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This is much needed support to make CA competetive with other states and Countries.

This EPIC program is much needed to support CA companies in emerging Energy Technologies, since other states and countries support their local companies with capital and funding to enter/sell to CA market.

The scale of funding is low, to enable the company to reach scale of economy saving and be competitive. Most companies enter CA market and offer their product under cost and that has put many CA companies out of business. I hope that the program can be extended to multi-phase so the scale-up can be for some know regional market, then expand nationally and internationally, especially given the recent Tariffs issues that has limited US based companies to enter emerging Asian markets, while Canadian companies are taking most advantage of such opportunity and are also taking over CA market with heavy subsidies from Canadian/Provence government funding. Thanks for the support.