the Program, XIV.) Considering the Ablephone for the Program, XV.) Considering Wireless TTY Communication, XVI.) Policy Recommendations for Distribution of Portable VCO Devices, XVII.) Policy Recommendations for Distribution of Amplified Phones/ VCO Devices and Equipment for Additional Amplification, XVIII.) Other Business, XIX.) Member Reports, XX.) Review of consumer contact logs, XXI.) Requests for invention, XXII.) Suggested items for next month’s agenda, and XXIII.) Future meetings.

For additional information, please call Laine Proctor, DDTP Committee Coordinator, at (510) 302-1100 VOICE, (510) 302-1101 TTY, or e-mail her at laine@ddtp.org. If you plan to attend the meeting and need sign language interpreters or other special communication accommodations, please call the DDTP office at least 5 days prior to the meeting date. You may also contact Laine to arrange to give public input via TTY or speakerphone during either the morning or the afternoon public input sessions.

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Workshop Notice

March 28, 2001
9 am - 4 pm

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

The Telecommunications Division is holding a workshop to address issues related to the California Teleconnect Fund Program such as eligibility requirements for entities, additional eligible services, funding including raising or eliminating the funding cap, sunset for claim filings and offset rights for claim filings and surcharge revenues. The contact person for this meeting is Robert Weissman at (415) 703-1989.

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

NONE

NEW FILINGS

3/12/01 A01-03-015 Igor Skoro, dba Dalmatian Shuttle, for the authority to operate as a Passenger Stage Operation between points in San Francisco, San Mateo, Alameda, and Santa Clara Counties, on the one hand, and the San Francisco, San Jose and Oakland International Airports, on the other hand; and to Establish a Zone of Rate Freedom (101 W. Weddell Drive, No. A235, Sunnyvale, CA 94089; (408) 757-6252 or (408) 745-6541)

PETITIONS FOR MODIFICATION AND APPLICATIONS FOR REHEARING

NONE

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

NONE

ADVICE LETTER FILINGS

NONE

MISCELLANEOUS TRANSPORTATION ITEMS

Filings with Rail Safety and Carriers Division

03/13/01 TCP 14152-B Tomey Enterprises, Ltd.; DBA Tomey Tours Address: 11100 Valley Blvd., Suite 222, El Monte, California 91731; Telephone: (626)579-0098; Terminal Address: Same Application filed to transfer Class B authority from TCP 13385-B, Ving Yu Tam & Zhen Qiang Tan, DBA T & T Tours

03/13/01 TCP 14157-B Sanmo International Company Inc.; DBA Sanmo International Company; Address: 1038 Clement Street, San Francisco, California 94118; Telephone: (415) 379-9727; Terminal Address: 9957 Medford Avenue,

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| 03/13/01 | TCP 14159-B | Bldg 11, Oakland, California 94603; Application filed to transfer Class B authority from TCP 12980-B; Inna Yakubova, DBA: Sanmo International Company! , International Express Tours Charter, Inc., Address: 4630 Paula Street, Los Angeles, California 90032; Telephone: (213) 221-0071; Terminal Address: Same; Application filed for new Class B authority |
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MISCELLANEOUS TELECOMMUNICATION MATTERS

NONE

TABLE OF SUBMISSION DATES FOR THE PRECEDING TWO WEEKS

NONE

ADJOURNMENTS * RESETTINGS * SUBMISSIONS

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| A.00-11-004 | Correction to the Daily Calendar of 3/14/01 Duda – In the matter of the application of Pacific Bell Telephone Company for authority to categorize special access and ISDN Services as Category III Services, Prehearing Conference held and concluded |
| A.01-01-010 | Jones – Application by Pacific Bell Telephone Company (U 1001 C) for arbitration of an interconnection agreement with MCImetro Access Transmission Services, L.L.C. (U 5253 C) pursuant to Section 252(b) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, Arbitration Hearing held and continued to March 15 |
| A.01-01-021 | Correction to the Daily Calendar of 3/14/01 Barnett – Application of Southern California Gas Company (U 904 G) in compliance with Resolution G-3304 and of San Diego Gas and Electric Company (U 902 G) to consolidate their gas supply portfolios, Prehearing Conference held and concluded |

