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Definition of Retroactively

It is my understanding that the Commission does not intend to provide Inflation Reduction Act rebates for work performed after August 16, 2022, because the Commission believes that such rebates would be "retroactive."

I think that the Commission's definition of "retroactive" is incorrect, and inconsistent with the plain language and intent of the Inflation Reduction Act.

Please answer the following questions:

- 1. Does any provision(s) of the Inflation Reduction Act define "retroactively?" If so, please provide the citation(s) to all such Inflation Reduction Act provisions.
- 2. Does any provision(s) of the Inflation Reduction Act define "retroactive?" If so, please provide the citation(s) to all such Inflation Reduction Act provisions.
- 3. Does any federal regulation(s) which interprets or implements the Inflation Reduction Act define "retroactively?" If so, please provide the citation(s) to all such federal regulations.
- 4. Does any federal regulation(s) which interprets or implements the Inflation Reduction Act define "retroactive?" If so, please provide the citation(s) to all such federal regulations.
- 5. Has any federal-government employee(s) communicated to any California-government employee(s) that California cannot provide Inflation Reduction Act rebates for work performed after August 16, 2022? If so, please provide the name and contact information for all such federal-government employees.
- 6. Did any California-government employee(s) determine that California cannot provide Inflation Reduction Act rebates for work performed after August 16, 2022? If so, please provide the name and contact information for all such California-government employees.

Thank you.

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