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In the matter of:)	Docket No.18-RPS-02
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Renewables Portfolio Standard Compliance)	NOTICE OF BUSINESS MEETING
Period 2 (2014-2016))	RE: Adoption of the Renewables
)	Portfolio Standard 2014-2016
)	Verification Results for Publicly
)	Owned Electric Utilities Staff Draft
)	Reports

Notice to Consider Adoption of the *Renewables Portfolio Standard Verification Results for Local Publicly Owned Electric Utilities for Compliance Period 2 (2014-2016) Staff Draft Reports*

The Energy Commission will hold a business meeting on:

Tuesday, March 12, 2019
 10:00 a.m.
 CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION
 1516 Ninth Street
 First Floor, Art Rosenfeld Hearing Room
 Sacramento, California 95814
 (Wheelchair Accessible)

As part of the March 12, 2019, Business Meeting, the California Energy Commission will consider adopting the *Renewables Portfolio Standard Verification Results for Publicly Owned Electric Utilities, Staff Draft Reports (RPS POU Verification Results Reports)* for 40 local publicly owned electric utilities (POU).

More information about the March 12, 2019, Business Meeting, including the full agenda and instructions for participation is available on the Energy Commission’s website at https://www.energy.ca.gov/business_meetings/.

Background

The proposed *RPS POU Verification Results Reports* detail verification findings of renewable energy procurement claims submitted by POU’s for Compliance Period 2 (CP 2) of the Renewables Portfolio Standard (RPS), covering the years 2014-2016. A total of 43 POU’s reported claims for CP 2, and staff has finalized verification findings for 40

POUs. The remaining POUs' *RPS POU Verification Results Reports* will be considered for adoption at a future business meeting.

The Energy Commission verifies the RPS procurement claims of both retail sellers and POUs. The *Enforcement Procedures for the Renewables Portfolio Standard for Local Publicly Owned Electric Utilities* establishes the rules and procedures by which the Energy Commission assesses a POU's compliance with RPS procurement requirements. The methods used by the Energy Commission to verify procurement claims for RPS program participants are generally described in the *Renewables Portfolio Standard Eligibility Guidebook, Ninth Edition (Revised)* and further detailed in the *Renewables Portfolio Standard Verification Methodology Report, Second Edition*. These documents can be found at <https://www.energy.ca.gov/portfolio/>.

The verification results included in the 40 *RPS POU Verification Results Draft Reports* provide the following information:

- The amount of eligible renewable energy procured by the POU.
- The Portfolio Content Category classification of eligible renewable energy claims.
- The POU's procurement target and portfolio balance requirements.
- Any optional compliance measures being applied by the POU.
- Excess procurement above RPS program requirements, which may be applied to a future compliance period.

Summary claims details tables are posted to provide detailed information about the corresponding *RPS POU Verification Results Report*. The summary claims details provide the RPS claims reported by each POU for CP 2, and includes detailed information on claims deemed eligible, claims determined to be ineligible, and claims withdrawn by the reporting POU.

On February 14, 2019, the *RPS POU Verification Results Draft Reports* were posted for public comment. Two public comments were received. Staff considered these comments and determined that no changes to the *RPS POU Verification Results Draft Reports* were needed. The *RPS POU Verification Results Draft Reports* are available at https://www.energy.ca.gov/portfolio/documents/rps_verification_pous.html.

Public Comment

Oral comments. The Energy Commission will accept oral comments during the meeting. Comments may be limited to three minutes per speaker. All comments will become part of the public record in this proceeding.

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If you have questions on the subject matter of this item being heard at the meeting, please contact Theresa Daniels at Theresa.Daniels@energy.ca.gov or (916) 654-4669.

Dated: March 1, 2019, at Sacramento, CA

 for Natalie Lee

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