- A.01-02-015 Barnett – In the matters of Southern California Gas Company Advice Letters 2978, 2978-A, 2979, and 2979-A requesting emergency temporary tariff deviations for its core service and its core subscription service respectively,
Prehearing Conference held and submitted
- I.97-07-018 Ryerson – Investigation on the Commission’s own motion into the operations, practices, rates and charges of the Hillview Water Company, Inc., a corporation, and Roger L. Forrester, the principal shareholder and president,
Public Participation Hearing held and no report given
- R.01-01-001 Brown – Order instituting rulemaking to review the affiliate transaction rules,
Prehearing Conference held and completed
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REMOVALS FROM CALENDAR

NONE

NEW SETTINGS

3/26/01 11:00 a.m. (TELEPHONIC PHC) – Joint Application of
ALJ Bennett A.00-05-043 Southern California Water Company (U 133 W) and
Comr Duque Peerless Water Company (U 335 W) for approval of a
plan of merger of Southern California Water Company
and Peerless Water Company,
Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

(also (EH) March 27 – 29, commencing at
10:00 a.m. on March 27)
Commission Offices
State Office Building
320 West. 4th Street, Suite 500
Los Angeles, CA

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| 3/15/01 | 9:00 a.m. | (TELEPHONIC) Continued Hearing on Demurrer – Lodi Gas Storage, LLC, a Delaware Limited Liability Company, Complainant vs. Perman Family, L.P., a California Limited Partnership; James G. Firpo; Joanne Firpo Watson; Michele Firpo-Cappiello; Gregory Firpo; Meri Firpo, |
| ALJ Prestidge | C.01-01-004 | Commission Courtroom, San Francisco |
| Comr Bilas | | (also (Telephonic Law & Motion) March 20 at 10:00 a.m.) |
| | | (also Continued Hearing on April 17 – 19 at 10:00 a.m.) |
| | | City of Manteca Council Chambers |
| | | City Hall |
| | | 1001 West Center Street |
| | | Manteca, CA |

LAW AND MOTION

Law and Motion Hearings are held before **Administrative Law Judge Victor Ryerson** 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.

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| 2/27/01 | 10:00 a.m. | NONE SCHEDULED |
| 3/6/01 | 10:00 a.m. | NONE SCHEDULED |
| 3/13/01 | 10:00 a.m. | NONE SCHEDULED |

FINAL ORAL ARGUMENTS

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| 3/26/01 | 10:00 a.m. | (FOA) – Application of Southern California Edison Company (E 3338-E) for authority to institute a rate stabilization plan with a rate increase and end of rate freeze tariffs, |
| ALJ Walwyn | A.00-11-038 | |
| Comr Lynch | | |
| | A.00-11-056 | (FOA) – Emergency application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company to adopt a rate stabilization plan, |

A.00-10-028 (FOA) – Petition of The Utility Reform Network for modification of Resolution E-3527, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

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 (FOA) = Final Oral Argument
(EH) = Evidentiary Hearing (WS) = Workshop
(PPH) = Public Participation Hearing (FPH) = Full Panel Hearing
(IAM) = Initial Arbitration Meeting (AH) = Arbitration Hearing
(M) = Mediation (CA) = Closing Argument

3/15/01 9:00 a.m. (TELEPHONIC) Continued Hearing on Demurrer - Lodi Gas Storage, LLC, a Delaware Limited Liability Company, Complainant vs. Perman Family, L.P., a California Limited Partnership; James G. Firpo; Joanne Firpo Watson; Michele Firpo-Cappiello; Gregory Firpo; Meri Firpo, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (Telephonic Law & Motion) March 20 at 10:00 a.m.)

(also Continued Hearing on April 17 – 19 at 10:00 a.m.) City of Manteca Council Chambers City Hall 1001 West Center Street Manteca, CA

3/15/01 9:30 a.m. (AH) – Application by Pacific Bell Telephone Company (U 1001 C) for arbitration of an interconnection agreement with MCImetro Access Transmission Services, L.L.C. (U 5253 C) pursuant to Section 252(b) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also March 16; March 19 – 23; March 26 – 27)

