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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Order Instituting Rulemaking to
Establish Policies, Processes, and Rules
Regarding Autonomous Vehicle
Passenger Transportation Service.

Rulemaking 25-08-013

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING SETTING PREHEARING
CONFERENCE**

1. Notice

This *Ruling* sets a prehearing conference (PHC) for January 9, 2026, at 10:30 am to determine the parties, the positions of the parties, the scope and schedule of the proceeding, and other procedural matters. The PHC will take place in person at the Commission's auditorium, located at 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, California.

The agenda for the PHC is as follows:

1. Introductory Remarks and Ground Rules
2. Appearances and Service List
3. Categorization
4. Issues in Scope
5. Proceeding Schedule
6. The Need for Evidentiary Hearings
7. Closing Remarks.

2. Potential Discussion Topics

Potential discussion topics for the PHC will be identified in a subsequent ruling.

3. Procedural Matters

By January 7, 2026, parties are instructed to email the assigned ALJ and Commissioner the names of the individuals expected to speak at the PHC.

Parties desiring expedited transcripts should advise the Chief Hearing Reporter via email at reporting@cpuc.ca.gov, no later than three days prior to the PHC.

IT IS RULED.

Dated December 17, 2025, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ ROBERT M. MASON III

Robert M. Mason III
Administrative Law Judge