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**Comments on SRVEVR Revised Guidelines**

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**LOS ANGELES UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
*Facilities Services Division*

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**PROJECT TITLE: SCHOOL ENERGY EFFICIENCY STIMULUS (SEES) PROGRAM**

Dear CEC Commissioners and Staff,

The Los Angeles Unified School District (Los Angeles Unified) appreciates the efforts by the California Energy Commission (CEC) to establish the School Reopening Ventilation and Energy Efficiency Verification and Repair (SRVEVR) Program and to solicit feedback regarding the program guidelines. We have reviewed the SRVEVR Program Draft Guidelines TN# 237239 and provide the following comments for CEC's consideration.

1. **Funding of Consultants.** The District supports the funding of consultant fees.
2. **Maximum Grant.** Placing a cap on the maximum grant amount de-incentivizes participation in the program. The program currently requires an LEA to pay for an unknown amount of costs up front. If the reimbursement of those costs will be limited, the potential benefit of participating in this program decreases.
3. **Partnering with Energy Service Companies.** The District requests consideration of partnering with Energy Service Companies to perform work for this grant. This type of approach could potentially assist an LEA with upfront costs, management, performing required assessments, and providing a turnkey energy service.

Thank you for your consideration of our comments and requests. We look forward to the implementation of this program and kindly request a meeting with your staff to assist you as the guidelines are developed.

Sincerely,

Karen Lee, Deputy Director  
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