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| 3/19/01 ALJ Duda Comr Duque | 2:00 p.m. A.01-03-004 | (IAM) – Petition of Pacific Bell Telephone Company (U 1001 C) for Arbitration of an Interconnection Agreement with Supra Telecommunications and Information Systems, Inc. (U 6100 C) Pursuant to Section 252(b) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco |
| 3/20/01 ALJ Bushey Comr Duque | 1:30 p.m. A.99-05-023 | (PHC) – Application of Antelope Valley Water Company (U-281-W) for Authority to Increase Rates Charged for Water Services as Authorized by NOI 99-03-057, Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles State Office Building 320 West 4th Street Los Angeles, CA |
| 3/20/01 ALJ Ryerson Comr Duque | 10:00 a.m. I.97-07-018 | (EH) – Investigation on the Commission’s own motion into the operations, practices, rates and charges of the Hillview Water Company, Inc., a corporation, and Roger L. Forrester, the principal shareholder and president, (also (EH) March 21 – 22 at 10:00 a.m. Commission Courtroom, San Francisco) |
| 3/21/01 ALJ Walker Comr Bilas | 10:00 a.m. A.00-06-023 | (PHC) - In the matter of the application of Southern California Gas Company regarding year six (1999-2000) under its experimental gas cost incentive mechanism and related gas supply matters, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco |
| 3/21/01 ALJ Vieth Comr Duque | 10:00 a.m. A.00-09-048 | (PHC) – In the matter of the application of the Southern California Water Company (U 133 W) for authority to establish a lifeline rate for residential domestic water service in Region III, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (EH) April 25 – 26 at 10:00 a.m.) |
| 3/21/01 ALJ Bushey Comr Bilas | 11:00 a.m. C.01-01-013 | (ECP) - Allan Kretzmar vs. Judith Feinstein-Williby, Jim Williby, Stephen Williby, Frank Camarillo, dba WorldWide Cellular, Commission Courtroom State Office Building 320 West 4th Street Los Angeles, CA |

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| 3/21/01 ALJ Grau Comr Duque | 1:00 p.m. C.01-01-016 | (EH) - Lynn R. and Roma Buehler, et. al. vs. Burlington Northern & Santa Fe Railway Company, City of San Bernardino Council Chambers 300 North "D" Street San Bernardino, CA |
| 3/22/01 ALJ Pulsifer Comr Wood | 2:00 p.m. A.00-12-012 | (PPH) – In the matter of the application of Verizon Select Services, Inc. (U 5494 C) to transfer California customer base and withdraw the provision of local service, Hall of Administration Board of Supervisors Chamber 500 West Temple Street, Room 381-B Los Angeles, CA |
| | 7:00 p.m. March 22, 2001 | City of San Bernardino Council Chambers 300 North "D" Street San Bernardino, CA |
| 3/26/01 ALJ McVicar Comr Wood | 9:00 a.m. A.00-05-015 | (EH) – Application of Citizens Utilities Company of California (U-87-W), a California corporation, and California-American Water Company, a California corporation, for each of the following orders: 1. Authorizing Citizens Utilities Company of California to sell and to transfer all of its water utility assets and indebtedness to California-American Water Company; 2. Authorizing California-American Water Company to acquire all of the water utility assets and indebtedness of Citizens Utilities Company of California and thereafter to engage in and carry on the water utility business and service to the customers of Citizens Utilities Company of California; 3. Authorizing Citizens Utilities Company of California to withdraw from the water utility business; and 4. For related relief, |

A.00-05-016 **(EH)** – Application of SJW Corp., a California corporation, San Jose Water Company (U-168-W), a California corporation, SJW Acquisition Corp., a Delaware corporation, and California-American Water Company, (U 210-W), a California corporation, for each of the following orders:

1. Authorizing SJW Acquisition Corp., to merge with and into SJW Corp., with SJW Corp. as the surviving corporation;
2. Authorizing SJW Corp. thereafter to merge San Jose Water Company with and into California-American Water Company, with California-American Water Company as the surviving corporation thereafter to carry on the water utility business and service to the customers of San Jose Water Company;
3. Authorizing San Jose Water Company to withdraw from the water utility business; and
4. For related relief,

**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
(also March 27-28; March 30)**

3/26/01 11:00 a.m.
ALJ Bennett A.00-05-043
Comr Duque

(TELEPHONIC PHC) – Joint Application of Southern California Water Company (U 133 W) and Peerless Water Company (U 335 W) for approval of a plan of merger of Southern California Water Company and Peerless Water Company,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

(also (EH) March 27 – 29, commencing at 10:00 a.m. on March 27)

**Commission Offices
State Office Building
320 West. 4th Street, Suite 500
Los Angeles, CA**

3/27/01 10:00 a.m.
ALJ Thomas A.00-07-001
Comr Bilas

(PHC) – Application of Sierra Pacific Power Company for approval of a proposed distribution performance-based ratemaking mechanism supported by a cost of service study,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

(also (EH) April 2 – 6 from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.)

