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Pass the Title 24 Draft Code

I am urging the CEC to pass the Title 24 Draft Code. This is a landmark climate step and allows the CEC to again lead the way in addressing climate change. This year's building code update is a step forward in creating affordable and energy efficient housing and helps Californians to be more resilient to the impacts of climate change. It will boost the market for heat pump technology and promote electrification of existing buildings.

I purchased an electric heat pump HVAC system and a heat pump water heater in 2019 with the help of my contractor and SMUD's rebate program. California needs to make this efficient technology more affordable to the public and baseline for new construction.

With the current IPCC report, the need for this kind of technology grow even more urgent. Passing this code is a big step toward moving away from planet warming fossil fuels. It is a move toward 100% clean energy, our only hope to have a livable future for our children and grandchildren.

Thank you,

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