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**IN THE MATTER OF:**

*2024 Integrated Energy Policy Report
Update (2024 IEPR Update)*

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NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY AND
PROPOSED ADOPTION

Notice of Availability and Proposed Adoption of the *Final 2024 Integrated Energy Policy Report Update*

The lead commissioner for the 2024 Integrated Energy Policy Report Update (2024 IEPR Update), Chair David Hochschild, seeks public comment on the *Final 2024 IEPR Update* report and proposes that it be considered for adoption on October 8, 2025. The *Final 2024 IEPR Update* is available on the California Energy Commission's (CEC's) 2024 IEPR Update [web page](https://www.energy.ca.gov/data-reports/reports/integrated-energy-policy-report/2024-integrated-energy-policy-report-update) at <https://www.energy.ca.gov/data-reports/reports/integrated-energy-policy-report/2024-integrated-energy-policy-report-update>.

Background

Public Resources Code (PRC) Section 25301 requires the CEC to prepare an Integrated Energy Policy Report (IEPR) every two years that includes assessments and forecasts of all aspects of energy industry supply, production, transportation, delivery and distribution, demand, and prices. The CEC uses these assessments and forecasts to develop and evaluate energy policies and programs that conserve resources, protect the environment, ensure energy reliability, enhance the state's economy, and protect public health and safety. Further, PRC Section 25302(c) requires the CEC to prepare an update in alternate years to report on issues raised in the biennial IEPR or to identify new energy issues that have arisen during the intervening year. The *Final 2024 IEPR Update* will fulfill that requirement.

PRC Section 25302(e) directs state government entities to use the information and analyses contained in the adopted IEPR or IEPR Update to carry out their energy-related duties and responsibilities. The CEC has coordinated closely with other agencies to ensure consistency in the underlying information used to develop this report.

The IEPR lead commissioner issued a [scoping order](https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/GetDocument.aspx?tn=255866&DocumentContentId=91717), available at <https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/GetDocument.aspx?tn=255866&DocumentContentId=91717>, on April 22, 2024, identifying topics for the report. As detailed in the scoping order, the *Final 2024 IEPR Update* addresses:

- An updated 15-year electricity demand forecast using current demographic and economic data, including scenarios that reflect decarbonization strategies and projected growth from emerging sectors such as data centers.
- SB 605 (Padilla, Chapter 405, Statutes of 2023), which requires the CEC, in consultation with other state agencies pursuant to Public Resources Code, section 25996(a), to evaluate wave and tidal energy development in California, including feasibility, infrastructure, workforce, and ecosystem impacts. The evaluation also included input from California Native American tribes shared during a CEC-hosted workshop.

The report also includes an appendix on Western Electricity Markets, which summarizes the workshop held on January 24, 2025.

The CEC held seven workshops and one webinar between May 2024 and January 2025 on the topics identified in the scoping order. Information from the workshops and public comments were key inputs in developing the *Draft 2024 IEPR Update*, which was published for further, extended public comment on November 26, 2024. All workshop documents including agendas, background material, transcripts, presentations, and public comments, are available on the CEC's 2024 IEPR Update [web page](https://www.energy.ca.gov/data-reports/reports/integrated-energy-policy-report/2024-integrated-energy-policy-report-update) at <https://www.energy.ca.gov/data-reports/reports/integrated-energy-policy-report/2024-integrated-energy-policy-report-update>. The webpage contains Docket No. 24-IEPR-01 and related docket proceedings.

Public Comment

Written comments must be submitted to the Docket Unit by 5:00 p.m. on **October 6, 2025**.

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Availability of Documents

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