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Additional submitted attachment is included below.



November 4, 2022

California Energy Commission,

The CEC has scheduled a workshop for November 15, 2022 which is the same day as the largest HVAC conference in California (IHACI). My team and I have been prepared to attend this event for over six months, I am also aware of countless Raters and Firms that will be in attendance as well.

I have personally trained hundreds of HERS Raters for close to a decade and feel I deserve an opportunity to hear firsthand why the Commission is proposing its changes to the HERS Program. The workshop should be moved. To hold a workshop without a key stakeholder is inappropriate. From a training perspective, input on the CEC's proposed changes that suggest removing HERS Raters from field verification and diagnostic testing should be considered carefully and with all key stakeholders at every step of the rulemaking process. Excluding important stakeholders who need to attend IHACI with the excuse that there will be more workshops does not allow for important feedback at the most critical initial stages of this rulemaking. Please move the workshop so that I can attend.

Sincerely,

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