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| 3/28/01 ALJ Jones Comr Bilas | 1:30 p.m. R.93-04-003 | (PHC) – 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, |
| | I.93-04-002 (permanent line sharing) | (PHC) – Investigation on the Commission’s own motion into open access and network architecture development of dominant carrier networks, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco |
| 3/28/01 ALJ Walker Comr Duque | 1:30 p.m. A.00-11-053 | (PHC) – Application of Del Oro Water Co., Inc. (U-61-W) for a determination by the Commission that certain main extension agreements between itself and others are neither invalid nor fail to comply with the Utility’s Rule 15 and/or the Commission’s decisions, rules, and regulations pertaining to water main extension agreements, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco |
| 3/29/01 ALJ O’Donnell Comr Duque | 9:30 a.m. A.00-09-009 | (EH) – In the matter of the application of California Water Service Company (U 60 W), a corporation, for an order authorizing it to increase rates charged for water service in the Palos Verdes District and establishing the “Base Year 2000” revenue requirements, |
| | A.00-09-010 | (EH) – In the matter of the application of California Water Service Company (U 60 W), a corporation, for an order authorizing it to increase rates charged for water service in the Bakersfield district, |
| | A.00-09-011 | (EH) – In the matter of the application of California Water Service Company (U 60 W), a corporation, for an order establishing “Base Year 2000” revenue requirements for water service in the Hermosa-Redondo District and the general office operations, |
| | A.00-09-012 | (EH) – In the matter of the application of California Water Service Company (U 60 W), a corporation, for an order authorizing it to increase rates charged for water service in the South San Francisco District, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also March 30; May 1 - 2) |

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| 3/29/01 ALJ Duda Comr Duque | 2:00 p.m. A.00-01-012 | (IAM) – In the matter of Covad Communications Company’s petition for arbitration of interconnection agreement with Roseville Telephone Company, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco |
| 3/29/01 ALJ Walker Comr Duque | 1:30 p.m. A.00-12-014 | (PHC) – Application of the Glen Ellen Water Co., LLC to sell, and of the Sonoma Springs Water Company, LLC to buy, the water system located at and around 1651 Warm Springs Road, Glen Ellen, CA, near the Community of Kenwood, County of Sonoma, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco |
| 4/3/01 ALJ Walker Comr Duque | 2:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. A.00-12-011 | (PPH) – In the matter of the application of the Donner Lake Water Company (U 84-W) to issue evidence of indebtedness (Promissory Notes and Loan Agreements) in the approximate amount of \$12,000,000 and to grant security interest in its assets for capital expenditures within its Donner Lake Service Area, Truckee Donner Public Utility District 11570 Donner Pass Road Truckee, CA (also (EH) April 4 – 6 ; 10:00 a.m., also at the above location) |
| 4/3/01 ALJ Bushey Comr Wood | 9:00 a.m. C.00-12-003 | (ECP) – Kathleen Coakley vs. Pacific Bell Telephone Company, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco |
| 4/6/01 ALJ Patrick Comr Wood | 11:00 a.m. A.00-09-001 A.00-09-014 A.00-10-008 | (PHC) – Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company in the 2000 Annual Transition Cost Proceeding for the record period July 1, 1999, through June 30, 2000, (PHC) – Application of Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) to review and recover Transition Cost Balancing Account entries from July 1, 1999 through June 30, 2000 and various generation-related memorandum account entries, (PHC) – Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company (U 902-E) in the third annual transition cost proceeding addressing (1) the Transition Cost Balancing Account (TCBA), and (2) the |

reasonableness of San Diego Gas & Electric Company's energy procurement practices,
Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
(also (EH) May 14 – 18; May 21 – 25 at 10:00 a.m.)

4/9/01 10:00 a.m. (PHC) – Application of Pacific Pipeline System LLC
ALJ Thomas A.99-11-027 for authorization pursuant to Public Utilities Code
Comr Wood Section 851 et seq. to permit the use of certain fiber
optic telecommunications facilities,
Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

4/9/01 9:00 a.m. (ECP) – Daniel S. Venturi vs. Verizon,
ALJ Ryerson C.01-02-016 **Traffic Court Building**
680 5th Street
Crescent City, CA

4/11/01 10:00 a.m. (STATUS CONFERENCE) – In the matter of the
ALJ Thomas A.00-09-028 application of Verizon California, Inc. (U-1002-C) for
Comr Wood approval to transfer intrastate advanced data service
assets to Verizon Advanced Data Inc.,
Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

4/16/01 10:00 a.m. (EH) – Investigation into Commonwealth Energy
ALJ O'Donnell I.99-06-036 Corporation's operations and practices in connection
Comr Lynch with providing service as an electricity service
provider under Registration No. 1092,
Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
(also April 17 – 19 at 9:30 a.m.)

