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To: California Energy Commission

I support the California Energy Commission (CEC) and the Home Energy Rating System program (HERS).

The HERS program ensures that consumers get an energy efficient Heating Ventilation Air Conditioning (HVAC) system.

I also support SB1164 (Equipment Sales), which will require the registration of HVAC equipment to a central registry. This will help reduce the estimated 95% of non permitted HVAC installations in California, that are never inspected to meet HERS requirements of energy efficiency.

The local Authority Having Jurisdiction (AHJ) do not have the staff, expertise or specialized equipment to perform the inspections required of HERS.

California will never be able meet the energy efficiency standards that the California Legislator have mandated without the CEC.



