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STATE OF CALIFORNIA

STATE ENERGY RESOURCES
CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION**IN THE MATTER OF:**

*Preparing the 2025 Integrated Energy
Policy Report (2025 IEPR)*

Docket No. 25-IEPR-01ORDER INSTITUTING
INFORMATIONAL PROCEEDING**I. Introduction**

The California Energy Commission (CEC) is required to adopt the Integrated Energy Policy Report (IEPR) every two years.¹ The IEPR contains an overview of major energy trends and issues facing the state, as well assessments of energy supply and demand, energy reliability, efficiency, and other energy issues affecting the state's economy, public health and safety, and environment. The IEPR requires participation from, and coordination with, public and private stakeholders, including utilities, public agencies, marketers, producers, generators, importers and exporters, and others, many of whom submit information to support the CEC's analytical efforts. Development of the IEPR is a public process, and numerous workshops and other opportunities for public participation are provided throughout the yearlong proceeding. All IEPR events are publicly noticed, and all submissions are received into one of several IEPR dockets maintained for the proceeding, which together serve as the basis for the recommendations in the final IEPR.

II. Assignment of the Committee and Scope

Determining the scope of the *2025 IEPR* begins with review of the applicable statutory provisions, found in Public Resources Code sections 25301 et seq, and specific sections of the Public Utilities Code and Health and Safety Code which direct the CEC to periodically report on certain information and assessments in the IEPR. Chair David Hochschild is the Lead Commissioner for the *2025 IEPR*, and Vice Chair Siva Gunda is the Associate Commissioner.

On January 28, 2025, a draft scoping order was posted recommending the topics to be examined in the *2025 IEPR*. Following public comment, on March 20, 2025, the Lead Commissioner issued a final scoping order for the *2025 IEPR*. In addition to analyses specifically required by statute, the *2025 IEPR* will address three major topics as described in further detail in the attached *2025 IEPR Scoping Order*:

- Advancing clean energy deployment
- Electricity and gas forecast
- Load-shift goal update

¹ Public Resources Code, sections 25301, 25302.

The scoping order is available at [2025 Integrated Energy Policy Report](#) or at <https://www.energy.ca.gov/data-reports/reports/integrated-energy-policy-report/2025-integrated-energy-policy-report>, or in Docket 25-IEPR-01 at <https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Lists/DocketLog.aspx?docketnumber=25-IEPR-01> at TN 262257. The *2025 IEPR* may also address other topics as the Lead Commissioner deems necessary.

III. Hearings and Workshops

The first workshop for this proceeding was held on December 10, 2024. Additional hearings will be held and separately noticed. The Commissioners responsible for overseeing the *2025 IEPR* will issue notices at least 10 days in advance of their respective hearings and workshops and will identify at that time when written comments and testimony will be due, as well as the manner of the filing. Any person may make oral comments on the subject of this proceeding at these hearings and workshops. The written public comment periods for this proceeding, and the manner in which they will be required to be filed, will be established by separate notice.

IV. Authority

Pursuant to Public Resources Code section 25210 and California Code of Regulations, Title 20, section 1220(b), informational proceedings allow the CEC to hold hearings and gather and assess information needed to assist it in formulating policies. Instituting an informational proceeding with the adoption of this Order ensures that the assigned Commissioners responsible for overseeing the preparation of the *2025 IEPR* can collect the information needed to complete the required analyses and assessments.

V. Participation

Those interested in receiving notices of workshops and hearings for the [2025 IEPR](#) can subscribe at <https://www.energy.ca.gov/data-reports/reports/integrated-energy-policy-report/2025-integrated-energy-policy-report>. (Scroll down the right side of the page to find “subscribe.”). Alternatively, parties may go to [CEC Subscriptions](#), <https://www.energy.ca.gov/subscriptions> to sign up for the energypolicy subscription topic. There will be opportunities for providing written comments before and during these workshops and hearings, the details of which will be specified in the notice issued for each event. In general, the following instructions will apply but may be modified in the workshop or hearing notice.

For the *2025 IEPR*, the CEC is using an electronic commenting system. Visit the [website](#) at <https://www.energy.ca.gov/data-reports/reports/integrated-energy-policy-report/2025-integrated-energy-policy-report>. Please select and expand the appropriate docket (there are currently three dockets for the *2025 IEPR* and more may be added as needed) and click on the “**Submit e-Comment**” link for the docket(s) of interest or most relevant to your comments. This will take you to the page for adding comments to that docket. Please enter your contact information and comment title. You may include comments in the box titled “Comment Text” or attach a file with your comments. Attached comments must be in a Microsoft® Word (.doc, .docx) or Adobe® Acrobat® (.pdf) formatted file.

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The CEC encourages use of its electronic commenting system, but written comments may be submitted by emailing them to the Dockets Office, or by U.S. Mail to:

California Energy Commission
Dockets Unit, MS-4
Re: Docket No. 25-IEPR-01
715 P Street
Sacramento, CA 95814

If you choose not to use the electronic filing system, please include the appropriate docket number on any emailed or written comments. Comments may alternatively be emailed to docket@energy.ca.gov, with the appropriate docket number provided in the subject line. Please note that your electronic, emailed, written and oral comments, attachments, and associated contact information (for example, address, phone number, and email address) become part of the viewable public record. Furthermore, this information may become available via Google, Yahoo, and other search engines.

Any person may make oral comments on the subject of the proceeding at workshops and hearings for the *2025 IEPR*; the notice for each event will include instructions for participation and comments. The Lead and Associate Commissioners overseeing the *2025 IEPR* may also require the presence and participation of certain persons, consistent with the nature and purpose of the proceeding.

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If you have questions about the subject matter of this order, please contact the IEPR team at iepr@energy.ca.gov, or by phone at (916) 776-0810.

Please direct media inquiries to mediaoffice@energy.ca.gov or (916) 654-4989.

VI. CONCLUSION AND ORDER

The CEC therefore appoints the Lead and Associate Commissioners named above and orders the institution of an informational proceeding for the *2025 IEPR*, directing the Executive Director and staff to gather and assess the information needed to prepare the *2025 IEPR* consistent with the scope identified in section II above, under guidance of the Lead and Associate Commissioners.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

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CERTIFICATION

The undersigned Secretariat to the CEC does hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of an order duly and regularly adopted at a meeting of the CEC held on April 10, 2025.

AYE: Hochschild, Gunda, McAllister, Gallardo, Skinner

NAY: NONE

ABSENT: NONE

ABSTAIN: NONE

Dated: April 11, 2025

SIGNED BY:

Kristine Banaag
Secretariat