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Memorandum

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To all stakeholders,

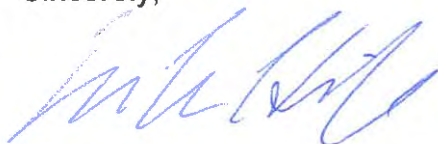
This memo extends the deadline for initial data submission under Title 20, Section 1353. California Energy Commission staff has been working with staff from relevant utilities to clearly define the data and data format that should be submitted under Section 1353. This culminated in a December 2018 workshop, for which public comments were due in January 2019. However, there are still outstanding questions from Commission staff regarding issues raised at the workshop and in subsequent public comments. Additionally, utility staff have many outstanding questions regarding data transmission, storage, and security. Commission and utility staff agree that delaying the initial data delivery under Section 1353 is prudent for several reasons including, but not limited to the following:

1. It will allow sufficient time to resolve the remaining questions regarding data formatting and submission.
2. It will allow utility staff to work with the contractor implementing a data ingestion, cleaning, and storage solution for the Commission. This will include reviewing security standards, providing a small test dataset for the contractor to utilize during development, and reviewing the final solution to ensure it complies with each utility's own data and legal obligations.

To this end, utilities shall not be required to submit large-scale data under Section 1353 until the Commission has fully implemented and tested its system for ingesting and storing those data. During testing, some initial data may be delivered in batches as Commission and utility staff agree is appropriate. When testing is complete, the Commission will provide utilities at least 90 days' notice to compile the initial data submission. This submission should include all remaining data from 2018 and 2019 not delivered during testing that would have been submitted by that time under the regulation deadlines. Commission staff estimate that testing will be completed in August 2019. Regular data deliveries will continue from that point per the schedule described in Section 1353 or an alternate schedule agreed upon by Commission and utility staff.

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Sincerely,



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