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## **eliminate gas energy in new buildings**

California must move away from methane and transition toward zero-emission homes and businesses. This will improve air quality and safety in our communities. There is no reason, especially in California, where we have the public and political will as well as abundant solar energy, to still be creating new homes that heat with natural gas.

I urge the Commission to prioritize building decarbonization and identify more strategies that will jumpstart electrification.

It's clear that electrifying over 13 million homes and buildings across the state will take all hands on deck. The IEPR should help prompt a successful transition toward zero-emission buildings.