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Dear Energy Commission Commissioners,

Misunderstandings are often the result of the lack of clear instructions.

Where in 20 CCR are standards for "Energy Commission's current practice" for docket creation and use for which to file documents pursuant to 1208 (a)?

Energy Commission's current executive director, Mr. Drew Bohan has made this statement:

"The creation of a docket is an internal agency function that has no impact on the public's ability to engage with the Commission. To require the public to create a docket each time they wish to file a document with the Energy Commission is not only unnecessary based on the Energy Commission's current practice, but it would place an unnecessary burden on the public to create a docket."

Perhaps I should not be required to create a docket. I should at least be given clear, consistent and necessary instructions on how a docket is created and used at the commission under Energy Commission's current practice.

If Energy Commission's current practice is a standard, regulations implementing this practice should be adopted.

If there is a misunderstanding on my part as to docket creation and use, staff should be replied with regulations related to docket creation and use.

Without a docket that clearly relates to a proceeding, the commission risks overlooking the public's requests. The commissioners should consider "Energy Commission's current practice" of using 19-BUSMTG-02 for filing. There are risks that the commissioners may not respond to petitions in a timely manner. This is happening as I write this comment. Perhaps the commissioners should review 19-BUSMTG-01 for requests that are not and were not responded to in a timely manner?

take care,

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