4/26/01 7:00 p.m. (PPH) – Application of Citizens Utilities Company of
ALJ Bennett A.00-10-049 California for approval of its water system master plan
Comr Duque update for its Montara District,
Farallone View Elementary School
Le Conte Avenue and Kanoff Street
Montara, CA

(also (EH) May 14 – 16 commencing at 10:00 a.m.)

4/26/01 9:30 a.m. (PHC) – Investigation on the Commission's own
ALJ Econome I.00-11-052 motion into the operations, practices, and conduct of
Comr Wood Qwest Communications Corporation (Qwest), U-5335-
C and its wholly owned subsidiary, LCI International
Telecommunications Corporation, doing business as
Qwest Communications Services (LCIT), U-5270-C to
determine whether Qwest and LCIT have violated the

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

NONE

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.

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| 03/09/01 | R97-10-016 | Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking, on the Commission's Own Motion into monitoring performance of operations support systems |
| | I97-10-017 | Commission Order Instituting Investigation, on the Commission's Own Motion into monitoring performance of operations support systems |

Summary: On March 6, 2001, Darlene Clark, Senior Attorney, AT&T Communications of California, Inc. (AT&T), sent a letter (attached to the notice) to Cmmr. Bilas. Copies of the letter were also sent to Lester Wong, advisor to Cmmr. Bilas, Cmmr. Lynch, Cmmr. Duque, Cmmr. Wood, Cmmr. Brown and ALJ Reed. The letter was sent on behalf of AT&T, Allegiance Telecom, Inc. of California, ICG Telecom Group, Inc., New Edge Networks, Inc., PacWest Telecomm, Inc., Worldcom, Inc. and XO California, Inc. In the letter, Clark stated that the Commission should reject the March 2, 2001 motion filed by Pacific Bell. Clark urged the Commission to continue the agreed-upon procedure.

Filer: AT&T Communications of California, Inc.

Contact: Doretta Dea

Phone: (415) 442-2985

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| 03/09/01 | A00-02-035 | San Jose Water Company, for authority to increase rates charged for water service in the amount of \$14,093,000 or 12.63% in year 2001; \$2,950,000 or 2.34% in year 2002; and \$3,193,000 in year 2003 |
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Summary: LATE FILED. AUGMENTATION REQUIRED. On March 5, 2001, Richard Roth, Chief Executive Officer of San Jose Water Company (SJW), met with Cmmr. Bilas. Also present were: Julie Halligan and Lester Wong, advisors to Cmmr. Bilas, and Palle Jensen, Director of Regulatory Affairs, and Lenard Weiss, attorney, for SJW. SJW representatives expressed their concern with continuing delays in the resolution of this matter. SJW representatives commented that the allowed rate of return on equity in the proposed decision is within the range of reasonableness and is consistent with the applicable economic data.

Filer: San Jose Water Company

Contact: Lenard Weiss

Phone: (415) 788-0900

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| 03/09/01 | A00-11-038 | Southern California Edison Company, for authority to institute a rate stabilization plan with a rate increase and end of rate freeze tariffs |
| | A00-11-056 | Pacific Gas and Electric Company, emergency application to adopt a rate stabilization plan |
| | A00-10-028 | The Utility Reform Network, for Modification of Resolution E-3527 |

Summary: On March 6, 2001, Les Guliasi, Director, Regulatory Relations, Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E), met with Cmmr. Bilas and Cmmr. Brown in two separate meetings in San Francisco. At the meeting with Cmmr. Bilas also present was Ann Watson, advisor to Cmmr. Bilas and at the meeting with Cmmr. Brown – David Gamson, advisor to Cmmr. Brown. Guliasi stated that PG&E took steps to reduce staffing levels only because of the liquidity crisis it faces. Guliasi stated that the proposed decision does not adequately recognize the gravity of PG&E's financial crisis, and that forcing PG&E to maintain staffing and service levels interferes with management's discretion to run the business. Guliasi noted that the Commission has given the company mixed signals with respect to how it should manage and conserve its cash resources. Guliasi stated that by requiring PG&E to refund any cost savings, the Commission has eliminated the company's incentive to cut costs through gains in efficiency. Guliasi argued that the monthly reporting requirement is unwarranted.

