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IN THE MATTER OF:
2025 Integrated Energy Policy Report (2025
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DOCKET NO. 25-IEPR-03
NOTICE OF REMOTE-ACCESS WORKSHOP

RE: Forms & Instructions for Submitting Gas
Demand and Rate Forecasting Information

Notice of IEPR Staff Workshop on Gas Demand and Rate Forecasting Information Forms and Instructions

February 13, 2025
1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Remote Access Only
See Attendance Instructions

The California Energy Commission (CEC) will host a remote-access workshop to solicit comments on proposed data collection and analysis for the 2025 Integrated Energy Policy Report (2025 IEPR) relating to gas demand and rate forecasting information forms and instructions.

The public can participate consistent with the attendance instructions below. The CEC 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.

Attendance Instructions

- **To use Zoom's online platform**, click on <https://energy.zoom.us/j/85646682165?pwd=Y3B3NmI2Vm1mUXINck16bVZWThwdz09> or log in via Zoom™ <https://energy.zoom.us/j/84064904846?pwd=Dp3USPqDZWEUir3mpXVYZaqCNXTvN4.1>, enter the **Meeting/Webinar ID: 840 6490 4846** and **Meeting/Webinar passcode: 735354**, and follow all prompts.

- **To participate by telephone**, call toll-free at (888) 475-4499 or toll at (669) 219-2599. When prompted, enter the **Meeting/Webinar ID: 840 6490 4846 and Meeting/Webinar passcode: 735354**.

If you experience difficulties joining, contact Zoom at (888) 799-9666 ext. 2, or the Public Advisor at publicadvisor@energy.ca.gov, or by phone at (916) 957-7910.

Participants using a computer can access **Zoom's closed captioning 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 closing out of the "live transcript" or selecting the "hide subtitle" icon. If using a phone, closed captioning is automatic and cannot be turned off. While the closed captioning is available in real-time, it typically includes errors. A more accurate transcript, developed by a court reporter, will be docketed and posted as soon as possible, after the meeting concludes.

Agenda

CEC staff will present proposed forms and instructions for gas-related data. Staff will describe and provide detailed information on various forms and instructions and will take questions during the presentation. There will also be time for public comment.

A detailed meeting schedule with the draft forms and instructions will be posted prior to the workshop to the [2025 IEPR Workshops, Notices and Documents](#) at:

<https://www.energy.ca.gov/data-reports/reports/2025-integrated-energy-policy-report>.

Background

The CEC is directed by Public Resources Code, section 25301 to regularly assess all aspects of energy demand and supply to develop energy policies that conserve resources, protect the environment, ensure energy reliability enhance the state's economy, and protect public health and safety. These assessments are the foundation for analyses and policy recommendations to the Governor, Legislature, and other agencies. To carry out these assessments the CEC "may require submission of demand forecasts, resource plans, market assessments, and related outlooks from electric, natural gas utilities, transportation fuel and technology suppliers, and other market participants" (Public Resources Code, section 25301(a)(2)).

In support of the 2025 IEPR proceeding, staff will collect and review gas demand and rate forecast information from California gas utilities and interstate pipeline companies that deliver gas to California or to the California border. The California Code of Regulations (CCR), title 20, section 1314 authorizes the CEC to collect natural gas information from gas utilities that had annual natural gas deliveries of 200 million therms or more in each of the two previous calendar years. The regulations require separate filings for each of the following gas utilities: Pacific Gas and Electric (PG&E), San Diego Gas and Electric (SDG&E), and Southern California Gas (SoCalGas). Further, the interstate pipeline companies that deliver gas to locations in California or to the California border and gas utilities are required to submit a 10-year forecast of energy prices. (CCR, tit. 20, section 1348.) The draft forms and instructions prepared by CEC staff identify the

information gas utilities must submit regarding their demand forecasts; prices; energy efficiency impacts; demand response impacts; procurement of lower carbon fuels; rates and infrastructure; and related information for 2025 through 2040, and historical years 2023 and 2024.

Public Comment

Oral 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. Depending on the number of members of the public seeking to make a comment, the facilitator may adjust the total time allotted for public comment and the time allotted for each comment. To comment via Zoom, use the "raise hand" feature so the administrator can announce your name and unmute you. To comment via telephone, press *9 to "raise your hand" and *6 to mute/unmute.

A workshop administrator will call on you by the last three digits of your phone number. Unmute your phone before introducing yourself and sharing your comment.

CEC staff may, upon the request of public participants who may be absent during the workshop when a matter of interest to them is being discussed, neutrally and publicly read those participant comments into the record during the public comment period. If you are interested in this service, please email concise comments, specifying your main points, before the start of the workshop to publicadvisor@energy.ca.gov. Comments submitted after the workshop starts or that cannot be read within a three-minute timeframe will be filed in the workshop docket.

Written comments must be submitted to the Docket Unit by 5:00 p.m. on **February 27, 2025**.

Written comments may also be submitted by email. Include docket number **25-IEPR-03** and "**Gas Demand and Rate Forecasting Information Forms and Instructions**" in the subject line and email to docket@energy.ca.gov.

The CEC encourages use of its electronic commenting system. Visit the [e-commenting page](https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Ecomment/Ecomment.aspx?docketnumber=25-IEPR-03), at <https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Ecomment/Ecomment.aspx?docketnumber=25-IEPR-03>, 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 consistent with title 20 of the California Code of Regulations, section 1208.1. The maximum file size allowed is 10 MB.

If preferred, a paper copy may be sent to:

California Energy Commission
Docket Unit, MS-4
Docket No. 25-IEPR-03
715 P Street
Sacramento, California 95814-5512

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.

Contacts

Public Advisor. The CEC's Public Advisor assists the public with participation in CEC proceedings. To request assistance, interpreting services, or reasonable modifications and accommodations, call (916) 957-7910 or email publicadvisor@energy.ca.gov as soon as possible but at least five days in advance of the workshop. The CEC will work diligently to meet all requests based on availability.

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

Direct technical subject inquiries to the Gas Unit at ngu@energy.ca.gov .

Direct general inquiries to the Integrated Energy Policy Report Unit at IEPR@energy.ca.gov.

Availability of Documents

Documents and presentations for this meeting will be available online at [docket 25-IEPR-03](https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Lists/DocketLog.aspx?docketnumber=25-IEPR-03), at <https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Lists/DocketLog.aspx?docketnumber=25-IEPR-03>.

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