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In the matter of:)	Docket No. 16-OIR-01
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Developing Regulations, Guidelines)	WORKSHOP
and Policies for Implementing)	RE: Publicly Owned Utility
SB 350 and AB 802)	Integrated Resource Plans

Notice of Lead Commissioner Workshop

The California Energy Commission will conduct a public workshop to discuss and seek comments from interested parties regarding the development of guidelines for and review of integrated resource plans (IRP) from local publicly owned electric utilities (POUs) pursuant to Senate Bill 350 (de León, Chapter 547, Statutes of 2015). The public is invited to attend the workshop, which will be held on:

Monday, April 18, 2016
10:00 a.m.

CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION
1516 Ninth Street
Arthur Rosenfeld Hearing Room, First Floor
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Agenda

The purpose of this workshop is to receive presentations from POUs required to file IRPs with the Energy Commission pursuant to SB 350 (de León, Chapter 547, Statutes of 2015). These presentations should discuss:

- Ongoing IRP efforts and processes being undertaken by the state's POUs.
- How state energy and environmental policies are incorporated into IRPs and procurement decisions.
- How the guidelines, filings, and the review process can be designed and/or implemented so as to both leverage ongoing and anticipated POU planning efforts and facilitate meeting the state's energy and environmental goals.

Background

Senate Bill 350 requires the Energy Commission to produce guidelines for and to review IRPs from POU's. Those POU's with an average load greater than 700 GWh (in the 2013-2016 period) are required to adopt IRPs and submit them to the Energy Commission by January 1, 2019, and update them at least once every 5 years thereafter. Based on historical data, 16 POU's are expected to be required to file an IRP. The Energy Commission may review and advise on the plans, and may adopt guidelines to "govern the submission of information" for this review.

IRPs are comprehensive electricity system planning documents intended to ensure that POU's lay out the resource needs, policy goals, physical and operational constraints, and general priorities or proposed resource choices of an electric utility, including customer-side preferred resources. These plans will provide a framework to evaluate how utilities have chosen to align with greenhouse gas (GHG) emission reduction targets as well as energy and other policy goals outlined in Senate Bill 350, including but not limited to:

- Reductions in electricity sector GHG emissions commensurate with economy-wide reductions of 40 percent from 1990 levels by 2030
- A renewables portfolio standard of 50 percent by 2030
- Energy efficiency, gas use efficiency and vehicle electrification targets

Public Comment

Oral comments. The Lead Commissioner will accept oral comments during the workshop. Comments may be limited to three minutes per speaker. Any comments will become part of the public record in this proceeding.

Written comments. Written comments prior to the workshop should be submitted to the Dockets Unit by 4:00 p.m. on April 14, 2016. Written comments to be considered after the workshop must be submitted by 5:00 p.m. on May 19th, 2016. For additional information, see Standing Order re: Proceedings and Confidentiality Procedural Requirements for Filing, Service, and Docketing Documents with the Energy Commission, available at: www.energy.ca.gov/commission/chief_counsel/docket.html.

Additionally, written comments may be posted to the Energy Commission's website for the proceeding. Please note that your written and oral comments, attachments, and associated contact information (for example, your address, phone, email, and so forth) become part of the viewable public record. This information may become available via Google, Yahoo, and any other search engines.

The Energy Commission encourages comments by e-mail. Please include your name and any organization name. Comments should be in a downloadable, searchable format such as Microsoft® Word (.doc) or Adobe® Acrobat® (.pdf). Please include the docket number 16-OIR-01 and indicate Developing Regulations, Guidelines and Policies for

Implementing SB 350 and AB 802 – Integrated Resource Planning in the subject line.
Send comments to:

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If you prefer, you may send a paper copy of your comments to:

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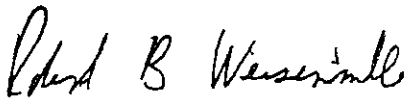
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Availability of Documents

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