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Notice of Availability of Revisions to Proposed Guidelines for Demand Side Grid Support Program

Introduction

A revised version of the California Energy Commission's (CEC) proposed Guidelines for the Demand Side Grid Support (DSGS) Program (proposed DSGS Program Guidelines) is now available for review. The revised version of the proposed DSGS Program Guidelines is posted for viewing on the [DSGS program webpage](https://www.energy.ca.gov/programs-and-topics/programs/demand-side-grid-support-program) at <https://www.energy.ca.gov/programs-and-topics/programs/demand-side-grid-support-program> and in the [DSGS docket](https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Lists/DocketLog.aspx?docketnumber=22-RENEW-01) at <https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Lists/DocketLog.aspx?docketnumber=22-RENEW-01>.

CEC staff received and reviewed comments and proposals for modifications and expansion of the Program. Given the time constraints to launch the Program this summer to support grid reliability, the program will be rolled-out in phases with a simpler structure during this initial phase. After the initial Program implementation this summer, the CEC will host a public workshop to provide information on Program impact and seek additional feedback to explore modifications and Program improvements for future years.

The proposed guidelines will be considered for adoption at CEC Business Meeting on:

August 10, 2022

10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

In-person at:

California Natural Resources Agency Building
715 P Street
Auditorium Room
Sacramento, California 95814

Please note that the CEC aims to begin the business meeting promptly at the start time and the end time is an estimate based on the agenda proposed. The meeting may end sooner or later than the time indicated depending on various factors.

In-person and remote participation via Zoom will be available. For instructions on participating remotely, attendees should follow the instructions in the Business Meeting

agenda, which will be posted on the [event page for the August 10, 2022 Business Meeting](https://www.energy.ca.gov/event/meeting/2022-08/energy-commission-business-meeting?utm_medium=email&utm_source=govdelivery), at https://www.energy.ca.gov/event/meeting/2022-08/energy-commission-business-meeting?utm_medium=email&utm_source=govdelivery.

Remote Access to CEC's Business Meeting

The Business Meeting may be access by clicking the Zoom link below or visiting [Zoom](https://zoom.us/join) at <https://zoom.us/join> and entering the ID and password for the Business Meeting listed below. For Zoom technical support dial (888) 799-9666 ext. 2, or contact the CEC's Public Advisor for help at publicadvisor@energy.ca.gov and (916) 957-7910.

Link to Business Meeting:

<https://energy.zoom.us/j/93869230237?pwd=Zm96c09ULzdXTjd4eldtUXdnUGErzd09>.

Meeting ID: 938-6923-0237

Password: mtg@10am

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Background

Created by Assembly Bill (AB) 205 (Ting, Chapter 61, Statutes of 2022) as part of the Strategic 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 or use of backup generation or both.

The proposed DSGS Program Guidelines were initially presented at a July 25, 2022, workshop followed by a written comment period. Proposed revisions to the document are contained in the proposed DSGS Program Guidelines and shown in underline/strikethrough format with proposed language appearing in underline and proposed deletions appearing in strikethrough.

Public Comments

Comments will be accepted at the August 10, 2022 Business Meeting. Public comments may be limited to three minutes or less per speaker and one person per organization. If you need assistance making a comment at the business meeting, please contact the CEC's Public Advisor at the email or phone number below.

Public Advisor and Other CEC Contacts

The CEC's Public Advisor provides the public assistance in participating in CEC proceedings. If you want information on how to participate in this forum, please contact the Public Advisor at publicadvisor@energy.ca.gov, or by phone at (916) 957-7910. Requests for language services and reasonable accommodations should be made as

soon as possible or at least five days in advance. The CEC will work diligently to accommodate late requests.

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

Direct general inquiries regarding the DSGS program at DSGS@energy.ca.gov.

Availability of Documents

Documents and public comments submitted for the DSGS program are available on the [DSGS page](https://www.energy.ca.gov/programs-and-topics/programs/demand-side-grid-support-program), at <https://www.energy.ca.gov/programs-and-topics/programs/demand-side-grid-support-program>, or at the [DSGS docket](https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Lists/DocketLog.aspx?docketnumber=22-RENEW-01), 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 on the DSGS Subscription server. To receive these notices, subscribe at [DSGS page](https://www.energy.ca.gov/programs-and-topics/programs/demand-side-grid-support-program), at <https://www.energy.ca.gov/programs-and-topics/programs/demand-side-grid-support-program>. Manage existing subscriptions or sign-up for others at [CEC Subscriptions](https://www.energy.ca.gov/subscriptions), at <https://www.energy.ca.gov/subscriptions>.

Dated: August 8, 2022, at Sacramento, California

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