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Summary: On March 7, 2001, Rose Johnson, Government Affairs Vice President, AT&T Communications of California, Inc. (AT&T), met with Cmmr. Bilas in San Francisco. Also present were Lester Wong, advisor to Cmmr. Bilas, and Darlene Clark, Senior Attorney, AT&T. Johnson and Clark stated that the Commission should reject the March 2, 2001 motion filed by Pacific Bell. Johnson urged the Commission to continue the agreed-upon procedure.

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| 03/12/01 | A01-01-024 | Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for an immediate finding of a gas supply emergency and an order directing Southern California Gas Company to provide mutual assistance |
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Summary: On March 7, 2001, Brian Cherry, Manager, Regulatory Relations, Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E), met with Cmmr. Brown in San Francisco. Also present was David Gamson, advisor to Cmmr. Brown. Cherry described PG&E's methods to secure additional gas supplies to meet core demand. Cherry explained that while the winter heating season is ending, PG&E continues to face supply shortfalls during the summer injection season. Cherry emphasized that the Commission should continue to give serious consideration to providing PG&E with as many tools as possible to manage this crisis, including ordering Southern California Gas Company to provide assurance during a gas emergency.

Filer: Pacific Gas and Electric Company

Contact: Michelle Brown

Phone: (415) 972-5611

03/12/01 A00-02-035 San Jose Water Company, for authority to increase rates charged for water service in the amount of \$14,093,000 or 12.63% in year 2001; \$2,950,000 or 2.34% in year 2002; and \$3,193,000 in year 2003

Summary: On March 7, 2001, Peter Fairchild of the Office of Ratepayer Advocates met with Cmmr. Bilas in San Francisco. Also present were Julie Halligan and Lester Wong, advisors to Cmmr. Bilas. Fairchild indicated that the proposed decision (PD) overlooks that interest rates are much lower today than they were four years ago when San Jose Water Company (SJW) was authorized a return of equity of 10.20 percent. Fairchild stated that a return on equity of 10.20 percent is far in excess of what SJW needs to maintain its credit. Fairchild added that, by failing to state a finding of fact or conclusion of law on each material issue, the PD contravenes Section 1705 of the Public Utilities Code.

Filer: Office of Ratepayer Advocates

Contact: Peter Fairchild

Phone: (415) 703-2049

03/12/01 A01-01-044 San Diego Gas & Electric Company, for Authority to Implement an Electric Rate Surcharge to Manage the Balance in the Energy Rate Ceiling Revenue Shortfall Account

Summary: On March 9, 2001, Norman Furuta, Associate Counsel, Counsel for Federal Executive Agencies, contacted Laura Krannawitter, advisor to Cmmr. Duque, by e-mail with a written copy (attached to the notice) sent by U.S. mail. Referring to a request for more information about proposals to create core and non-core electric tariffs for customers of San Diego Gas & Electric Company, the letter identified in more detail where such proposals are set forth.

Filer: Federal Executive Agencies

Contact: Norman Furuta

Phone: (650) 244-2100

03/13/01 A99-03-025 Roseville Telephone Company, to review its New

Regulatory Framework

Summary: On March 8, 2001, Greg Gierczak, Executive Director-Regulatory of Roseville Telephone Company, met with Thomas Long, advisor to Cmmr. Lynch, in San Francisco. Also present was Jonathan Lakritz, advisor to Cmmr. Wood. Gierczak stated that the proposed decision (PD) appropriately applies to Roseville the prior decision with respect to the New Regulatory Framework (NRF) structure and policies. Gierczak said that it is appropriate to suspend sharing for Roseville now. Gierczak urged the Commission to reject the Office of Ratepayer Advocates' (ORA) suggestion that sharing must be in place for the same period of years as it was for Pacific. Gierczak explained that changes to NRF must be based on the conditions and environment in which a company operates. Gierczak noted that the proposed finding of fact in the PD that Roseville's earnings are above the sharing threshold is due to the impact of an accounting change pronouncement, SOP 98-1, and not a result of misallocations and cross-subsidization as ORA claims. Gierczak explained that the three-factor formula is the appropriate method for allocating common costs between Roseville and its affiliates.

Filer: Roseville Telephone Company

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