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Notice of Exemption

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Project

Title/Agreement

No.: Rulemaking to Amend Regulations Governing the Power Source Disclosure Program

Project Applicant: California Energy Commission

Project Location - Specific: Statewide

Project Location - City: Statewide

Project Location - County: Statewide

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

On May 17, 2024, the California Energy Commission (CEC) published a Notice of Proposed Action (NOPA) to amend and reorganize Sections 1391 et seq of Chapter 3, Article 5 of Title 20 in the California Code of Regulations related to the Power Source Disclosure (PSD) program. The rulemaking implements new statutory requirements for electricity generators and retail suppliers to submit hourly procurement and greenhouse gas emission data on an annual basis. On February 12, 2025, the CEC adopted the Express Terms as revised based on review of public comment submitted. The project will benefit consumers to better understand the sources of their electric service, and will provide hourly resource accounting data to analyze decarbonization efforts on an hourly basis.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Energy Commission

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: California Energy Commission

Exempt Status: (check one)

- Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
- Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
- Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
- Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: Section 15061(b)(3)
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

The amended regulations implement statutory changes related to the reporting and disclosure of electricity sources and GHG emissions under a data collection and consumer disclosure program, and it can be seen with certainty that the rulemaking will not have any significant adverse impact on the environment.

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If filed by applicant:

1. Attach certified document of exemption finding.
2. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? Yes No

Signature: Renee Webster-Hawkins **Date:** 2/14/2025 **Title:** Senior Staff Attorney

Signed by Public Agency Signed By Applicant

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____