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## **RPS-16-03 PUC 399-30-(l)(1)(B) Other feasible measures**

RPS-16-03 PUC 399.30.(l)(1)(B) Other feasible measures

Pursuant to Public Utilities Code - PUC 399.30. (l) (1) (B), The governing board of a local publicly owned electric utility shall demonstrate in its renewable energy resources procurement plan required pursuant to subdivision (f) that any cancellation or divestment of the commitment would result in significant economic harm to its retail customers that cannot be substantially mitigated through resale, transfer to another entity, early closure of the facility, or other feasible measures.

Perhaps the governing board of a local publicly owned electric utility with unavoidable long-term contracts and ownership agreements or commitments for electricity from a coal-fired powerplant, located outside the state, originally entered into by a local publicly owned electric utility before June 1, 2010, should be required to ask their retail customers if they would like to pay a additional fee to substantially mitigate significant economic harm that may result from any cancellation or divestment.

This should be done in connection with approving long-term contracts and ownership agreements or commitments for electricity from renewable generation sources in its renewable energy resources procurement plan.

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