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Notice of Workshop

**RE: Demand Response** 

# Notice of IEPR Commissioner Workshop on Demand Response

The California Energy Commission Lead Commissioner for the 2017 Integrated Energy Policy Report (2017 IEPR) will conduct a workshop to discuss the current status of progress in achieving California's demand response (DR) goals and opportunities and barriers for increased future DR participation.

Chair Robert B. Weisenmiller is the Lead Commissioner. Other Commissioners at the Energy Commission and the California Public Utilities Commission may also attend and participate in the workshop. A quorum of Commissioners from the CPUC and the Energy Commission may be in attendance, but no votes will be taken.

Tuesday, August 8, 2017 10 A.M. CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION 1516 Ninth Street First Floor, Art Rosenfeld Hearing Room Sacramento, California (Wheelchair Accessible)

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#### Background

The 2013 IEPR found that, despite its place alongside energy efficiency at the top of the loading order and the many benefits associated with DR, "insufficient progress" had been made towards meetings the state's DR goals. The 2013 IEPR further laid out a series of strategies designed to help DR meet its potential. Since 2013, progress has been made in some of these strategies, and additional analysis has occurred that explains and quantifies the potential of DR in California's changing electric grid. The purpose of the workshop will be to hear from stakeholders what progress has been made in achieving the strategies laid out in the 2013 IEPR, to explore remaining barriers to greater DR participation, and provide an update on DR's potential benefits.

## Agenda

Panels consisting of state officials, DR market participants and other stakeholders will give presentations and participate in panel discussion highlighting DR achievements since 2013 and identify barriers preventing further increased DR participation.

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Date: July 21, 2017

Original Signed by:

Chair Robert B. Weisenmiller Lead Commissioner 2017 Integrated Energy Policy Report

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