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Repeated Applications for Confidential Designation Docket No: 13-ATTCP-01

Dear Mr. Hartley:

The California Energy Commission (CEC) has received two Applications for Confidentiality submitted by the California State Pipe Trades Council (applicant) and docketed on October 23, 2025 (TN 266786) and October 24, 2025 (TN 266828). Both filings were made pursuant to California Code of Regulations, title 20, section 2505(a)(4), as repeated applications for confidentiality for instructional materials associated with the Acceptance Test Technician Certification Provider (ATTCP) Program.

The applications identify the following documents:

- 2025 Student Manual Clean 10.23 (531 pages, dated October 23, 2025),
 2025 Student Manual with updates
- 2025 ATE Training 10.23 (63 pages, dated October 23, 2025), ATE training materials
- 2025 Student Manual Clean 10.24 (533 pages, dated October 24, 2025), revised Student Manual for 2025

The applicant certifies under penalty of perjury that each document listed above is substantially similar to materials previously granted confidential designation by the CEC on April 15, 2020 (TN 232747) and that all facts and circumstances relevant to confidentiality remain unchanged.

The applicant states that the records were previously determined by the CEC's executive director to be confidential for as long as the testing program is in place. (13-ATTCP-01, TN # 232747). The applicant asserts, under penalty of perjury, that the documents submitted contain information substantially similar to previously submitted information that was granted confidential designation, and all facts and circumstances relevant to the confidentiality of the information remain unchanged.

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California Code of Regulations title 20, section 2505(a)(4) provides:

If an applicant is seeking a confidential designation for information that is substantially similar to information that was previously deemed confidential by the Commission pursuant to section 2508, or for which an application for confidential designation was granted by the Executive Director pursuant to subdivision (a)(3)(A) of this section, the new application need contain only a certification, executed under penalty of perjury, stating that the information submitted is substantially similar to the previously submitted information and that all the facts and circumstances relevant to confidentiality remain unchanged. An application meeting these criteria will be approved.

The applicant has met the requirements for confidential designation of the above information as a repeated application. Confidentiality is granted for as long as the testing program is in place, under the same terms as those in the initial letter granting confidentiality.

Be advised that under California Code of Regulations, title 20, section 2506, one may petition to inspect or copy records that the CEC has designated as confidential. A decision on a petition to inspect or copy confidential records is issued by the CEC's chief counsel. Under California Code of Regulations, title 20, section 2507, the executive director may disclose records, or release records previously designated as confidential, in certain circumstances. The procedures for acting on a petition and criteria for disclosing or releasing records previously designated as confidential are set forth in California Code of Regulations, title 20, sections 2506-2508.

If you have questions, please email confidentialityapplication@energy.ca.gov.