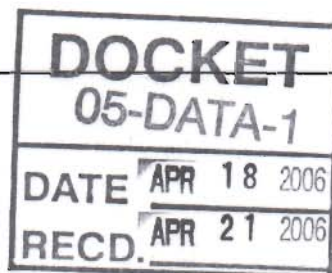


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In the matter of,)	Docket No. 05-DATA-1
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Proposed Adoption, Amendment, and)	NOTICE OF COMMITTEE
Repeal of Regulations Governing the)	WORKSHOP
Commission's Data Collection System for)	
the Energy Policy Report and Regulations)	
Governing Disclosure of Commission)	
Records)	

Notice of Energy Policy Report Committee Workshop on Staff-Proposed Changes to Data Collection Regulations

The California Energy Commission's Energy Policy Report Committee will conduct a workshop to seek public comment on staff's proposed changes to the Energy Commission's regulations governing data collection for the Energy Policy Report (Title 20, California Code of Regulations, section 1301 et seq. and 1340 et seq.), regulations implementing the Commission's complaint and investigation process (Title 20, California Code of Regulations, section 1230 et seq.), and regulations governing the disclosure of Commission records Title 20, California Code of Regulations, section 2501 et seq.). Jackalyne Pfannenstiel is the Presiding Member and Commissioner John L. Geesman is the Associate Member of the Energy Policy Report Committee. Other Commissioners may attend and participate in this workshop.

The workshop will be held:

TUESDAY, May 2, 2006
9:30 a.m.
CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION
1516 Ninth Street
First Floor, Hearing Room B
Sacramento, California
(Wheelchair Accessible)

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To participate in the meeting by phone,
please call **1-800-779-9977** by **9:30 AM Pacific Time**
Passcode: **34905** Call Leader: Chris Tooker

Background

On October 19, 2005, the Energy Commission, pursuant to Public Resources Code sections 25210 and 25213 and Title 20, California Code of Regulations, section 1222(a), instituted a proceeding, under the direction of the Energy Policy Report Committee (Committee), to consider changes to regulations governing the Commission's data collection system for integrated energy policy reporting, the complaint and investigation process, and the disclosure of Commission records. The data collection regulations addressed in this rulemaking are found at Title 20, California Code of Regulations, section 1301 et seq. and section 1340 et seq.; the regulations governing the complaint and investigation process are found at Title 20, California Code of Regulations, section 1230 et seq.; and the regulations governing disclosure of Commission records are found at Title 20, California Code of Regulations, section 2501 et seq. This rulemaking implements the requirements of SB 1389 (Stats. 2002, ch. 568, § 2), SB 1037 (Stats. 2005, ch. 366, §§ 3, 4, 6), AB 380 (Stats. 2005, ch. 367, § 2), and the California Public Records Act (Gov. Code, § 6250 et seq.)

SB 1389 directs the Commission "to conduct assessments and forecasts of all aspects of energy industry supply, production, transportation, delivery and distribution, demand and prices." (Pub. Resources Code, § 25301.) As part of this process, the Commission is to produce an Integrated Energy Policy Report (IEPR) every two years. (Pub. Resources Code, § 25302.) In carrying out its responsibilities, the Commission is required to "manage a data collection system for obtaining the information necessary to develop the policy reports and analyses required by [SB 1389]." (Pub. Resources Code, § 25320.) As part of this rulemaking, at the direction of the Committee, the staff has reviewed the existing data collection regulations and has developed proposed changes to update them consistent with the requirements of SB 1389 and the recently-adopted provisions of Public Utilities Code sections 454.55, 454.56, 9615, and 9620.

Similarly, in light of the prominence of confidentiality issues during the 2005 IEPR cycle, the staff is proposing changes to the Energy Commission's regulations implementing the Public Records Act. (See Cal. Code Regs., tit. 20, § 2505(a)(5).)

Purpose

The Committee is seeking the active participation of all interested parties in discussing staff's proposed changes to the regulations, which can be found, along with the workshop agenda and other relevant documents, on the Energy Commission's website at: [[www.energy.ca.gov/data collection/](http://www.energy.ca.gov/data_collection/)].

Written Comments

The Committee encourages interested parties to present their views either in advance of the workshop, orally at the workshop, or through reply comments after the workshop. The Committee encourages comments by e-mail so that they may be posted on the Energy Commission's website.

If a party wishes to discuss its written comments at the workshop, the Committee requests that they be submitted by 5:00 p.m. on April 27, 2006.

The Committee requests that reply comments be submitted by May 8, 2006.

Those submitting comments by e-mail should indicate "Docket No. 05-DATA-1, Data Collection Regulations Workshop" along with your name or your organization's name in the subject line of the e-mail. Provide your comments in either Microsoft Word format or Adobe Portable Document format (PDF) and send to: [docket@energy.state.ca.us]. Parties submitting comments electronically must also submit the original paper copy to the Energy Commission's Docket Unit.

Those submitting comments by hard copy should indicate the "Docket No. 05-DATA-1" and "Data Collection Regulations Workshop" in the subject line or initial paragraph of the comments, and must provide an original plus 18 paper copies to the Energy Commission's Docket Unit.

Please send or deliver materials to the following address:

California Energy Commission
Docket Unit
Attn: Docket No. 05-DATA-1
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Sacramento, California 95814-5512

Alternatively, participants may provide an original and 18 copies at the beginning of the workshop. All written materials relating to this workshop will be filed with the Docket Unit and will become part of the public record in this proceeding.


Public Participation

The Energy Commission's Public Adviser, Margret J. Kim, provides assistance to the public in participating in Energy Commission activities. If you would like information on how to participate in this workshop, please contact the Public Adviser's Office by phone at (916) 654-4489, or toll free at (800) 822-6228, by FAX at (916) 654-4493, or by e-mail at: [pao@energy.state.ca.us].

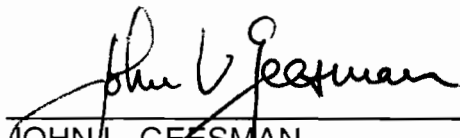
If you have a disability and require assistance to participate in this workshop, please contact Lou Quiroz, at (916) 654-5146, at least five days in advance.

The service list for the Data Collection Regulations proceeding is handled electronically, with notices and documents posted to the Energy Commission website at: [www.energy.ca.gov/data collection/]. When new information is posted, an e-mail will be sent to those on the energy-policy e-mail list server. We encourage those who are interested in receiving these notices to sign up for the list server through the website at: [www.energy.ca.gov/data collection/].

Technical question should be directed to Chris Tooker at (916) 653-1634; or by e-mail at: [ctooker@energy.state.ca.us].



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Note: The California Energy Commission's formal name is the State of California Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission.