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IN THE MATTER OF:

Demand Side Grid Support Program (Assembly Bill 205, 2022)

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NOTICE OF REMOTE-ACCESS WORKSHOP

RE: Demand Side Grid Support Program

Notice of Staff Workshop for the Demand Side Grid Support Program Draft Guidelines Monday, July 25, 2022

1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Remote Access Only

The California Energy Commission (CEC) staff will host a remote access workshop for the Demand Side Grid Support (DSGS) Program's Draft Guidelines (Draft Guidelines). The DSGS program will provide incentives to reduce customer net energy load during extreme events. The Draft Guidelines propose the rules for the program, including eligibility requirements, participation process, incentive structure, and the payment process.

The workshop will be held remotely. The public can participate in the workshop by following the direction provided below. CEC staff aims to begin promptly at the start time posted and the end time is an estimate based on the proposed agenda. The workshop may end sooner or later than the posted end time depending on various factors.

Agenda

During this workshop, staff will present the CEC's proposed requirements for DSGS Program participation, including eligibility, enrollment documentation, DSGS incentive structures, and the payment process.

The meeting schedule and draft guidelines will be posted prior to the workshop and made available on the <u>DSGS webpage</u> at https://www.energy.ca.gov/programs-and-topics/programs/demand-side-grid-support-program and the <u>DSGS docket</u> at https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Lists/DocketLog.aspx?docketnumber=22-RENEW-01.

Background

Created by <u>Assembly Bill (AB) 205</u> (Ting, Chapter 61, Statutes of 2022) as part of the Strategic Electricity Reliability Reserve, the DSGS program will compensate eligible participants enrolled with their electric retail supplier (DSGS provider) for upfront capacity commitments and for per-unit reductions in net load during extreme events achieved through reduced usage and/or use of backup generation.

Remote Attendance Instructions

The workshop may be accessed by clicking the Zoom link below or visiting Zoom at https://join.zoom.us and entering the ID and password for the workshop listed below. If you experience difficulties joining, contact Zoom at (888) 799-9666 ext. 2, or the CEC's public advisor at publicadvisor@energy.ca.gov or at (916) 957-7910.

Link to Workshop:

https://energy.zoom.us/j/91545121253?pwd=L29IWGJoS1pjSCtkQ2dMbjlEc0Vpdz09

Workshop ID: 915-4512-1253 Workshop Password: DSGS

Use the "raise hand" feature to indicate you want to speak and the event facilitator will indicate when your line is open and ready for you to make comment.

To Participate by Telephone, dial (669) 219-2599 or a Toll-Free number (877) 853-5257. When prompted, enter the ID: 915-4512-1253. To comment, dial *9 to "raise your hand" and *6 to mute/unmute your phone line.

Zoom's closed captioning service will be enabled for the meeting. Attendees can use the service by clicking on the "live transcript" icon and then choosing either "show subtitle" or "view full transcript". The closed captioning service can be stopped by exiting out of the "live transcript" or selecting the "hide subtitle" icon. If using a phone, closed captioning is automatic and cannot be deactivated.

Public Comment

Comments will be accepted at the end of the workshop. Comments may be limited to three minutes or less per speaker and one person per organization. If participating via Zoom's online platform, use the "raise hand" feature so the administrator can announce your name and unmute you. If you are participating by telephone, press *9 to "raise your hand" and *6 to mute/unmute.

Written comments must be submitted to the Docket Unit by 5:00 p.m. on July 29, 2022.

Written and oral comments, attachments, and associated contact information (including address, phone number, and email address) will become part of the public record of this proceeding with access available via any internet search engine.

The CEC encourages use of its electronic commenting system. Visit the e-commenting page for DSGS docket at https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/EComment/EComment.aspx?docketnumber=22-RENEW-01, which links to the comment page for this docket. Enter your contact information and a

comment title describing the subject of your comment(s). Comments may be included in the "Comment Text" box or attached as a downloadable, searchable document in Microsoft® Word or Adobe® Acrobat®. The maximum file size allowed is 10 MB.

Written comments may be submitted by email. Include docket number **22-RENEW-01** and "Demand Side Grid Support Program Draft Guidelines" in the subject line and email to docket@energy.ca.gov.

A paper copy may be mailed to: California Energy Commission Docket Unit, MS-4 Docket No. 22-RENEW-01 715 P Street Sacramento, California 95814

Public Advisor and Other CEC Contacts

The CEC's Public Advisor provides the public with assistance in participating in CEC proceedings. For information about how to participate in this workshop or to request interpreting services or other reasonable modification and accommodations, reach out by phone at (916) 957-7910 or via email at publicadvisor@energy.ca.gov. Requests should be made for interpreting services, reasonable modifications, and accommodations as soon as possible but at least five days in advance of the workshop. However, the CEC will work diligently to meet all requests based on the availability of the service or resource requested.

Direct media inquiries to mediaoffice@energy.ca.gov or (916) 654-4989.

Direct technical subject inquiries to DSGS staff at DSGS@energy.ca.gov or (916) 980-7978.

Direct general inquiries regarding the DSGS Program to Ashley Emery, DSGS manager, at DSGS@energy.ca.gov or (916) 980-7978.

Availability of Documents

Documents and presentations for this meeting will be available in the <u>DSGS Program docket</u> at https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Lists/DocketLog.aspx?docketnumber=22-RENEW-01.

When new information is posted, an email will be sent to those subscribed to the Demand Side Grid Support subscription topic. To receive these notices, or sign up for other email subscription topics, visit Subscriptions, at https://www.energy.ca.gov/subscriptions.

Dated: Friday, July 15, 2022, at Sacramento, California

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List Subscription Topics: Demand Side Grid Support, Joint Agency Report - SB 100, Energy Emergencies in California and Contingency Planning, Energy Emergency Planning, Flexible demand appliances and load management and demand response