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#### **Purpose**

CalCERTS, Inc. has submitted an application for approval as a HERS Provider and residential data registry for the 2019 Building Energy Efficiency Standards.

ConSol Home Energy Efficiency Rating Services (CHEERS), Inc. has submitted an application for approval as a HERS Provider and residential data registry for the 2019 Building Energy Efficiency Standards.

Energy Commission staff is seeking public comment on these proposed applications which will inform staff's review and evaluation of the proposed applications as they relate to California Code of Regulations, Title 20, Section 1674 and Title 24, Part 1, Section 10-109.

The non-confidential parts of the applications can be viewed at <a href="https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Lists/DocketLog.aspx?docketnumber=19-HERS-01">https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Lists/DocketLog.aspx?docketnumber=19-HERS-01</a>.

### **Background**

California Code of Regulations, Title 24, Part 1, Chapter 10, Section 10-109, specifies that the Energy Commission may approve residential data registries that provide for registration, when required by Part 6 of all residential compliance documentation and the nonresidential Certificates of Verification if the residential data registries conform to the requirements specified in Reference Joint Appendix JA 7. Staff is therefore seeking comments on the applications submitted by CalCERTS, Inc. and CHEERS, Inc.

#### **Public Comments**

Written comments should be submitted by **5:00 p.m. on September 18, 2019.** If you wish to submit comments on the applications, please submit them using the e-commenting feature on the Energy Commission's webpage at: <a href="https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/EComment/EComment.aspx?docketnumber=19-HERS-01">https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/EComment/EComment.aspx?docketnumber=19-HERS-01</a>.

A full name, email address, comment title, and either a comment or an attached document (.doc, .docx, or .pdf format) is mandatory. After a challenge response test used by the system to ensure that responses are generated by a human user and not a computer, click on the "Agree & Submit Your Comment" button to submit the comment to the Commission Docket Unit.

You are encouraged to use the electronic filing system described above to submit comments. If you are unable to submit electronically, a paper copy of your comments, including the docket number 19-HERS-01 and indicating "2019 HERS Providers' Application for the 2019 Building Energy Efficiency Standards" may be sent to:

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