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This is absurd. I'm looking at replacing the HVAC in my house in the next year, and I find out the state is wanting to control my temperature. I'm all about energy efficiency, but I'll do it on my own time and my own dime. I've installed CFL's, put computer controls on my HVAC, insulated, replaced windows. Now I'm going to have to pay extra for some "mandated" controller which I won't use (guranteed I'll just replace it and sit on it for when I sell the house, then hook it back up.) This whole state legislature, and the people in CA government are in their own world. If you think you can mandate a thermostat to be controlled by the power company, you're fooling yourself. You're just costing the average guy like me money, first for the controller which since it's mandated will be expensive, then the cost of replacing it, or modifying it so I can control my own temperature. Stop already, my house is safe, my power bills are low, and I'm happy.

Thanks,  
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